

Susan G. Komen Memorial Affiliate



Local breast cancer survivors and superheroes: Robin Palmer, Debbie Meyer, Sue Paul, Threasa Walline, Shirley Schmitt

Susan G. Komen is the largest breast cancer organization, funding more breast cancer research than any other nonprofit while providing real-time help to those facing the disease. Since 1982, Komen has contributed to many of the advances made in the fight against breast cancer, transforming how the world

treats and talks about this disease and helping many more people become survivors.

YOUR local support has helped the Memorial Affiliate invest nearly \$12 million in community health programs and over \$4 million to Komen research. THANK YOU!

Take a look at a few of many community health and research programs that are making every day count. On any given day:

- **66 top-level scientists and advocates** are helping guide and prioritize Komen's global research investment, totaling over \$956 million for more than 2,600 grants.
- **More than 100 Komen-funded research labs** are studying metastatic breast cancer to understand why it occurs and how to treat it.
- **582 people** receive a free Komen-funded screening.
- **90 people** receive Komen-funded treatment assistance.

Komen Memorial is also home to the Circle of Promise, the Peoria Minority Breast Health Advisory Group. This group of African-American women work together to provide breast cancer education, outreach and survivor support in the Peoria area.



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Mission

Save lives by meeting the most critical needs in our communities and investing in breakthrough research to prevent and cure breast cancer.

Monthly Survivor Support

Komen Café

3rd Thursday, 5:30pm

For all breast cancer survivors

Young Survival Coalition

2nd Tuesday, 5pm

For women diagnosed under 40 years

How to Help

Get Involved. Consider hosting or attending an event and/or volunteering at one! We cannot do what we do without YOU! Please call (309) 691-6906 or visit [komenmemorial.org](https://www.komenmemorial.org) to learn more!

Donate. Each donation you make helps sustain our mission to educate the community and fight to end breast cancer forever. Please consider visiting our website to make a donation today.

Signature Events

Brats for the Cure

May 4-6, 2018

Peoria Race for the Cure

May 12, 2018

Springfield Race for the Cure

May 19, 2018

Rally for the Cure

August 1, 2018

Bloomington/Normal Race for the Cure

September 8, 2018

Pink Promise Survivor Fashion Show & Luncheon

October 25, 2018

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