

**American Cancer Society
Methodist Healthcare
Ministries Hope Lodge
San Antonio, TX**



Getting good cancer care sometimes means having to travel far from home. People with cancer have the best chance for a positive outcome when they have access to the right treatment, including advanced therapies and one-of-a-kind clinical trials often only available at major cancer centers.

But finding and paying for safe, clean, and comfortable lodging can be a challenge. American Cancer Society Hope Lodge® communities provide free, temporary lodging for people with cancer who must receive treatment away from home. The Hope Lodge program reduces financial strain, makes treatment more accessible, and improves the quality of life for thousands of cancer patients every year. In addition, it supports more than 235 referring hospitals as well as the local economies in our 30+ locations.

As unique non-medical facilities, our network of Hope Lodge communities allows people with cancer and their caregivers to stay together in special accommodations designed for their needs. Hope Lodge guests find respite in free private bedrooms and bathrooms that would otherwise cost them thousands of dollars. But the Hope Lodge program provides much more than a free place to sleep – each community offers an inviting, supportive atmosphere with all the comforts of home, including a communal kitchen, dining area, laundry rooms, and gathering spaces.



HOPE LODGE BY THE NUMBERS:

40

private guest suites

Texans will
be diagnosed
this year

140K+

40,000 square-
foot
facility

14,600 free nights
of lodging
each year

\$2,190,000

in savings to
cancer patients and
their families each year

9,000+

cancer patients travel
at least 40 miles to San Antonio
for treatment

\$11M

gift from MHM

The American Cancer Society Methodist Healthcare Ministries Hope Lodge will be conveniently located near the South Texas Medical Center on Floyd Curl Drive. Chaired by Charles Leddy, CEO of Presidian Hotels and Resorts, and Linda Dozier of Lockheed Martin, the capital campaign aims to raise the funds needed for construction of the facility, initial operating costs, and the creation of an endowment to ensure the sustainability of the facility for years to come.

An \$11,000,000 gift from Methodist Healthcare Ministries kicked off the capital campaign. In recognition of this, the facility has been named the American Cancer Society Methodist Healthcare Ministries Hope Lodge.

**Help us ensure our Hope Lodge community
in San Antonio is ready to welcome cancer
patients who need us.**



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