

## News From The Bridge March 2018

## Pamper Me Pink Survivor Brunch





The Bridge Breast Network will be hosting its 1st Pamper Me Pink Survivor Brunch on May 19, 2018. We will honor our clients and celebrate their breast cancer survivorship on this special day. The day will include guest speakers, a light brunch, and pamper stations. We would also like to give each survivor a small gift basket filled with relaxation products. Here's where you can help. Please select the "Sign Up" button to view the list of items that are needed for the baskets.

All items listed need to be mailed or dropped off at 4000 Junius Street, Dallas, Texas 75246 by May 10, 2018 from 9am-5pm. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Gina Robinson (gina@bridgebreast.org) or Tamara Sanders (development@bridgebreast.org) at 214-821-3820.

#### A Client Story of Gratitude

Ms. Martinez is a 36 year old single woman living and working in Dallas. Her employer offers health insurance but after taxes, housing, food and transportation to and from work there isn't much room for health insurance premiums. She relies on a local community clinic for her medical needs as they arise. One day Ms. Martinez felt a lump in her breast and immediately scheduled an appointment with the clinic for evaluation. Upon evaluation the doctor referred her to the Bridge Breast Network (BBN) for assistance. The BBN Navigator worked with Ms. Martinez to get her application completed and a referral to a BBN provider for a diagnostic mammogram and subsequent biopsy. The navigator assured Ms. Martinez each step of the way that Bridge Breast Network would be there to take care of her. Ms. Martinez was relieved to learn her biopsy results were benign and said, "I am grateful to the Bridge Breast Network for their assistance." Women who never give birth have a slightly higher risk of breast cancer compared to women who have had more than one birth. For more information on breast cancer risk factors and how to lower your risk visit Susan G. Komen: https://ww5.komen.org/BreastCancer/LowerYourRisk.html

In observance of Good Friday Bridge Breast Network will be closed on Friday March 30th.



Upcoming Events
Please Join Us For
These Fundraising
Events



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Support the Bridge Breast Network with Bags by Jennifer now until March 30th.

Ways to Give
Every \$1 donated is leverage
10x in medical care



Link "Bridge Breast Network" to your Amazon purchases and our organization gets 0.5% back as a donation! You must be logged in to the Amazon Smile Program.

Click Here to sign up!!!

### **Program Highlights**

The Bridge Breast Network works collaboratively with 200 community and 300 medical partners to ensure North Texas individuals have access to breast health services such as education, early detection and treatment services. During the month of **February** the Bridge Breast Network provided the following services:

#### Client Served:

Screening services: 55 Diagnostic services: 69 Treatment services: 16 Survivorship services: 4 Education & Awareness: 20 Community Referrals: 19

### Survivorship Services



Surviving breast cancer is about more than completing your treatment. It's about quality of life after receiving a diagnosis. One's emotional state can impact treatment outcomes.

Do you know someone going through cancer treatment that needs a wig, mastectomy garment, or a compression sleeve? If so, refer them to the Bridge Breast Network for assistance.

#### **Get Involved**



Sometimes, the most valuable gift you can give is time. Become a Bridge Volunteer and help build a bridge between your neighbors and treatment for breast cancer.

25% of all sales will be donated to the Bridge Breast Network

Go buy the fun bags, thermals and pillows now so you can take advantage of the special of the month - 50% off purses!

Contact Jennifer Powers 469-450-2267 bagsbyjennifer@gmail.com

**CLICK HERE TO SHOP** 



#### CRAWL FOR CANCER

Crawl For Cancer is an event where hundred of volunteers, businesses and participants come together to help raise money to fight cancer. Participants go to 5 bars and/or restaurants in a preplanned order to partake in social networking and ice-cold, frothy beverages. \$500 entry fee (\$50/person for a team of 10)

#### REGISTER NOW!!!

The deadline is March 30, 2018 or whenever the maximum number of teams is reached.



Think Pink Hosts
Zumbathon
Benefitting Bridge Breast
Network

Join us for Zumba fun and workout for a cause.

March 31, 2018 9-11 a.m. \$5 Entrance Fee

Plano East Senior High School Gym 3000 Los Rios Blvd. Plano, Texas 75074

Food and drinks will be provided by Starbucks and Napoli's



You can help support the Bridge Breast Network each time you shop at Kroger. Just sign up and a portion of your purchase will be given to our organization whenever you use your Kroger Plus Card. BBN NPO #63173

Sign Up Now!!!



Bridge Breast Network is a proud member of the Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program. Just choose Bridge Breast Network (1055) as a charity of your choice and the organization will receive a percentage of the dollars you spend.

Sign Up Now!!!



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Host a Fundraiser for The Bridge Breast Network

Host your own fundraiser to help save lives and end breast cancer forever.

Contact the Bridge Breast Network

#### Volunteer

### **Bosom Buddy Campaign**



Give the gift of a mammogram, surgery, chemotherapy, and radiation treatment to women in our community with breast cancer who will not survive without our help.

**Donate** 



The Bridge Breast Network has been selected as one of the Young Texans Against Cancer beneficiary for 2018. Join us for a YTAC fundrasier.

Saturday, April 14th 1-4pm

Four Corners Brewery 1311 S. Ervay St. Dallas, Texas 75215

Click Here To Purchase Tickets

The mission of the Bridge Breast Network is to save lives by providing access to diagnostic and treatment services for breast cancer to low income, uninsured and underinsured individuals.

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