

Altru Cancer Center **Patient Navigators**

We recognize that coming to a cancer center can be overwhelming. Altru Cancer Center Patient Navigators are available to assist patients and families find their way through this process.

The Navigators work closely with the consulting physicians in radiation and medical oncology areas. As part of the patient's first physician visit, one of our Patient Navigators will meet with the patient and family, and help coordinate further tests, appointments and treatment dates. They will help answer questions patients might have about the treatment plan the physician recommends. If the initial consult visit is at an outreach clinic site, we will try to coordinate the Patient Navigator visit via the telemedicine system.

The Patient Navigators will complete an assessment of potential needs, review a number of services that may be of interest and assistance to patients particularly those who will be receiving any type of cancer treatment. They can also help arrange care that can be provided closer to the patient's home and primary provider. If treatments are to be administered at Altru Cancer Center they can assist patients with lodging and transportation, if needed.

The Navigators are available to provide assistance throughout treatment as needed.



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