



MEET HOPE HEAD ON.

A Future Without Brain Tumors Relies on Your Unwavering Support

The need to accelerate groundbreaking research and expand patient care services has never been greater. Brain tumors remain incredibly difficult to treat due to the blood-brain barrier and its profound resistance to standard treatments. While progress has been made, more must be done.



Robert Johnson Pituitary Survivor & ABTA Mentor

Melanie Johnson Caregiver & ABTA Mentor



The Brain Tumor Community Needs Your Help

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BRAIN TUMORS ARE RELENTLESS

There is no early detection, no prevention, few treatment options, and no cure.

1.1 million children & adults in the United States are living with a primary or metastatic brain tumor.

800+ children & adults are diagnosed with a primary or metastatic brain tumor every single day.

18,000+ adults will likely die from primary cancerous brain and CNS tumors this year.

Brain cancer is the 10th leading cause of death in adults and the #1 cause of cancer death in children.

Only 3 new treatments for brain tumors have been discovered in the past 20 years.

We See Hope on the Horizon

Meet Hope Head On is a five-year \$50-million campaign that will give us the resources we need to triple our research investment, double the patients we serve, and double federal funding for brain tumor research.

We are determined to meet hope head on.



Ralph DeVitto President and CEO, ABTA

Ram Subramanian Chair of the Board, ABTA



Susan Kramer Founder, ABTA

Imagine a Future Where Not One Life Is Lost to a Brain Tumor

Now, imagine you helped create it

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TOGETHER, WE CAN DO THIS | OUR 5-YEAR PLAN

- Triple Research Investment
- Double Patients Served
- Double Federal Funding

To learn more about major gift funding opportunities, contact hope@abta.org.

Why: The fastest path to a cure is through science

- Increase funding to foster early-career researchers to pursue high-risk, high-reward research
- Establish a flexible fund to support innovative research
- Invest in large research projects through financial collaboration
- Enhance the ABTA Alumni Research Network to accelerate scientific exchange

HELP US MEET HOPE HEAD ON

Your support turns hope into action

“Five years and \$50 million means an extension of life for many patients and an improved quality of life for many patients and their families. It’s just that simple.”

–Shawn Hervey-Jumper, MD, Associate Professor of Neurological Surgery, UCSF



Help change lives; give now



HOW YOUR DONATION MATTERS

- Accelerates high-risk, high-impact research; \$34 million invested
- Seeds generations of innovative researchers who have the potential to transform the understanding and treatment of brain tumors; 700 researchers funded
- Provides life-changing emotional and educational assistance for patients and caregivers across all ages and tumor types; 100,000+ supported annually
- Helps grow the Patient and Caregiver Mentor Support Program; 995 matches made
- Helps influence government funding of all types of brain tumor research
- Increases disease awareness, education, and advocacy

Make a difference in someone's life every single day

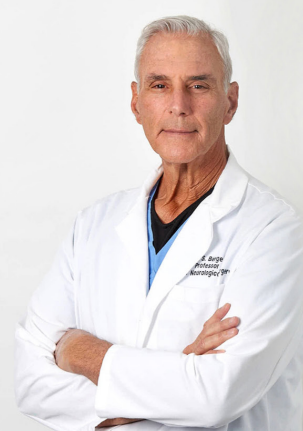
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“Really, the answer comes in research. It’s the research that enables us to better understand this disease, unlock the mysteries behind why the disease forms, how it behaves, and how it could affect the lifespan of an individual.”

–Mitchel Berger, MD, Director of Neurological Surgery, UCSF



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