



The Café at Providence Cancer Center

A case for support

"Our food should be our medicine. Our medicine should be our food." ■ HIPPOCRATES



Compassionate care involves more than healing the body – it seeks to soothe the mind and the spirit as well.

Providence Cancer Center opened in the spring of 2008 with this goal in mind. That's why, besides providing the finest patient care and clinical research, we offer alternative medicine, a learning library, a meditation room, an appearance center and support counseling.

We need one more piece to make this rounded experience complete: a café.

A restaurant located inside the cancer center building will provide food and comfort to patients and their families. It will be a place to gather, talk and relax. It will be a place to enjoy a freshly brewed cup of coffee or a nutritious meal prepared with locally grown

ingredients. And it will be a place for those coping with a loved one's illness to shed stress and renew their energy.

The café will offer access to outside seating during warm, sunny months. Because it will be close to Providence Child Center, it also will become a destination for parents and children.

Your support will put Providence Cancer Center's final piece in place – and help us heal the mind, body and spirit.

To complete this project by next year, we must raise \$1 million in 2009. We are offering a naming opportunity for the café for half that amount, \$500,000. For more information, please call Providence Portland Medical Foundation at 503-215-6186, or e-mail kelly.buechler@providence.org.

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