

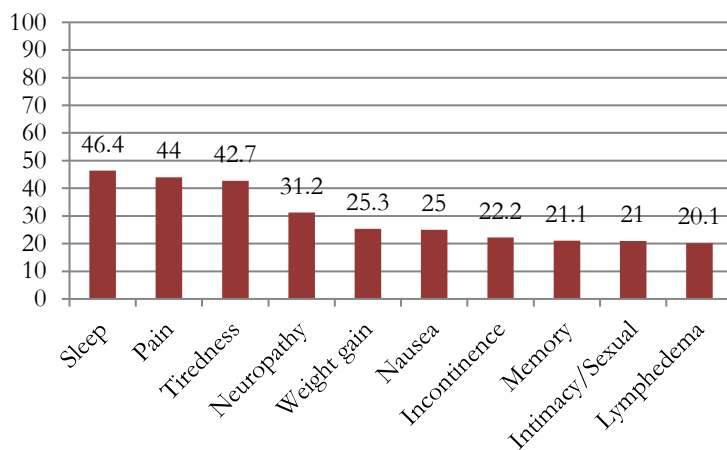
Cancer Survivorship in Georgia

With over 410,740 cancer survivors in Georgia, Georgia CORE is focused on improving the quality of life for survivors. Georgia CORE's Vice President is the Chair of the Survivorship Work Group that focuses on improving cancer survivorship care in the state. Increasing the use of survivorship care plans, treatment summaries, and psychosocial assessment tools in Commission on Cancer-accredited cancer centers are key priorities. A needs assessment was completed in 2014 to identify the greatest unmet needs of cancer survivors in Georgia. Statewide dissemination of this needs assessment is currently underway. From those results, a one-day statewide dialogue exploring the unmet needs and unseen challenges of Georgia's cancer survivors is scheduled on November 3, 2016 at the Carter Center. It will review findings of the survey and engage with experts in panel discussions on: addressing survivors' physical, emotional, practical and spiritual needs, confronting issues faced by survivors of different cultures, exploring best practices across the state, examining national cancer survivorship guidelines, and discussing and encouraging evidence-based research.

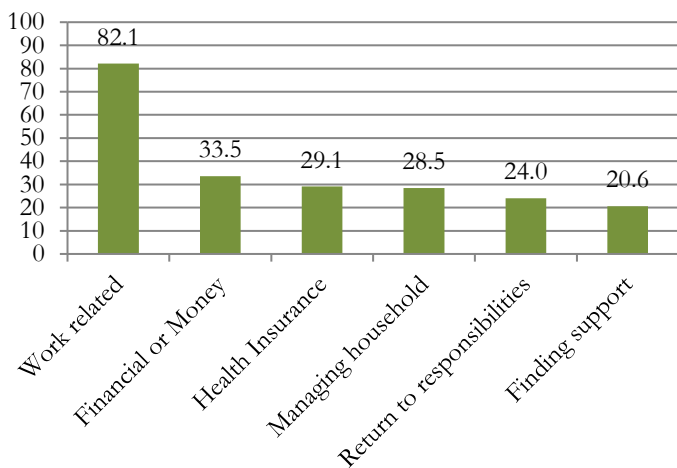
In addition, the **Cancer Survivorship Connection** was launched in July 2014 after Georgia CORE received a gift from a private donor to enhance the state's online cancer information center – GeorgiaCancerInfo.org. It added survivorship information, tools and resources for cancer survivors, caregivers and healthcare professionals.
(www.georgiacancerinfo.org/survivorship/)

2014 Georgia Cancer Survivors Needs Assessment Survey Results

% of Respondents Who Experienced Physical Needs



% of Respondents Who Experienced Practical Needs



% of Respondents Who Experienced Emotional Needs

