

13thirty

**2018 ANNUAL REPORT** 

By diminishing isolation enhancing quality of life, and heightening awareness, 13thirty Cancer Connect is

MAKING A DIFFERENCE!

### THE PROBLEM:

- -82,000 teens and young adults diagnosed with cancer each year
  - 3x more people diagnosed in the second 15 years of life than the first

### THE GREAT DIVIDE:

- Caught in the middle between pediatric and adult medicine
- Little to no improvement in survival since 1975 compared to other age groups

### THE CHALLENGES:

**HOURS** 

- Devastating isolation, loss of peer support, diminished self-image and self-esteem
- Life is interrupted, years of lost potential

# **ROCHESTER QUICK FACTS** MIN 158 **ADVOCACY PROGRAM PROGRAM**



\*2018 saw a significant increase in charitable gifts due to generous memorial gifts and a successful online crowdfunding campaign

### PROGRAMS WITH PURPOSE:

- Increased program participation by 25%
- Doubled total number of **new** participants since 2017

**PARTICIPANTS** 

### **ADVOCACY:**

- Led 30 clinicians in education workshop: Understanding AYA Cancer
- Launched education program for mental health teams in local schools

### COLLABORATION:

**HOURS** 

- New partnership with Upstate University Hospital in Syracuse, NY [Upstate Golisano Children's Hospital and Upstate Cancer Center]

coming in

Our first expansion site in Syracuse, NY including our on-site Wellness Center!

86% social media engagement





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