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Edition

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TO DESCRIBE THIS BOOK—TERRIFIC!"

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CHILDHOOD CANCER

*A Parent's Guide
to Solid Tumor Cancers*

Kidney Tumors



Liver Tumors



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**Childhood Cancer: A Parent's Guide to Solid Tumor
Cancers (Childhood Cancer Guides)**



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Each year more than 6,000 children and teens in the usa are diagnosed with a solid tumor (e.g. The illnesses and their remedies can have devastating results on family, friends, schoolmates, and the larger community., kidney tumor, liver tumor, neuroblastoma, retinoblastoma, or sarcoma). This newly updated edition contains important information families need during this difficult time. It includes descriptions of the most recent treatments, such as computer-assisted medical procedures, tandem stem cell transplants, and targeted therapies along with practical information about how to cope with diagnosis, surgical procedure, hospitalization, school, and funds.practical, poignant, moving, funny- Woven throughout the text are true stories- from more than 100 children with cancer, their siblings, and their parents.



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I wish I possibly could send a copy to every parent who needs it! This reserve (and the others in the series) are that essential. A MUST HAVE reserve for parents whose kid has cancer. All parents with kids who have a solid tumor need this book. It is all written in lay language, so parents can understand hard medical terminology and ideas, and it even presents tips about queries to talk to the doctors before making medical decisions. We've been able to find references to everything we've encountered up to now. It is not a straightforward read by any means so far as accepting the realities of experiencing a child with cancer, nonetheless it is necessary. The non-public stories that are included also help validate what parents and children are emotions and helps them know they aren't only in this encounter. The entire Childhood Cancers series is exceptional and exclusive. I cannot imagine going right through the experience of experiencing a kid with cancer without the support and assets these books offer. I have not found a more comprehensive, and readable, source for parents and households going through the challenge of childhood malignancy. I recommend this book for anyone who has a child going right through cancer and is certainly hungry for information. An essential source for anyone with a kid battling a good tumor cancer! This book is a fantastic resource. It covers everything from what to anticipate in treatment, to exams and procedures, to looking after your marriage and family members during the cancer fight. My daughter was identified as having embryonal rhabdomyosarcoma of the bladder in 2012. I WISH I would have had this book offered by the beginning of her treatment! Our go-to for information, great resource! Got this book at the beginning of our 43 week treatment solution with our 6 calendar year old who was diagnosed with Rhabdomyosarcoma. It has become our go-to anytime we've a question about her health, her disposition, her symptoms. Being told your son or daughter has cancer may be the stuff of nightmares.. We also struggled with certain medications. anything. Why is this book so helpful is that it is compiled by parents with resided experience, and reviewed by medical experts. When we require it most, we're in a position to find information here. There is quite a bit of information about going through radiation, whether or not to use sedation and what things to expect.. Great insight about medicines, what they do and what the side results are. I learned more from this publication than any pharmacist I talked to. Our daughter experienced 6 weeks of daily radiation. I highly recommend this book and almost every other in the series. That is an excellent resource! This fresh edition, with updated info, is a must for any parent who includes a child diagnosed with a solid tumor. A crash training course in the wonderful world of childhood tumor all in a single place. Everything in this edition of the book hit the nail on the top on from my daughters methods of getting a diagnosis, to treatment (all scenarios), medical operation, and after treatment. The consent forms come fast and furious. With such a steep learning curve and an

emotionally overpowering environment, malignancy parents need immediate usage of the essentials to get them up to speed. It is full of information regarding every aspect of handling every type of solid tumors -- from treatment decisions, medications, unwanted effects, and functioning with doctors and insurance companies, to the effect on siblings, feelings of parents, working with schools, ways to find support, and strategies for relatives and buddies members. Thus, you get both the personal part and the medical understanding all in a single place. If your child is recently diagnosed or you understand someone who is, get them this book! I came across I browse in chunks over a brief period of time, let myself cry it out, and had taken the next step forward equipped to look after my child, advocate, and have the right questions. A must have for parents of children with solid tumors This book definitely covers it all! I've a daughter who just finished chemotherapy for heptablastoma. This book is an excellent collection of all the things you need to know to start navigating through the nightmare up to date. But now they have arrive out with the 3rd addition, it is so much better or more to date. When you kid is diagnosed you need to become a momcologist/dadcologist immediately as you become your child's primary advocate, caregiver, triage nurse, treatment coordinator, and researcher. This book (like all of the Childhood Cancer guides) educates parents to help them make the best decisions for their child Childhood cancer hits and the globe changes immediately. Parents need reliable information that they can understand and relate to. Internet searches can bring an excessive amount of, too confusing, and occasionally wrong information. This book (like all the Childhood Cancer manuals) educates parents to greatly help them make the best decisions because of their child. Fantastic resource An essential instruction for any parent of a child with a good tumor cancer. Essential for every single cancer parent! As a mother or father of two children who've had cancer, I understand how important it is to be informed and this book hits it out-of-the-recreation area. With solid medical info as well as terms of experience from parents, I have provided these books to countless other parents in my function as a childhood tumor advocate. This book addresses everything a parent needs to know, from analysis to ways to get good treatment to how to deal with side effects and psychological trauma. It's great to see this recently updated 3rd edition of Childhood Cancer! Great resource references too. The tales from parents and individuals help parents of the recently diagnosed know that they're not alone. This book is an excellent collection of everything you need to know The truth is, though, that you are the parent and there are things to understand, decisions to be made, the practicalities of life to coordinate. Our doctors provided us the next edition of this book which was great. It's well-arranged so that you can quickly discover what you need and don't need, and it's full of sufficient personal anecdotes to inform you that others have

been through what you're coping with and know very well what it's really like. Highly recommended.



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