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# Lane County Local Impact Report

Since 1946, ACS has invest more than \$4.3 billion in cancer research. ACS is currently funding 787 research grants nationwide, totaling \$4 million. This includes eleven research grants in Oregon, totaling \$3,848,000 million.

In 2014, ACS fulfilled more than 1 million requests for information via the phone, email and online chats.

In 2015, ACS provided services to 465 patients and caregivers in Lane County. Of those, 282 were newly diagnosed and 32 were uninsured or on Medicaid.

82 women were served through the Look Good...Feel Better program to help women maintain their appearance while undergoing cancer treatment.

279 one way trips were made with Road to Recovery by volunteer-operated transportation bringing patients to and from treatment.

Provided 78 nights of free or reduced cost lodging to Lane County patients traveling long distance to treatment.

Offered 164 wigs and gift items, such as scarves and hats to Lane County residents.

### HOW YOUR DOLLARS MAKE A DIFFERENCE

With your help, we aren't just fighting one type of cancer - we're fighting for every birthday threatened by every cancer in every community.

By investing in groundbreaking research, we're getting results that help us better understand cancer causes and cures.

We help you take steps to prevent cancer or find it at its earliest, most treatable stage.

We're here 24 hours a day, seven days a week to help people with cancer and their families, offering reliable cancer information and free services, like transportation to/from treatment.

Through our advocacy affiliate the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN), we work with lawmakers everywhere to make the world a healthier place to live.

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