### 6 Months of Impact: January 2025 to June 2025

# Leukaemia Care

**YOUR Blood Cancer Charity** 

At Leukaemia Care, every call, click, and conversation is a chance to to save a life. In the first half of 2025, thousands of people affected by leukaemia and other blood cancers have turned to us — and we've been there, every step of the way.





So far, **62** people have been able to access private counselling through the Counselling Service, supporting them through the shock of a diagnosis.



l experienced a very bad depression following my diagnosis so was in desperate need of counselling. The service was very easy to use and I was able to find a counsellor that was suitable for me.



89% of those who have applied for counselling has either completed their sessions or receiving counselling.





More than 200 people have been supported by our Welfare Officer, including help with benefits applications.

Leukaemia Care were there when I needed them most. From Sally's warm support at to Lisa's incredible help securing financial aid, their guidance made a huge difference.

Their knowledge, care, and kindness reminded me I wasn't alone. If you're struggling reach out.



60% of people who attended our support group meetings felt more positive about their diagnosis and connected to others.



We have provided 23
financial grants and 99
nights of hotel accomodation
through our CAR-T Away from
Home Service, easing the
burden of being away
from home.

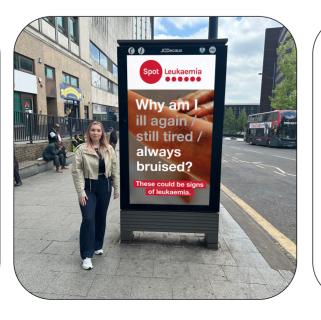


definitely helped me to brace for what is coming next. It was important to hear the experience from someone who has gone through a similar circumstance to mine and to see how they are dealing with the challenges that I will also have to face soon.





Our accredited online information was viewed 20,258 times, putting reliable, plain English information into people's hands when they needed it most.





We sent out **8,417** of our printed resources have been ordered by patients, their families and healthcare professionals.



9/10 people would recommend our accredited information to another patient or family member.





Through our Cost of Living fund, 292 people have received £50,000 in direct financial support. The money has helped pay for heating bills, food and travel costs.

Thank you all so much at Leukaemia Care. Your patience and kindness at such a difficult time in our lives has made all the difference. It's good to know that you're there either at the end of the phone or via email to offer support.

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Over 600 calls were made to our nurse-led helpline and 346 WhatsApp enquiries, offering expert advice on topics from symptoms to emotional support.



Getting a blood cancer diagnosis can turn your world upside down and trigger many worries and emotions so it's good to have a professional, unbiased, listening ear.





70 people received advocacy support. We're helping patients to be heard, offering advice on employment rights and travel insurance.



grateful to the charity.
Having a sick child is stressful enough without the added stress of finding accommodation and the financial worry that goes with being away from home for a long period of time.





800 people have attended our support groups, and more than 300 people have connected through our dedicated Facebook groups.





19 buddies have been trained, ready to offer one-to-one support. This growing network of volunteers have provided 735 hours of peer-to-peer support.





37 people have been newly matched with a buddy. Sometimes, just hearing "I've been there too" can make all the difference.



#### More than 17 million

people were reached through our Spot Leukaemia campaign, starting vital conversations that can lead to earlier diagnosis and better outcomes.





We partnered with the
Careers Service,
University of Oxford,
as part of The Making a
Difference Programme, to
explore the impact of our
Hospital Navigators.





417 people were supported by one of our 22 Hospital Navigators. Having someone to turn to in hospital makes a real difference when first diagnosed.



situation and wants to do

their best to help.

my treatment made me feel safe and supported, alongside providing valuable information.
As an outpatient, the services available genuinely helped me out of this hole that I was falling into.

From helpline calls to hospital visits, counselling to financial support — we've helped thousands of people find strength and reassurance when they've needed it most. With your continued support, we'll keep building on this impact in the months ahead.