“The Society had plenty of ideas of its own with regard to increasing comfort, beauty, and morale for the patients and those who attend to them; plenty of ideas on the vital matter of education of the public for its protection against cancer, and for support of the cancer hospital.”

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Lavinia Branca Snyder
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“Compassion, generosity of spirit, and forward thinking has been at the core of The Society of MSK’s many faceted contributions for 70 years.

Be it through an array of activities including seeding research projects, or helping with emergency financial assistance for patients in need, The Society is always there to help MSK. As we set our sights on the next 70 years and the extraordinary new scientific landscape that is emerging, we are energized knowing The Society will be with us every step of the way.”

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Our Mission

The Society of Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (MSK), founded in 1946, is a volunteer-led organization within MSK dedicated to promoting the well-being of patients, supporting cancer research, and providing public education on the early prevention, detection, and treatment of cancer.

As the world’s oldest and largest private cancer center, MSK has devoted more than 130 years to advancing the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of cancer. With a passionate commitment to exceptional patient care, cutting-edge research, and superb educational programs, MSK has earned the distinction as one of the premier cancer centers worldwide.
Patient Care Programs ...................................................................................................................... Page 15

• Provide access to care for families in need of assistance through a partnership with MSK’s Department of Social Work

• Support patients through artistic expression in a multi-tiered, multi-disciplinary program

• Enhance the patient experience by providing activities and events outside of their treatment routine

Research Projects ......................................................................................................................... Page 47

• Substantial support for research of a particular cancer or cancer treatment innovation through The Society Campaign letter writing

• Early seed funding for innovative clinical and translational research by Junior Investigators through The Society Research Grants Program, awarded in consultation with MSK’s Physician-in-Chief

• Vital support for basic research at the Sloan Kettering Institute (SKI) from the Special Projects Committee in consultation with the Director of SKI

• Pediatrics-focused research and special initiatives for Pediatric patients and their families with the dedicated support of the Associates Committee

• Funds raised for MSK’s research programs through a special donation initiative held at The Society’s Spring Ball

Education Initiatives ................................................................................................................... Page 59

• Share information on a timely topic through an annual Health Education Seminar

• Help to recognize significant contributions to the field of Pediatric Oncology through The Society of MSK Prize, an academic award that affirms the global leadership of MSK in the field of pediatric oncology

• Support career opportunities for oncology social work through a Fellowship Program for MSK’s Department of Social Work

• Inform our members and donors of current developments in patient care, research and education at MSK through a monthly e-newsletter, The Society Digest
Society Funded Patient Care Programs
1946-2016

These programs are supported through fundraising undertaken by The Society through special events and through the establishment of dedicated endowments for Patient Care Programs. We are grateful to the many individuals, corporations, and foundations who have contributed to these efforts.

We deliver our mission to our patients through the Art Committee, Children’s Committee, the Dream Team, Fresh Flower Program, Patient Experience Committee, Patient Environment Program (PEP), and the Social Services Committee.

“With its dedication to patient care, The Society’s contributions are so meaningful in the delivery of MSK’s mission. In particular, the funds provided by The Society allow social workers to address and relieve some of the practical stressors that many patients face from the start of treatment to survivorship or end-of-life.

The level of support we are able to give our patients, thanks to The Society’s contributions to MSK’s excellent patient care, is unique to New York City and area hospitals.”

