

# **Tips and Tools**

Thank you for offering to share your treatment experience with us. Your participation reflects the true mission of Let's Win—patients helping each other learn about treatment options that will hopefully help extend their lives.

Our Survivor Stories are intended to provide accessible, actionable information. Below are some questions to consider as you draft your story. Sections with an \* are required.

## Diagnosis and Next Steps\*

- What is your diagnosis and stage?
- When were you diagnosed?
- What symptoms did you have?
- What tests did you undergo?
- What course of treatment were you prescribed?

#### **Treatment Protocol\***

- What unique treatment protocol did you pursue? Clinical trial? Other experimental therapy?
- What is your treatment protocol including drugs or therapies in addition to or other than chemotherapy?
- What are the side effects and how have you tolerated them?
- Has this treatment positively impacted your experience and/or led to a better quality of life?
- How did you hear about this alternative treatment?

## **Genomic Testing**

- Has your doctor done any genetic testing or molecular profiling of your tumor?
- If so, were mutations detected? If so, what type of mutation?
- Did this influence your treatment plan?

## **Clinical Trials**

- Are you participating in a clinical trial? If so, what is the name of it and what institution is sponsoring the trial?
- Any side effects or unique experiences from the trial?
- Who is paying for the trial?
- Has this treatment positively impacted your pancreatic cancer and/or led to a better quality of life?

## **General Information**

- Where do you live?
- How old are you?
- What doctor, hospital or treatment center are you working with?
- How did you hear about Let's Win? (optional)

The editors at Let's Win will review your piece and may reach out to you with additional questions. Each story will also be reviewed for factual accuracy and approved by our Scientific Advisory Board. Please keep your submission to 600-750 words. If you have trouble editing, submit the longer piece and our editor will help cut it down. Thank you again for taking this journey with us.