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**New Member Resources**

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**International Myeloma Foundation Publications**

**IMF Multiple Myeloma Patient Handbook-** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/phb.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/phb.pdf)

**Concise Review of the Disease and Treatment Options** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/concisereview.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/concisereview.pdf)

**Understanding MGUS and Smoldering Myeloma** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-mgus\_smm.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-mgus_smm.pdf)

**Understanding Revlimid®**

[**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-revlimid.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-revlimid.pdf)

**Understanding VELCADE® (bortezomib) for Injection** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-velcade.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-velcade.pdf)

**Understanding Daralex**

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**Understanding Ninlaro**

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**Understanding Dexamethasone and Other Steroids**

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**The Myeloma Patient's Guide to Understanding Your Test Results** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-testresults.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-testresults.pdf)

**Understanding Freelite and Hevylite Tests** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-freelite\_hevylite\_0.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-freelite_hevylite_0.pdf)

**Understanding the Treatment of Myeloma-Induced Compression Fractures** [**https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-vertebralcompressionfractures.pdf**](https://www.myeloma.org/sites/default/files/images/publications/UnderstandingPDF/u-vertebralcompressionfractures.pdf)

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| **Treatment Access/Reimbursement Resources**  ***Organizations that provide or help locate assistance to access drug and treatment information***  **Cancercare Financial assistance and counseling program for patients**  [www.cancercare.org/financial](http://www.cancercare.org/financial)  **Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services**  [www.cms.hhs.gov](http://www.cms.hhs.gov)  Phone: 877-267-2323  **Chronic Disease Fund  Co-pay assistance and therapy management portal**  <https://www.mygooddays.org/for-patients/patient-assistance/>  **The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society-Financial Matters**  <http://www.lls.org/support/financial-support/co-pay-assistance-program>  **Needymeds.org** [www.needymeds.org](http://www.needymeds.org)  **Partnership for Prescription Assistance**  [**https://www.pparx.org/**](https://www.pparx.org/)  **Patient Access Network**  [**https://www.panfoundation.org/index.php/en/**](https://www.panfoundation.org/index.php/en/)  **Patient Advocate Foundation  Case management assistance for insurance, employment and access to care issues** [www.patientadvocate.org](http://www.patientadvocate.org)  **RxAssist Financial assistance program center for patients** [www.rxassist.org](http://www.rxassist.org)  **Social Security Disability & Supplemental Security Income** <http://www.ssa.gov/disability/>      **Pharmaceutical Reimbursement Assistance Programs**  ***Pharmaceutical co-pay and reimbursement assistance programs***  **Amgen Reimbursement Connection**  **Product- Kyprolis** <http://www.amgenassist360.com/>  **Celgene Patient Support Products: Thalomid, Revlimid, Pomalyst** [**https://www.celgenepatientsupport.com/**](https://www.celgenepatientsupport.com/)  **Takeda Patient Assistance**  **Product- Velcade and Ninlaro**  [**http://www.velcade.com/paying-for-treatment**](http://www.velcade.com/paying-for-treatment)  <https://www.ninlaro.com/financial-resources>  **Novartis Patient Assistance Foundation Product – Zometa**  <https://www.pharma.us.novartis.com/sites/www.pharma.us.novartis.com/files/PAP-Pharma-Application-English.pdf>  **Janssen CAREPath**  **Product- Darzalex, PROCRIT, Doxil**  <https://www.darzalex.com/patient-support>  **Bristol Myer Squibb- Access Support**  **Product- Empliciti**  <http://www.bmsaccesssupport.bmscustomerconnect.com/ConsumerIndex?cm_mc_uid=31716495500914848847489&cm_mc_sid_51110000=1484884748>    **Patient Support and Services**  ***Other patient support and resources***  **International Myeloma Foundation Hotline**  Hotline at **800.452.CURE (2873)** between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm Pacific Time  **Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation Patient Support Nurse**  **1-866-603-MMCT(6628)**  **The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society- First Connection Mentoring Program**  Peer to Peer Support  <http://www.lls.org/diseaseinformation/getinformationsupport/supportgroups/peersupport/>  [**4th Angel Patient & Caregiver Mentoring Program**](http://www.4thangel.org/) Part of the Scott Hamilton CARES Initiative  [www.4thangel.org](http://www.4thangel.org)  [**Imerman Angels One-on-One Cancer Su**pport](http://www.imermanangels.org/) Connecting cancer fighters, survivors and caregivers  [www.imermanangel.org](http://www.imermanangel.org)  **Smart Patients Online Patient Community**  <https://www.smartpatients.com/>  [**Cancer Care**](http://www.cancercare.org/)  Counseling program for patients [www.cancercare.org](http://www.cancercare.org)  **American Cancer Society- Patient Services**  [**http://www.cancer.org/treatment/supportprogramsservices/index**](http://www.cancer.org/treatment/supportprogramsservices/index)  [**National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship**](http://www.canceradvocacy.org/)  [www.canceradvocacy.org](http://www.canceradvocacy.org)  [**National Family Caregivers Association**](http://www.nfcacares.org/)  [www.nfcacares.org](http://www.nfcacares.org)  **The Myeloma Crowd**  <http://www.myelomacrowd.org/>  **CureTalks – Myeloma**  [**http://www.curetalks.com/?ref=myeloma**](http://www.curetalks.com/?ref=myeloma)      **Transportation to Treatment**  **American Cancer Society- Road to Recovery**  [**http://www.cancer.org/treatment/supportprogramsservices/road-to-recovery**](http://www.cancer.org/treatment/supportprogramsservices/road-to-recovery)  [**Air Care Alliance**](http://www.aircareall.org/)  [**www.aircareall.org**](http://www.aircareall.org)  [**Corporate Angel Network**](http://www.corpangelnetwork.org/) **–Flights to Treatment**  [**www.corpangelnetwork.org**](http://www.corpangelnetwork.org)  [**Patient AirLift Services**](http://www.palservices.org/)  [**www.palservices.org**](http://www.palservices.org)  [**Patient Travel.org**](http://www.patienttravel.org/)  [**www.patienttravel.org**](http://www.patienttravel.org)  **Other Resources**  **Download the Myeloma Manager Personal Care Assistant- to keep track of blood work**  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