Penelope Damaskos, PhD
Director, Social Work
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
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| 1958 | Pediatric Halloween party  
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Funded a full time kindergarten therapist, blood bank and rehab facilities  
Coordinated childcare, redecoration of the children’s ward, and furnishing Children’s Pavilion  
Introduced Pediatrics Treasure Chest (provided toys, activities, pajamas throughout the year)  
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Provided therapy, financial support and educational programs for patients and their families
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Hosted cookouts on the pediatric porch
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- Procured donations of three computers for Pediatrics
- Provided funding for poplar trees for the Pediatric terrace
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- Founded the Adult patient Valentine’s Day Celebration
- Redecorated rooms at nearby YMCA for MSK patients and their families for temporary housing
- Started the One to One program to accompany patients during waiting periods
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1987
Funded program for children to listen to tapes, music, foreign language tapes
Funded the installation of Kitchenette in the Pediatric parents’ room
Procured underwriting of murals to depict Central Park in the inpatient area
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Patient Environment Program (PEP) established  
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1989  
Sponsored Big Apple Circus clowns visit to Pediatrics  
Funded Bone Marrow Transplant Unit Vision Panels  
Installed Nursing Department microwaves  
Sponsored Pediatric Laundry Facility  
Provided Volunteer Beepers  
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Provided $50,000 for those patients needing assistance with housing costs  
Funded Books for the Pediatric Recreation Department Library
Funded coat room clerk
Created parking, telephone fund, and emergency contingency fund
Donated Pharmacy monitors
Pediatric patients Clown Care Program Unit underwritten by Society Board member
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1991
Donated and distributed 600 teddy bears distributed
Renovated Bone Marrow waiting lounge
Provided coffee service for parents of pediatric patients in the day hospital
Funded TV in Discharge Unit
Funded a child psychologist, 2 workers for the playroom, and a full time recreation worker
Donated CD player and disks in MRI unit
Sponsored on-site beauticians on Mother’s Day
Organized adult patient New Year’s Eve party
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1992
- Funded three wheelchairs for the lobby of Memorial Hospital
- Procured 20 TV VCRs for BMTU Patients
- Funded formal study of housing at other major cancer centers in U.S.
- Funded a tape recorder for the Psychology Unit
- Funded gowns for Radiation Oncology
- Funded 14 windowed doors for the Surgical Unit
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- Hung murals in the Nuclear Medicine Building and Enid A. Haupt Pavilion
- Funded cardholders for patients’ rooms
- Sponsored PTRP Newsletter
- Funded Sunday afternoon tea service
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Funded a TV and VCR for Radiology
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1995  Provided Special Times, Special People subscription
Provided patient waiting area with Patient Personal Health & Jeff’s Hospital Book
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1996
Funded the refurbishment of the chapel
Founded the Kids Express Program for children whose parents are dealing with a cancer diagnosis
Sponsored the printing of the Lymphoma book of tips
Replaced the fish tank in Patient Recreation
Sponsored Students with Cancer Program seminar
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Provided art therapy project & art materials
Sponsored the Home Care Guide for Caregivers
Installed TVs in Special Care Unit
Funded wall clocks and calendars
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Funded six computers and monitors for patient waiting areas
Provided the Patient Education Department with 400 self care videos
Sponsored the Psychosocial support group brochures
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2001

