

## **Cancer Bridges Announces Executive Director**

PITTSBURGH, PA (June 1, 2022) – Cancer Bridges announced that Stephanie Ciranni has been named Executive Director of the nonprofit providing free programs and services to anyone impacted by a cancer diagnosis.

Ciranni served as the Development Director of Cancer Bridges prior to this appointment. She succeeds Dani Wilson, who held the post for four years. Wilson continues to serve the organization in a volunteer and consultative capacity.

“We are thrilled to welcome Stephanie as our new Executive Director,” said Jack Morrow, Board of Directors Co-Chair. “She brings extensive experience, skills, and enthusiasm to our organization. We look forward to watching the organization grow under her leadership.”

Ciranni’s appointment comes as the organization implements a plan of strategic growth in development and programs, building on the successes of merging two former organizations, Cancer Caring Center and Our Clubhouse, and a phased re-opening of the building for in-person services after over two years of providing all programs and services virtually.

“I am honored to have the opportunity to lead Cancer Bridges through this evolution. I look forward to being a part of the effort to bring the organization to the next level and carrying on our mission in making a positive difference for people impacted by a cancer diagnosis,” Ciranni said.

Ciranni will manage the day-to-day operations for Southwestern Pennsylvania’s most comprehensive independent cancer support community, which provides over 200 free emotional, social, and informational programs and services to the diagnosed, family, friends, and the caregivers who support them every month. She is responsible for the overall leadership and management of the organization, including programming, budget development and fiscal management, fundraising, strategic planning, and human resources.

Ciranni holds a bachelor’s degree in Communication and a master’s degree in Organizational Leadership from Robert Morris University.

For more information on Cancer Bridges, visit [www.cancerbridges.org](http://www.cancerbridges.org).

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### **About Cancer Bridges**

Cancer Bridges (formerly Our Clubhouse and Cancer Caring Center) provides free programs and services to those impacted by a cancer diagnosis. The organization provides a warm and welcoming environment for everyone who has been impacted by cancer. This includes those with a cancer diagnosis, those who have a loved one with cancer, or those who have experienced the loss of a loved one from cancer. The diagnosed, family, friends, and caregivers who support them are welcome to join Cancer Bridges and receive the emotional, social, and information tools they need at no cost.

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