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Julie brings experience in both oncology and education to her role as an oncology nurse navigator. She received a BS in nursing from Biola University and there discovered her passion for working with cancer patients. Then Julie received her MS in nursing education. Throughout her nursing career, she has loved caring for pediatric and adult oncology patients and is an integral part of the team at Hearst Cancer Resource Center. Julie is a Central Coast native and is grateful to serve the patients at HCRC by providing navigation, education, and connection to resources. She values delivering health care with compassion and empathy with a commitment to whole – person care, qualities she exemplifies as a nurse navigator.

## MEET OUR NURSE NAVIGATOR

The Hearst Cancer Resource Center and French Hospital Medical Center are pleased to offer this valuable service at no cost to all cancer patients.

### Hearst Cancer Resource Center

# Nurse Navigator Program

When you are diagnosed with cancer, it is crucial to quickly coordinate all aspects of care. Our Nurse Navigator helps guide, advocate for, and support those who find themselves undergoing a complicated diagnostic process.

#### No cost services include:

- Facilitating access to services before diagnosis, through treatment and survivorship
- Provides information regarding cancer diagnosis, treatment, genetic testing, and local cancer care
- Making patient time with health care providers more productive by assisting patients with identifying their immediate concerns to address with their doctor
- Access to financial and social services
- Finding transportation and/or mileage reimbursements for travel to appointments

Please note that the Nurse Navigator makes *no direct referrals* to physicians, but rather facilitates access to practitioners chosen by their treating physicians.

**For more information or to contact Julie, please call the Hearst Cancer Resource Center at 805.542.6234**



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We can help you put the pieces together.