Funded three blanket warmers and three blanket warmer carts for the Radiology waiting area
Funded Phase I of the Blood Donor room renovation
Provided children’s books, toys and games for the waiting room of the Counseling Center
Funded TV’s and DVD players for the isolation treatment rooms
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2002
Provided patients with slipper socks
Provided hospital with five recliner chairs
Funded a years subscription of the magazing “Coping with Cancer” for the waiting area of Memorial Hospital
Renovated the nutrition area of the Surgical Day Hospital
Funded videos, books and a VCR for the children’s area of the Harlem Breast Center
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2003
- Funded Phase II of the renovation of the Blood Donor Room
- Provided patients in chemotherapy on M4 with 15 cassette players, 30 head phones, 30 books on tape
- Funded a heated food care for the Department of Pediatrics
- Renovated the waiting room of Radiology
- Underwrote the printing of patient education materials translated to Spanish and Russian
- Since 1996 - Kids Express Program - For children whose parent is dealing with cancer diagnosis
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2004
- Funded the addition of DVD players to 4 GYN and Breast patient rooms
- Matted and framed 40 photographs to be hung in different areas of the Center
- Funded a stereo and CD's for the transplant outpatient area
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2005
Procured 18 Foreign Language Medical Dictionaries
Provided the chemotherapy area of 53rd Street with three blanket warmers
Provided Flat panel display monitor for the computer in the Patients’ Library.
Installed Patient waiting area stereo systems
Organized the Pediatric Prom
Refurbished the Haupt reception area
Funded stereo systems for rehabilitation department
Funded two tea carts
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2006
Installed “Guided Virtual Tour” for surgical patients
Funded Special People, Special Times newsletter for Patient and Family Education
Provided 53rd Street CD’s and players for chemotherapy unit
Funded Bone Marrow Transplant Service Outpatient library
Provided Kimmel Center Kid kits
Sponsored Lymphedema treatment room virtual ceiling and windows
Procured Patient Recreation Department Projector/DVD/Music player
Organized Thanksgiving Celebration for patients and their families
Established adult patient halloween party
Since 2005 - Pediatric Prom (dresses, suits, entertainment, etc.)
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Provided blanket warmer for the ETC chemotherapy unit at 53rd Street
Funded seven LCD/DVD televisions for Blood Donor Room
Provided blanket warmers for M15’s surgical unit
Provided pantry for Harlem Breast Center
Supported Quality of Care Initiative
Provided TV for Radiology waiting area
Renewed a two-year subscription for Coping magazine
Funded Special People, Special Times newsletter
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2008
Supported Crazy for a Cure, an initiative run by a high school student, which funded The Pediatric Support Groups
Associates Committee created “The Pediatric Family Housing Endowment”
Funded the catering for the annual Visible Ink Staged Reading Performance
Supplied Grab ‘N Go Medical Organizer
Sponsored Acupressure course for nurses
Provided Bone Marrow Infusion Suite Blanket Warmer
Funded ICU DVD collection and equipment
Provided Memorial Hospital Lobby Magazine Racks
Procured Patient Orientation Totes
Donated Plush Teddy Bears and Communication board
Provided Six Plants for Memorial Hospital Upper and Lower Lobbies
Funded Special Chairs for the Ambulatory Care Department
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Established PS 183 Art Show
The Society’s Dream Team fulfills 1,500th Adult Patient’s Dream
Fall Party initiative raised funds for Clown Care Endowment
Provided games to the 5th floor of 53rd St.
Funded Blanket Warmer for 53rd Street 4th floor chemotherapy unit
Sponsored Coping Magazine subscription for two years
Financed dental service video eyewear glasses & equipment
Financed Library/Web cafe: Basking Ridge 2nd floor
Organized Memorial 8th floor Care Givers Group Snack Cart
Funded Sansa Slot MP3 and Radio Players, Memorial 12th floor
Provided Sleepy Hollow Blanket warmer and coffee machine
Sponsored tea carts
Sponsored blinds and drapes for York Avenue entrance windows
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**2010**
- Financed 515 Madison Sky Ceilings
- Funded 515 Madison Sound System
- Sponsored 53rd Street Portable Multimedia Players
- Provided 67th Street Waiting Area Television
- Began collecting MSK employee art
- Provided Bone Marrow Transplant Unit Snack Cart
- Funded E.Z. Communication Board
- Fall Party Initiative raised funds for the Pediatric Family Housing Endowment
- Donated Information Board for the 7th Floor
- Installed lighting dimming fixtures on M7
- Financed Pediatric Bone Marrow Transplant Handbook
- Organized Portable Kitchen
- Sponsored Sleepy Hollow location DVD/CD players and Lending Library
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**2011**
- Funded 53rd Street Art Expressions
- Established adult patient summer carnival in Patient Recreation Department
- Fall Party initiative raised funds for the Pediatric Family Housing Endowment
- Financed I-Pad2 for GI Nursing staff

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Provided Wall Clocks for PACU
Funded “Meditation In a Box”
Sponsored CARE Channel
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Children’s Committee awarded grant for Pediatric medical play teaching tools
Sponsored breast cancer knitting group
Fall Party initiative raised funds for the Pediatric Family Housing Endowment
Provided Food and Nutrition Services tea service upgrade
Organized ICU waiting area tea cart
Funded an iPad- A Necessary Voice When Recovering from Anesthesia/Surgery
Sponsored iPad to enhance patient’s experience with wound & ostomy
Organized lasting impressions - handprints
Funded M12 condolence card program
Sponsored medical self-hypnosis to speed healing from surgery and other treatments
Funded Mobile App for Patients
Provided pocket magnifier with LED light for patients
Provided Radiation Oncology waiting room I pads
Since 2011 - Adult summer carnival
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2013
Provided Basking Ridge with Outside Relaxation Area
Financed sympathy cards for Bone Marrow Transplant Service
Provided Food & Nutrition Services with Digital Picture Frames
Funded mini ipads for GMT Service/Colorectal
Financed ICU Snack Cart
Sponsored ICU Staff Tea Time
Provided coolers to Phase I clinical Trials at 53rd Street Center
Established funding of Rising Voices Choir, adult survivor’s choir and annual event
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- Funded BMT tote bag
- Financed BSK Programs
- Funded Dept. of Surgery Videos
- Sponsored Food & Nutrition Surface Tablet
- Sponsored Food & Nutrition Tea Cart
- Provided funds for ICU iPads
- Financed Kimmel Moving Wall Art
- Organized Haven Hour in M17
- Provided PACU iPads
- Funded Radiation Oncology Roaming Library
- Donated Radiation Oncology Blanket Warmer
- Donated Rockefeller Outpatient Blanket Warmer
- Financed Social Work Tote Bags
- Procured Urgent Care Center Mobile Device Kiosk
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Provided outdoor furniture at West Harrison
Sponsored iPads for 53rd St. Clinical Trials
Financed fountain waterfalls at 60th St. outpatient center
Installed Whisper Waves at 64th St. Center
Donated condolence cards for bereavement to Gynecology M10
Supplied Blue Skies at Critical Care Unit M17
Funded care packages for overnight family members in M18 Thoracic Surgery
Provided Children's Activity Box (CAB) on patient floors of Memorial Hospital
Donated patients e-book library in Patient Recreation Department
Sponsored patients, family & friends snack & beverage cart in Patient Recreation Department
Donated iPads for patients with tracheotomies
Coordinated pediatric support group
Financed book carousel in Rehab Service (515 Madison Ave)
Installed Happy Lights in Rehab Service (515 Madison Ave)
Underwrote Visible Ink Fall Literary Festival
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“Time and time again The Society has provided the essential initial support that has seeded research initiatives which have been translated into better treatments for cancers of childhood, catalyzed development of better support systems that have reduced the short term and long term toxicities of cancer and its treatment, and provided for the extension of new treatments to patients, both children and adults, throughout the nation.”

