

Hope

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Please detach and mail to: OROC P.O. Box 40332 Bay Village, OH 44140

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Why

Why Ovarian Cancer?

- This year, 28,000 women in the U.S. will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer. Unfortunately, another 14,000 will die.
- At the current time, no reliable early detection test exists for ovarian cancer. As the medical community has proven with other cancers like prostate and breast, early- detection tests save lives. OROC strives to ensure that early-detection testing will become a routine part of annual gynecological exams.
- Like most cancers, if ovarian cancer is detected early, it is a manageable disease with a much higher survival rate. Women with ovarian cancer usually present with a constellation of symptoms including sensations women describe as "feeling tired" "full" and/or experiencing "sudden weight gain/increased abdominal circumference" or "bloating" or "sudden weight loss." Changes in bladder patterns and/or bowel function can also occur.
- Family medical history can provide essential clues to a predisposition to ovarian and other female cancers. Women need to become more aware of their medical history and assess their cancer risks.

How

How Can I Support OROC?

- Make an individual contribution
- Become a corporate donor or sponsor
- Volunteer time
- Participate in an OROC event
- Become more knowledgeable about ovarian cancer: contact us to find out how
- Tell a friend about OROC

OROC reaches out to individual and corporate donors and volunteers to increase ovarian cancer awareness and make a difference in research efforts, with a special emphasis on early detection. If you or your organization would like to support OROC, please complete the attached form. You may also call the OROC information hotline at 440.915.5388.

Expanding The Circle of Hope:

Cleveland medical researchers are leading national research efforts into ovarian and other female cancers. We live in a community with institutions and people that can make a world of difference. For a complete list of physicians and medical experts on OROC's Medical Advisory Board, please visit our website at...

www.oroc.org.

What

What is OROC?

Outrun Ovarian Cancer, or "OROC," is a not-for-profit, volunteer-driven, 501 (c)(3) organization.

OROC is dedicated to creating an active community of hope and empowerment for those touched by ovarian cancer through awareness, education and early detection.

Since its inception in October of 2003, OROC has spearheaded numerous ovarian cancer awareness events throughout Greater Cleveland and, in November of 2004, expanded into Chicago. OROC has also garnered the support of physicians and researchers representing major medical institutions in both cities.

Proceeds raised by OROC go toward ovarian cancer awareness programs and research, with a special emphasis on early detection.



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