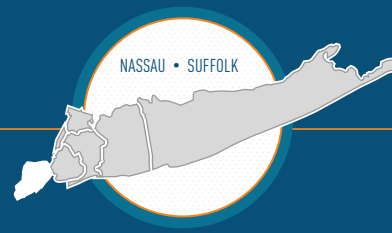


# Stony Brook Cancer Center

## Community Cancer Prevention in Action



PROGRESS TO DATE

MAY 2024

Through the Community Cancer Prevention in Action Program (CPiA), Stony Brook Cancer Center is **bringing cancer prevention** education, resources, practices and policies to **local communities** within **Nassau and Suffolk Counties**.

- education
- resources
- practices
- policies



## We are taking action...



**RAISING AWARENESS** about practicing sun safety and the dangers of indoor tanning.



**HELPING COMMUNITY PARTNERS** adopt and implement their own policies to aid in the prevention of skin cancer.



**EDUCATING** the public about the HPV vaccine as an effective method of cancer prevention.

## ...and seeing results!



**133 MEDIA PLACEMENTS**



**50 DECISION MAKERS MEETINGS**



**155 COMMUNITY EDUCATION EVENTS**



**29 ORGANIZATIONAL POLICIES ADOPTED**



**11 SITES WITH SUN SAFE ENVIRONMENTAL SUPPORTS**



GET THE FACTS. REDUCE THE RISK. SPREAD THE WORD.

[TakeActionAgainstCancer.com](http://TakeActionAgainstCancer.com)

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# Thank You

## to Our Partners for Adopting a Cancer Prevention Policy:

- Adventureland
- Patchogue Community Garden
- Great South Bay Music Festival
- Mid-Island Y JCC
- Suffolk Y JCC
- Kids Need More
- Stony Brookside Bed & Bike Inn
- Suffolk County Farm
- Comiskey Park Music Festival
- Fred Terry & Son's Farm
- Steel Sports at Lasorda Legacy Park
- East Coast Nurseries
- Walk With a Doc: Long Island Health Collaborative Chapter
- Long Island Aquarium
- Long Island Canoe Kayak Rentals
- Long Island Grower's Market
- Splish Splash
- Stony Brook Child Care
- Kesem at Stony Brook University
- The Community Garden at Stony Brook University

## Here's how our partners are taking action against cancer:

### ADOPTING POLICIES

Our partners are adopting lasting policies to support cancer prevention amongst their staff, youth, and visitors.

### PROMOTING CANCER PREVENTION

- Encouraging the use of hats, sunscreen, and protective clothing when outside
- Installing sunscreen dispensers making free sunscreen available
- Adding shade protection to provide sun-safe outdoor spaces
- Installing signs with reminders of the importance of cancer prevention
- Raising awareness that the HPV vaccine is safe and effective cancer prevention
- Providing cancer prevention education to staff, youth, and visitors
- Reducing barriers to practicing prevention and increasing access to prevention education and resources



## Learn more about CPiA and how Stony Brook Cancer Center is taking action against cancer in Nassau and Suffolk Counties:

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