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Feline Leukemia Virus Study |
| 1974 |          | Immunology & Dermatology Fellowship  
R. A. Good, MD  
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| 1975 | L. Anderson, MD  
Drs. M. Murphy & M Schwartz | Carcinogenic Susceptibility Study  
Pediatric Clinical Research |
| 1976 | M. de Sousa, MD  
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Various physicians | Lymphocyte Distribution Study  
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Advanced Oncology Nurse Practitioner Program |
| 1977 | L. Anderson, MD  
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M. de Sousa, MD  
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Drs. R. C. Watson & J. L. Laughlin | Carcinogenic Susceptibility Studies  
Candida Species Infections Project  
Analysis of Lyphocyte Function  
Zinc, Aging & Leukemia Project  
Centrifugal Analyzer  
Radiation Dosage in Radiographic Breast Examination |
| 1978 | F. Chu, MD  
N. Day, MD  
W. P. L. Myers, MD  
Herbert F. Oettgen, MD  
M. de Sousa, MD | Hyperthermia and Radiation Therapy  
Analysis of Antigen-Antibody Complexes in Cancer  
Audiovisual Program  
Destruction of Cancer Cells by the Immune System  
Lymphocyte Research |
| 1979 | D. Armstrong, MD  
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Society Funded Education Projects
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These programs are supported through fundraising undertaken by The Society through special events and through the establishment of dedicated endowments for education programs, most recently The Society of MSK Prize Endowment, established in 2016 to celebrate The Society’s 70th Anniversary. We are grateful to the many individuals, corporations, and foundations who have contributed to these efforts.

“The Society has been consistently dedicated to MSK’s educational mission for many years. From their very first Board meeting seventy years ago, Society members have supported the development of information to better understand cancer and how to prevent and treat the disease in all its forms. Their newest education initiative, The Society of MSK Prize, is a part of that continuum. It will recognize breakthroughs in Pediatric oncology that will educate the medical community and interested parties on advances that will benefit all of humanity.”

