

Sexuality Therapist and Educator

Florida Hospital Cancer Institute



Catherine Lindner, MSW, LCSW, OSW-C, is a license clinical social worker who has been an integral part of the Patient Support and Education Program since 2012. Catherine understands that for most individuals, the diagnosis and treatment of cancer can pose unique emotional, sexual and

physical challenges. Sexuality and intimacy is an area identified often during sessions with her patients which led her to obtain a certificate in Sexuality Therapy and Education. She provides this specialized counseling for patients and caregivers who have questions about intimacy, sexuality and their illness. Catherine works together with her patients to create realistic expectations of treatment outcomes, while identifying cancer-related sexual issues which may persist long after a person has physically healed.

Catherine knows that each person copes with these challenges differently throughout their cancer journey, so her focus is to discuss these challenges as they occur and work toward successful outcomes. A part of having a quality of life is being healthy sexually and providing her patients an opportunity to ask questions and talk about these topics which are often difficult to discuss.



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This service is available free of charge at Florida Hospital Cancer Institute. All calls are free and confidential, and no insurance is required to meet with our sexual therapist and educator.

Expert and Individualized Counseling

Catherine Lindner is a member of the Association of Oncology Social Work and American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors and Therapists. She works with each patient to bridge the gap between the biological, psychological, social and relationship components of cancer and the side effects of treatment. Catherine can assist with talking about topics that may be too difficult to discuss with your doctor or healthcare team. She will also provide a therapeutic setting to discuss common side effects of cancer to include:

- Sexual dysfunction
- Fertility issues
- Erectile dysfunction
- Fatigue and anxiety
- Grief and loss

To learn more or schedule an appointment, call (407) 303-2055.



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