

Prostate Cancer Support Groups in Massachusetts as of 12/11/2009

Prostate Cancer support groups are open to patients, survivors, relatives, friends, healthcare professionals and others who care. No reservations are necessary and there are no fees. Most groups offer free parking and free refreshments. Meetings are usually monthly and often have professional speakers with audience Q&A and discussion. Learn to cope through knowledge and hope through support.

City	Support Group and Address	Meeting Time
Attleboro	First Wed. at Sturdy Memorial Hospital 211 Park St.	7:00PM
Peter Gagne	508-222-3482	
Karen Messier	508-236-7012 kmessier@sturdymemorial.org	
Beverly	Third Thursdays at Beverly Hospital Terrace Dining Room, 85 Herrick St.	7:00PM
Tina Ketchopoulos	978-236-1651 tkechop@nhs-healthlink.org	
John Quinn	617-905-4999 quinnj@ati.org	
Blair Smith	978-922-3000 x271 bsmith@nhs-healthlink.org	
Boston	First Mon. at BIDMC (Adv Pro Ca) 185 Pilgrim St., Deaconess Bldg., Rm 205A	6:00PM
Frank McCaffrey	617-667-8000 fmccaffr@bidmc.harvard.edu	
Boston	First Mon. at BIDMC (Men Only- Prostate Experience) 185 Pilgrim St.,Deaconess Bldg., Rm 205B	6:00PM
Gary Halvorsen	781-272-2546 halvy49@earthlink.net	
Tony Marino	978-658-6651 tonysm@yahoo.com	
Boston	First Mon. at BIDMC (Men Only-Incontinence & ED) 185 Pilgrim St.,Deaconess Bldg., Rm 312	6:00PM
Bill Tinney	781-878-5273 wftinney@yahoo.com	
Boston	First Mon. at BIDMC (Women Only) 185 Pilgrim St., Rm 150, 3x's a year: please call for dates	6:00PM
Annabelle Bitter	617-499-5665x345 abitter@mah.harvard.edu	
Fran Klein	617-625-4875 klein@rcn.com	
Boston	First Mon. at BIDMC-Main Program 185 Pilgrim St.,Deaconess Bldg., Rms 312-315	7:00PM
Stan Klein	617-625-4875 klein@rcn.com	
Boston	Second Wed. at Dana Farber Cancer Center (PHEN) 44 Binney St., Smith Bldg. Rm 304	5:30pm
Juarez Farrington	781-487-7054 jfarrington@prostatehealthed.org	
Tom Farrington	781-487-7054 thomas@prostatehealthed.org	
Boston	Third Tues. at BMC 88 East Newton St., Conf. Rm C-D	6:00PM
Linda Frattura	617-638-4178 linda.frattura@bmc.org	
Mark Yoder	mark.yoder@bmc.org	
Brockton	Third Wed. at Brockton Hospital Assembly Rm., 689 Center St.	7:00PM
Arthur Cabral	781-447-0915 ascemc@comcast.net	
Donna Coughlin	508-941-7293 dcoughlin@signature-healthcare.org	

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Warren Gilbert, MD		
Fall River	Mondays at Saint Anne's Hospital-Common Ground 795 Middle St.	9:00AM
Mark Theodore	508-674-5600x227 mark_theodore@cchcs.org	
Hyannis	Second Mon. Cape Cod Hospital (High Riser) 27 Park St., Martens Conf. Rm East	9:00AM
David Kunze	508-398-5317 davidkunze@comcast.net	
Paul Rothfeld	508-524-3187 paulandsandy2@aol.com	
Karin White	508 862-5302 kawhite@capecodhealth.org	
Lexington	Third Wed. at The Senior Center 1475 Massachusetts Ave.	1:00PM
Carrie Johnson	781-861-0194 cjohnson@ci.lexington.ma.us	
Arthur Sotak	781-862-7071 uno-us@juno.com	
Lowell	Second Tues. at Lowell General Hospital Cancer Center, 296 Varnum Rd.	7:00PM
Jeffrey Goldstein	978-937-6274 goldstein@lowellgeneral.org	
Meg Lemire-Berthel	978-937-6000 MegLemire@LowellGeneral.org	
Newton	First Thurs. at Newton-Wellesley Hospital 2014 Washington St., Rm 6	7:00PM
Carl Merrill	617-244-2421	
Bruce Skillin	617-714-5129 bruce.skillin32@comcast.net	
Newton Lower Falls	First Tues. at the Wellness Community 1039 Chestnut St.	7:00PM
Timothy Cummings	617-636-6145 tcummings@tufts-nenc.org	
Manny Hamelburg	781-885-0472 mhamelburg@comcast.net	
Pittsfield	First Mon. Support Group of the Berkshires 165 Tor Court, Hillcrest Hosp. Campus FI 1 Conf. Rm	7:00 PM
Gene Andrew	413-442-6727	
Joe Cookis	413-664-9225 joecookis@netscape.net	
Isaac Crawford	413-499-1829 ikemstgdnr@aol.com	
Bob Lamarre	413-443-2264	
Vincent Melito	413-663-9396 melitomm@adelphia.net	
Larry Shea	413-445-7389	
South Weymouth	First Sat. at South Shore Hospital (advanced) 55 Fogg Rd.	9:00AM
Thomas L. Farmer	781-834-2818 Remrafmot@aol.com	
Manny Hamelburg	781-635-0488 mhamelburg@comcast.net	
Springfield	First Mon. at Springfield Baystate D'Amour Cancer Ctr., 3350 Main St., FI 3	7:00PM
Dick Cowles	413-569-3602 rhcowles@comcast.net	
Sanford James	413 577-3442 sjeames@comcast.net	
Bill Whitmore	413 665-7741 billwhitmore@comcast.net	

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Springfield	Third Thurs. at Cancer House of Hope 946 Plumtree Rd.	7:00PM
Ken Charles	413-455-6728	
Cheryl Gorski	413-782-5500 executivedirector@cancerhouseofhope.org	
Bill Whitmore	413-665-7741 billwhitmore@comcast.net	
Swampscott	Last Wed. at Congregation Shirat Hayam 55 Atlantic Ave: sponsored by GLSS for Lynn, Lynnfield, Nahant, Saugus	10:00am please call for info
Marion Garfinkel	781-599-0110x655 goldieyetta@aol.com	
Vineyard Haven	Third Wed. at Martha's Vineyard Community Service 111 Edgartown Rd.	10:30AM
Laura Schroeder	508-693-7900x320 lschroed@comcast.net	
Emily Wetherall	508-696-6725 ewetherall@mvcommunityservices.com	
West Roxbury	Second Tues. at Veteran's Healthcare System 1400 VFW Prkwy.	10:00AM
Carl Merrill	617-244-2421	
Caitlin Oliveira	857 203-5681 caitlin.oliveira@va.gov	
Tracey Presley	857-203-6126 tracey.presley@va.gov	
Woburn	First Wed. at Baldwin Building One 12 Alfred St.	7:00PM
Gary Halvorsen	781-272-2546 gary.halvorsen@hanscom.af.mil	
Daniel Hritzay	781 729-0858 danhr@att.net	
Peter Tiffany, MD	781-979-0661	
Worcester	Second Thur. at UMass Medical Center Lazare Room 203, 55 Lake Ave. North	6:00 PM
Nelson Ball	508-366-8497 npball@charter.net	
Carl Barstow	508-854-3847 cbarstow@babcockpower.com	
Charles Innis	508-753-4950 charleslennisjr@aol.com	