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Patrick Comer Courage Foundation PO Box 282 Princeton, MA 01541-0282

Dear Mr. Comer,

On behalf of the Taussig Cancer Institute and our patients, I am writing to thank you for your generous donation to the Barb Leslie Memorial Fund. Your gift will have a direct impact on our cancer patients who need financial assistance to bridge the financial gap between insurance, social service programs and out of pocket expenses.

A cancer diagnosis is life changing. Patients and loved ones are plagued by feelings of fear, stress and anxiety. Financial hardship places even greater stress on cancer patients from our local communities who don't have the funds or resources to navigate their illness and course of treatment. Your donation to the Barb Leslie Memorial Fund will help alleviate some of the financial burdens experienced by these patients. Because of your support, our social workers at Taussig are able to provide assistance with medications, supplies, equipment, transportation, housing or other services for those in great need.

The patient support programs at the Taussig Cancer Institute rely solely on the philanthropic support of individuals like you, and would not be available otherwise. We are sincerely grateful for your engagement in our efforts to provide comprehensive cancer care to our patients and their loved ones. Thank you for being an extension of our caregiving team.

Warm regards,

Megan Kilbane

Taussig Cancer Institute Administrator