

# Survivor Clinic

Survivors of childhood cancer can develop health problems after finishing cancer treatment. These health problems are called **late effects**. Survivors are at risk for certain late effects based on the type of treatment they received. You can find out about late effects you might be at risk for by **visiting a cancer survivor clinic**. All childhood cancer survivors should visit a survivor clinic. During a survivor clinic visit you will:

- Learn about possible late effects of your cancer treatment
- Have tests done to screen for those late effects
- Get a Survivor Healthcare Plan document

## Survivor Healthcare Plan

A Survivor Healthcare Plan (SHP) is a document with information about your:

- Cancer diagnosis and treatment
- Late effects that can occur after your treatment
- Tests to screen for these late effects

The SHP is helpful for you to know what health problems could occur after your cancer treatment. It will also tell you the tests you will need to screen for these problems and how often you will need to have certain tests. It is also helpful for all of your doctors (pediatrician, family practice, cardiologist etc) to have this information. Your doctors and nurses can use the SHP to learn about your cancer, cancer treatment, and late effects you are at risk for.

## Finding a Survivor Clinic

If you have never been to a survivor clinic you should call the cancer center where you were treated. They will tell you where should go to for a survivor clinic visit. Listed below is contact information for the 5 cancer centers for children in Georgia.

### Atlanta, GA

Aflac Cancer Center and Blood Disorders Service  
Children's Healthcare of Atlanta  
(404) 785-1717

### Augusta, GA

Pediatric Hematology/Oncology  
Medical College of Georgia, Children's Medical Center  
(706) 721-3626

### Columbus, GA

Columbus Pediatric Hematology Oncology  
Columbus Regional Healthcare System  
(706) 571-1000

### Macon, GA

Macon Pediatric Hematology Oncology  
The Medical Center of Central Georgia  
(478) 633-1000

## Savannah, GA

Backus Children's Hospital Hematology Oncology  
Memorial University Medical Center  
(912) 350-5646

If you were not treated at one of the above cancer centers you can be seen in the Aflac Cancer Survivor Program at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta.

Aflac Cancer Survivor Program  
Children's Healthcare of Atlanta  
(404) 785-1717

If you have any problems finding a survivor clinic please email [help@survivorlink.org](mailto:help@survivorlink.org)

This information is also on the SurvivorLink website ([www.cancerSurvivorLink.org](http://www.cancerSurvivorLink.org))



The image is a screenshot of the SurvivorLink website. At the top, there is a dark blue header with the "SURVIVORLink" logo on the left and the text "Link to Care After Cancer" on the right. Below the logo is a navigation menu with "Login", "Find a Survivor Clinic", and "Help". A red arrow points down from the "Find a Survivor Clinic" link. On the right side of the header, it says "Welcome, Guest!". Below the header is a green banner with the text "Survivor Clinics". On the left side, there is a blue sidebar with a search bar and a menu with "Home", "Healthcare Providers", "Patients & Families", and "Resources". The main content area is white and lists five survivor clinics in Georgia, each with a logo, location, name, address, phone number, and website link. The clinics are: Atlanta, GA (Aflac Cancer Center & Blood Disorders Service, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta); Augusta, GA (Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Medical College of Georgia, Children's Medical Ctr); Columbus, GA (Columbus Pediatric Hematology Oncology, Columbus Regional Healthcare System); Macon, GA (Macon Pediatric Hematology Oncology, The Medical Center of Central Georgia); and Savannah, GA (Backus Children's Hospital Hematology Oncology, Memorial University Medical Center). At the bottom, there is an "External Resource" link: "Find a clinic in your area using the Children's Oncology Group Directory of Late Effects Services".

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- Columbus, GA**  
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[www.columbusregional.com/crhs.aspx?nd=35](http://www.columbusregional.com/crhs.aspx?nd=35)
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(478) 633-1000  
[www.mccg.org/childrenshealth/default.asp](http://www.mccg.org/childrenshealth/default.asp)
- Savannah, GA**  
Backus Children's Hospital Hematology Oncology  
Memorial University Medical Center  
(912) 350-5646  
[www.memorialhealth.com/backus/services/hematology.aspx](http://www.memorialhealth.com/backus/services/hematology.aspx)

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