Craig B. Thompson, MD
President and Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Sloan Kettering
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<td>1947</td>
<td>• Education and Docent Committees organized seven lectures for Board members called “Know Memorial”&lt;br&gt;• 9 Society Members trained as tour guides&lt;br&gt;• Education Committee published Memorial Review</td>
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<td>• Sponsored lecture series with the theme of “Responsibility-the New World in Cancer”</td>
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| 1981 | • Postdoctoral research fellowships in clinical nutrition |
| 1982 | • Co-sponsored first Health Education Seminar with MSK Development about surgery in cancer treatment and bone marrow transplantation  
• Since 1987 - Society Docents monthly lunch and tour (“box lunch tours”) |
• HES included talk on “Estrogen: Pros and Cons” and two workshops and a docent-led tour of Rockefeller Research Laboratories  
• Since 1987 - Society Docents monthly lunch and tour (“box lunch tours”) |
• HES workshops discussed nursing, nutrition, and emotional needs of cancer patient  
• Society Docents assisted in HES and secured speakers for 9 monthly Board meetings  
• Since 1987 - Society Docents monthly lunch and tour (“box lunch tours”) |
| 1985 | • “Women of the Nineties: Women Taking Control to Prevent Cancer”  
• Since 1987 - Society Docents monthly lunch and tour (“box lunch tours”)  
• Recovered Patients’ Newsletter |
| 1986 | • Founded Society Docents |
| 1987 | • Society Docents initiated Monday lunch program for Board, friends, and doctors |
| 1988 | • HES |
| 1989 | • HES - “Campaign Against Cancer in the 90s”  
• Since 1987 - Society Docents monthly lunch and tour (“box lunch tours”) |
| 1990 | • HES - “The Changing Face of Cancer: Treatment and Research”  
(Held two sessions, one during the week, one on the weekend) |
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• HES - “Nutrition and Cancer” |
| 1998 | • HES - “Implications of Modern Biology, Treatment and Prevention of Breast and Prostate Cancer”  
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| 1999 | • Establishment of an Integrative Medicine Information Program  
• HES - “Lung Cancer: Myths and Facts”  
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| 2001 | • HES - “The Skin Cancer Story: Keeping Your Skin Healthy and Understanding the Risks and Warning Signs of Skin Cancer”  
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| 2002 | • HES - “A New Era in Cancer Research: From Bench to Bedside”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2003 | • HES - “Breast Cancer: Progress and Promise”  
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| 2004 | • HES - “End of Life Issues: Finding Hope, Meaning & Value”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2005 | • HES - “What is Knowledge?: Navigating Cancer Facts in the Media”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2006 | • HES - “Translational Research: Turning Discoveries into Treatments”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2007 | • HES - “Survivorship: Living Beyond Cancer”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2008 | • HES - “All In The Family: Clinical Genetics”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2009 | • HES - “Caring While Curing: Treating the Whole Patient and Family”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2010 | • HES - “Hot Topics: Leading-Edge Information That Can Change Your Life”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2011 | • HES - “Skin Savers: Everything You Wanted to Know about Skin Cancer but Were Afraid to Ask”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2012 | • HES - “Immunotherapy: The Next Steps in Cancer Control”  
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work |
| 2013 | • HES - “New Hope for Curing Lung Cancer: The Truth about Smoking, Screening, and Survivorship”  
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| 2015 | • HES - “Advancements in Precision Imaging: Detection, Treatments, Outcomes”  
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2016

• HES - “Cancer Caregiving: How MSK Prepares and Supports You - the Modern Caregiver”
• Inauguration of The Society Digest, a Monthly e-Newsletter
• Establishment of The Society of MSK Prize, in recognition of important contributions to the field of Pediatrics. Inaugural recipient is Dr. Richard J. O’Reilly
• Since 1997 - Fellowship Program for Oncology Social Work
Accuracy of Information

While the information contained in this document has been presented with all due care, The Society of MSK does not have a comprehensive archive of historical records of all of our programs and activities since our founding in 1946. We have done our best to review all of the records available to our team in 2016 to offer a view of the impact of The Society’s efforts over these past 70 years. We offer our apologies in advance for any omissions or inaccuracies that may be inadvertently contained herein.

Should you have further information on The Society’s history and programs that you wish to share, please contact The Society’s Executive Director, Ellen Haddigan, at 212-639-7972.
With Gratitude

True to the vision of its founders, the Society of MSK remains an organization as innovative today as it was at any time in its history.

In 1997, at our 50th Anniversary, The Society had raised approximately $123 million. As we mark our 70th Anniversary, The Society has raised an estimated $231 million since its founding in support of cancer research, patient care, and education programs for the benefit of the MSK community.

The fundraising that is integral to our mission could not have been achieved without the generosity and caring of countless individuals who have contributed generously of their resources, including money, time, and ideas.

We offer profound gratitude to The Society’s members, friends and the public who have supported our efforts in the past and to those who will do so in the years to come.
A Special Thanks

We wish to thank the staff of The Society of MSK without whom none of our many projects could be achieved.

In preparation for this commemorative document of the history of our programs, we thank the members of our team that went above and beyond with researching our archives to assemble these lists of programs. We thank in particular Megan Mitchell and Jessica Spieth, with very special thanks to Anna Romagnoli for her tireless efforts to prepare this document.
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