

# PEDIATRIC CANCER: AN URGENT NEED

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Cancer is the leading cause of death by disease in children under 19 years of age in the US



Every year, an estimated 300,000+ new cases of cancer affect children worldwide – that's over 800 new kids affected every day



One in 285 in the U.S. will be diagnosed with cancer by the time they are 20 years old



Childhood cancer survivors are twice as likely to suffer chronic health conditions



One quarter of childhood cancer survivors face a late effect from treatment that is classified as severe or life-threatening



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