

Chronic Illness

- **Cancer**
 - Community Cancer Services Heather's House
 - 208-255-2301
 - Reach to Recovery, American Cancer Society
 - 208-263-4744
 - North Idaho Cancer Support Group – for anyone touched by cancer; 1:30-3 p.m. Wednesdays, Lake City Community Church, 6000 Ramsey Road, Coeur d'Alene; (208) 773-5495.
 - Man to Man: Prostate Cancer Support Group – meets the first Thursday of every month, 7-9 p.m., Kootenai Health's classrooms, 2003 Lincoln Way; (208) 765-5020 or (208) 666-3828.
 - Cancer Community Charities (3Cs) - General meetings held at noon on the second Wednesday of each month at the Elks Club, 1170 W. Prairie Ave., Hayden. 772-1820.
 - Women's Cancer Support Group – For those who have cancer or are cancer survivors, Mondays, noon-1 p.m. at Kootenai Health's Post Falls Cancer Center, 1440 E. Mullan Ave., (208) 666-3800 or 619-4138.
 - Cancer Support Group - meets Wednesdays, 1-2:30 p.m. at at Kootenai Health; contact Maggie at (208) 666-2684; www.kmc.org.
- **Parkinson's**
 - Parkinson's Support Group – meets at noon on the second Wednesday of each month at the rehabilitation gym at LaCrosse Health and Rehab, 210 LaCrosse, Coeur d'Alene; (208) 664-2185.
- **Multiple Sclerosis**
 - Sandpoint Multiple Sclerosis Support Group – 208-265-5228
 - Multiple Sclerosis Support Group – A support group for people with MS meets from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. on the second Monday of the month, except for June through August, at Hunter's, 615 N. Spokane St, Post Falls. (208) 818-2150
- **Fibromyalgia**
 - North Co. Fibromyalgia Support Group
 - 265-5838
- **Cardiopulmonary**
 - Mended Hearts Cardiopulmonary Support Group – Meets the third Thursday of each month at 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the third floor classroom at Kootenai Health's Heart Center, 2003 Lincoln Way. (208) 666-2897.
- **HIV / AIDS**
 - HIV/AIDS Support Group – meets 7-9 p.m. the first, third and fourth Wednesdays of each month at Hospice in Coeur d'Alene; (208) 769-6254.
 - AIDS Coalition – For meetings information, call the North Idaho AIDS Coalition, (208) 665-1448; in Spokane, call the Inland Northwest AIDS Coalition, (208) 622-0721.
- **Brain Injuries**
 - Brain Injury Association of Idaho – seeking persons with brain injuries, relatives, professionals and interested community members to join; write to BIA-Idaho, P.O. Box 414, Boise, ID 83701-0414; (888) 374-3447.

- **ALS**
 - ALS Association - meets the second Tuesday of every month from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Hospice of North Idaho, 9493 N. Government Way, Hayden. 1-877-201-3610.
- **Alzheimer's**
 - Alzheimer's Support Group – meets the third Saturday of every month, 1:30-3 p.m., Kootenai Health's classrooms; (208) 772-2542.
 - Alzheimer's Association - The Alzheimer's Association, Inland Northwest Chapter is a voluntary health organization providing information, educational materials, support groups, newsletters, in-service training, senior companions, lending library, and respite for families, friends, and organizations in caring for those with Alzheimer's disease and related disorders. 24 Hour Helpline 800-272-3900
 - Daybreak Center - DayBreak provides respite - an often much-needed break - to the caregivers of adults with Alzheimer's disease, dementia and other types of memory loss. 208-265-8127 or 208-263-6860
- **Visually Impaired**
 - American Council for the Blind - (202) 467-5081 (800) 424-8666
 - American Foundation for the Blind - 800-232-5463
 - Guide Dog Foundation - 800-548-4337
 - Idaho Commission for the Visually Impaired - 208-292-1406 or 208-769-7077
 - Peer Support Group for the visually impaired
 - 208-255-8879, britt@whoi.edu

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