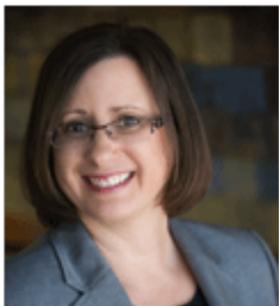


June 2016 Newsletter



From the CEO

Preliminary results are in from the recent crowdsourcing survey that was sent to all of our supporters as part of our Metastatic Breast Cancer Collateral Damage Project! These results, among other sources, are being used to develop a formal questionnaire that will allow us to capture and quantify every aspect of the collateral damage of the disease and its treatment. The questionnaire will be released later this summer. [Find out more.](#)

Dr. Love's Update From ASCO 2016

At ASCO in early June, researchers presented a wealth of data related to breast cancer. Particularly interesting were two sessions relevant to women being treated now: one on the length of time postmenopausal women should stay on an aromatase inhibitor and one on the new CDK4 and CDK6 targeted therapies to treat metastatic breast cancer. And Vice President Joe Biden's talk on the National Cancer Moonshot Initiative was pretty interesting, too. [Read more.](#)



Biome Study Results Now Published

Since 2012, Dr. Love has been collaborating with Dr. Delphine Lee from Providence Saint John's Health Center's John Wayne Cancer Institute on a study investigating bacteria and viruses in breast ductal fluid in an effort to explore whether microbes may play a role in breast cancer development. Working with them to analyze their findings is a team from NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory. The study results were recently published in *Scientific Reports*, an online journal from the publishers of *Nature*. [Read the press release.](#)

AVON 39: The Walk to End Breast Cancer

Come to Santa Barbara, California, September 9-11, to walk for locally based and national breast cancer research and patient services organizations. Register [here](#) to support Dr. Susan Love Research Foundation and others like us and help obliterate breast cancer!



Calling Latina/Hispanic women with a history of breast cancer: How would you like to improve your diet and level of physical activity?

Columbia University researchers are looking for women in and around the New York City area to test the effectiveness of the Mi Vida Saludable (My Healthy Life) program. [Read more](#) in English or Spanish to see if you qualify!

Find out how you can help researchers discover the answers to other important questions by visiting the Army of Women's [current studies](#).



Frankly Speaking About Cancer Clinical Trials

When it comes to cancer clinical trials, what do you need to know? How can you find one that is right for you? This new educational program from the Cancer Support Community organization has the answers. Learn more [here](#).

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