Survivors Teaching Students: Educating the medical professionals of tomorrow



There is no early detection test for ovarian cancer, symptoms are often vague and many people don't know their risk factors. It's not surprising then that most cases aren't diagnosed until the disease is advanced and survival is compromised.

OCRA's Survivors Teaching Students
(STS) program enhances rising
healthcare providers' understanding
of ovarian cancer symptoms and risk
factors in order to facilitate earlier
diagnosis, and better treatment and care.

900+
volunteers reaching students each year schools

Survivors Teaching Students brings volunteers into classrooms of rising health professionals

These volunteers share their personal stories and crucial messages about risk factors, symptoms and treatment of ovarian cancer. Whether in person or virtually, survivors and caregivers step into the classrooms of medical and nursing schools, nurse practitioner and physician assistant programs, and other allied health programs. In doing so, they reach the next generation of healthcare providers in an impactful and lasting way.

To bring STS volunteers to your school or program, or to volunteer as an STS presenter, contact 212-268-1002 or visit ocrahope.org/sts.

OCRA is the world's leader in fighting ovarian cancer, battling the disease from all fronts: in the lab and on Capitol Hill, and through innovative programs to support patients and their families.







