

Early Detection is the Key  
to Successful Treatment.

**GET TESTED!**



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[www.ntxpcacoalition.org](http://www.ntxpcacoalition.org)

## Get Educated About Prostate Cancer



## Risk factors for prostate cancer are:

**Age**

**Family History**

**Race**

and

**Exposure to Agent Orange.**

Note: Firefighters are also known to be of higher risk.

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*Are you well informed?*

*Are you aware of your risks?*

*Do you know your PSA?*

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## Get Educated About Prostate Cancer!



Healthy, but at risk?  
Newly diagnosed?  
Treated, but having questions?  
Rising PSA after treatment?

## Get Basic Information. Talk to Survivors.



The North Texas Prostate Cancer Coalition (NTxPCC) was formed in early 2009 to augment the support services provided by medical institutions to better serve prostate cancer patients and survivors in the North Texas area. We provide information on prostate cancer and on important cancer-related local events.

Sharing information and experience with other survivors, partners and caregivers can provide increased knowledge and capability to work with your doctor to assure effective decision making. In addition to Coalition programs, local support groups offer monthly meetings for men with prostate cancer and partners involved in their support. Presentations by expert medical professionals and staff followed by discussion periods are essential to enhance survivor education.

The strength of NTxPCC lies in its website and in its survivors, who are the backbone of the Coalition projects. In addition to support group meetings, we offer a survivor chat for prostate cancer survivors, their partners, and caregivers. All material used is reviewed before being posted. NTxPCC will restrict its efforts to providing general prostate cancer information and not treatment advice.

### NTxPCC Activities include

#### Speakers Bureau

NTxPCC offers presentations to local men's groups, aiming to increase prostate cancer awareness within the North Texas Community.

#### Combined Speakers

NTxPCC is assisted by local hospitals in offering events with well-known speakers addressing all survivor groups in the area. A Prostate Cancer Symposium, featuring top prostate cancer specialists, is being offered annually. Some of the NTxPCC members are conducting awareness seminars; prostate cancer survivors' events are offered by several of the affiliated medical hospitals.

#### Health Fair and Screening Support

NTxPCC is assisting awareness and early detection programs by supporting local communities and medical institutions during health fair, testing and other awareness events.

### NTxPCC Website

The website has grown to an impressive site including information on local events, local and national news, treatment options and related material. Prostate cancer news are researched and, in certain circumstances, approved for posting by medical advisors.

*Check our activities, other events, as well as the newest information on prostate cancer on our website at*

**[www.ntxpcacoalition.org](http://www.ntxpcacoalition.org)**

### NTxPCC Activities for Newly Diagnosed and Recurring Survivors

#### The Long Term Survivor (LTS) program

This program provides a list of long-term NTxPCC survivors. Feel free to call these survivors about their experience for specific treatments (see website). LTS members are also volunteering for hospital visits to newly treated survivors at selected hospitals.

#### Survivor Chat

The "Let's Talk on Tuesday... about Prostate Cancer" program is a successful and award-winning survivor chat where newly diagnosed and recurring survivors consult LTS members on their own experience, face-to-face.

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