Join the Avanzando Caminos Study at UT Health San Antonio!

What is Avanzando Caminos?

The Avanzando Caminos study will enroll 3,000 Hispanic/Latino cancer survivors in South Texas and Miami to help unpack the social, cultural, behavioral, mental, biological, and medical influences on post-cancer life.

The study is funded by the National Cancer Institute. The South Texas site is led by Dr. Amelie Ramirez of UT Health San Antonio and Mays Cancer Center.

How do I volunteer?

To volunteer for the study or ask questions, contact Dr. Ramirez’s team at the Institute for Health Promotion Research at UT Health San Antonio at 210-562-6514.

Who can volunteer?

- Age 18+
- Able to read in English or Spanish
- Willing to attend study visits
- Completed primary treatment for breast, colon, kidney, liver, lung, prostate, stomach or uterine cervix carcinoma in past 5 years
- No severe cognitive impairment or inpatient psychiatric treatment in past 6 months

What do volunteers do?

- Baseline visit: Assessment interview, blood draw
- 6-month visit: Assessment interview
- 12-month visit: Assessment interview, blood draw
- Year 2 Visit: Assessment interview
- Year 3 Visit: Assessment interview, blood draw
- Year 4 Visit: Assessment interview
- Year 5 Visit: Assessment interview, blood draw

Volunteers get $50 per visit!