CCAM

CHILDREN CANCER ASSOCIATION MALAYSIA



OUR STORY

At 6 years old, our founder Lavaniyah's daughter, Mahiyaa Bala was diagnosed with a rare form of Leukemia. Since then, Lavaniyah caring for her daughter as she received medical treatment in Malaysia and Singapore which led her to have close contact with the parents of children with cancer who have not been covered by insurance or financially supported.

Recognizing a need for financial support for families battling cancer and skyrocketing medical bills, in 2022, Lavaniyah founded CCAM a Malaysia-registered charity that provides financial support for the treatment of children with cancer and their caregivers.

Our Mission

A Malaysia where no child dies of cancer because of poverty, and no parent receives a hospital bill to save their child's life.

We envision a nation where every child has access to timely, free, and high-quality cancer care regardless of income, race, or postcode

Our Vision

At CCAM, our mission is to:

- Raise childhood cancer survival rates in Malaysia to 90% by year 2030.
- Eliminate treatment abandonment through fully subsidized care
- Support families beyond treatment with survivorship and after-care services
- Champion early detection and public awareness

Partner with MOH, WHO, and global leaders to bring world-class treatment protocols to Malaysian soil.



OUR POLICIES

The Children Cancer Association Malaysia as a non-profit organization it ensures donors' donation is spent as efficiently and effectively as possible.

The fund is strictly for paying the medical bills directly to the hospital, and shall not be transferable to any other applicant or converted to cash.

All funds collected on behalf of the patient will be directly paid to the hospital and after the deduction of expenses for treatment or surgery, the fund shall be returned to the committee to be utilized as CCAM deem fit.

The association appointed auditors to assures accountability and transparency through its oversight of internal controls, compliance, ethics, and accounting processes and practices.

As registered with the Registry of Society Ministry, CCAM practices the highest standards of organizational integrity.



… because children can't ***fight Cancer alone.***

FACTS ABOUT CANCER

Cancer is one of the deadliest diseases in Malaysia and accounted for 6,268 deaths in 2016. It is not just fatal, but cancer is also costly.

- **Almost 60% of cancers in Malaysia are detected late due to the low rate of early health screening**
- **Medical treatment cost is snowballing at 12.7% every year**
- **6 in 100000 Malaysians CHILDREN will develop cancer by the age of 6 years.**
- **Close to half of the Malaysian cancer patients are financially broke a year after diagnosis**
- **A family member may need to quit his or her job to assume the role of a caregiver.**
- **High-cost medical treatments which can go up to hundreds of thousand Ringgit, hidden costs such as alternative treatment, caregiver, medicine and loss of income, can also have a substantial impact on the family's finances.**

(Published by Malaysia National Cancer Registry 2012-2016)

A cancer diagnosis can be emotionally draining not just for the patient, but also his or her family and friends. You might feel as if you don't have the energy to deal with the financial implications, but the biggest mistake most people make is waiting until finances become a problem before they discuss the costs with the healthcare team

> *... can you **afford** to be sick?*



IN THE NEWS

- Cancer Cases In Kids Below Six Rising By 250 Cases Yearly
- According to the National Cancer Registry Report, Malaysia reported a total of 4,408 cancer cases involving children aged six and below from 2007 to date.
- Malaysia's incidence rate for cancer in children aged six and below is at 6 per 100,000 population, with an estimated 200 to 250 new cancer cases reported each year.
- A total of 4,408 cancer cases involving children aged six and below had been reported from 2007 until now.
- By gender, male children dominated with an incidence of 2.5 per 100,000 population and female children with an incidence of 2 per 100,000 population. By ethnicity, Malays have the highest incidence rate, followed by ethnic Chinese and Indians.
- The five main types of cancer among children in this age group are leukaemia, brain and spinal cord tumours, lymphoma, bone cancer, and eye cancer.
- Assume 13.1% medical inflation in the next 10 years

- By CodeBlue | 15 April 2022



In Singapore, a removal of cancer and a small amount of surrounding tissue, costs between RM4,304 – RM6,633 hospital for foreigners, and between RM14,732 – RM21,533 in a private hospital. Cart t cell therapy will cost RM1.2 M in Singapore and its available only in Singapore in whole Asia region….

Cancer Treatment Service & Supplies Charges

Difference between Private vs Public Healthcare in Malaysia

We have utmost respect for public healthcare but the fact is that it is overcrowded, underfunded and staff is overworked.

During emergency, private healthcare is a more viable option.

Type of Charges	Private Hospital (up to) RM	Public Hospital (average) RM
Ambulance Fees	200	50
Consultation Fees	250	1
CT Scan	1,000	450
Angiography	2,500	75
Blood Test	100	1
General Anesthesia	1,000	Free
MRI Scans	1,200	700
X Ray	80	1
Ultrasound	300	100
Bone Marrow Transplant	750,000	70,000
PAT Scan	4,000	1,000

SOURCE: *www.prudential.malaysia*



Important Note :
Any financial assistances generated by CCAM & its donors will be paid directly to the hospitals only. We do not make payment to any personal bank accounts.

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With your financial support, we can grant more life-changing wishes, and bring joy back to the lives of critically ill children. Your contribution can be made one time or recurring as generous as you are to :

Pertubuhan Kanser Kanak-Kanak Malaysia
(Children Cancer Association Malaysia)

Bank: Hong Leong Bank

Account Number: 21400086276

Once the donation has been made, please email the transaction slip to ccam.national@gmail.com



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