



Southeast Region: Support for PSP/CBD/MSA

Peer Supporters

If you are in search of one-on-one conversation about the journey you are on, please find the names and contact information of our peer supporters. Peer supporters are available to offer practical care tips, connect with local resources, and provide emotional support. Feel free to reach out to anyone on this or other regional lists, regardless of location.

Support Groups

Support groups are safe and dedicated spaces to connect with and learn from individuals and families on similar journeys. CurePSP's network of regional support groups offers opportunities to meet others in your community impacted by PSP, CBD and MSA. You can also visit www.psp.org/ineedsupport/online-support-groups for CurePSP's national support groups

Arkansas

Little Rock Support Group for PSP/CBD/MSA/LBD care partners

Location: John Gould Fletcher Library, 823 N Buchanan St., Little Rock, AR—Room B

Meeting Time: 2024 - August 21, September 18, October 16, November 20, December 18

Facilitator: Suzanne Dhall, sjdhall@uams.edu

Little Rock Support Group for people diagnosed with PSP/CBD/MSA/LBD and care partners

Location: St. James United Methodist Church 321 Pleasant Valley Dr., Little Rock, AR 72212 Entrance 6 (on back side of the church), Room P101

Meeting Time: Spring 2024 – May 15th from 1:30-3:00pm

Facilitator: Suzanne Dhall, sjdhall@uams.edu

Florida

Peer Supporter: Andy Campanella **City:** Vero Beach, FL

Email: andycampy@icloud.com **Phone:** 802-342-2645

Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP

Peer Supporter: Dan Heins **City:** Pensacola, FL

Email: danheins@gmail.com **Phone:** 502-216-4563

Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP

Available: Evenings/Weekends

Peer Supporter: Paul Freeman **City:** Miami Beach, FL

Email: freemanph@aol.com **Phone:** 305-970-0805

Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP

Louisiana

Louisiana Support Group for PSP/CBD/MSA care partners

Location: Meeting virtually (contact facilitator for link)

Meeting Time: First Saturday of every month from 4:00-5:00 pm EST

Facilitator(s): Jay Iyer, jiyer@college.harvard.edu, (225) 316-3546; Raj Iyer, raj.iyer@motorolasolutions.com, (225) 205-8499

Mississippi

Peer Supporter: Mary Petty **City:** Southaven, MS

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Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP

North Carolina

Peer Supporter: Jocelyne Gervais-Finney **City:** Hickory, NC

Email: jrgassociatesllc@gmail.com **Phone:** 919-260-6812

Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP

Peer Supporter: Kathy Orr **City:** Aurora, NC

Email: kathy.lafferty.orr@gmail.com **Phone:** 252-322-2209

Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP/CBD

North Carolina Support Group for people with PSP/CBD and care partners

Location: Meeting virtually - contact facilitator for link

Associated Medical Center: UNC Movement Disorders Center

Meeting Time: 1st Wednesday of each month from 1:30-3:00pm

Facilitator: Maggie Ivancic, LCSWA mivancic@neurology.unc.edu, 919-843-2777

North Carolina Support Group for people with MSA and care partners

Location: Meeting virtually - contact facilitator for link

Associated Medical Center: UNC Movement Disorders Center

Meeting Time: Every other month, 3rd Wednesday of the month from 3-4:30pm

Facilitator: Maggie Ivancic, LCSW mivancic@neurology.unc.edu, 919-843-2777

South Carolina

Peer Supporter: Becky Hill **City:** Aiken, SC

Email: hill_becky@yahoo.com **Phone:** 757-254-5491

Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP/CBD

Tennessee

Support Group for people with PSP/CBD/MSA and care partners

Location: Meeting virtually - contact facilitator for link

Associated Medical Center: Vanderbilt University Medical Center
Meeting Time: Every second Thursday of each month at 10am CST
Facilitator: Ely Cancino, elisa.cancino@vumc.org

Peer Supporter: Anne Wilson **City:** Nashville, TN
Email: anneswilson@comcast.net **Phone:** 615-478-8484
Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP/CBD

Virginia

Peer Supporter: Anne F. Elkins, Ph.D. **City:** Bridgewater, VA
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Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP

Peer Supporter: Matthew Hicks **City:** Vienna, VA
Email: mlh159@georgetown.edu **Phone:** 540-449-6992
Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP

Peer Supporter: Matthew LaPorte **City:** Arlington, VA
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Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP

Peer Supporter: Tiffany Moran **City:** Roanoke, VA
Email: Tiffany.Moran@roanokeva.gov **Phone:** 540-493-5499
Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP

Peer Supporter: Jacqueline Shaia **City:** Suffolk, VA
Email: jkshaia@icloud.com **Phone:** 804-815-3904
Experience: Cared for a grandparent with PSP

Virginia Support Group for people with PSP/CBD/MSA and care partners
Location: RSVP for the meeting here: <https://forms.gle/ApSwLWNeLZkDx5pY9>
Associated Medical Center: Virginia Commonwealth University - Parkinson's and Movement Disorders Center
Meeting Time: 2nd Monday of odd months from 3:30-5:00pm
Facilitator: Madison Clemons, Madison.Clemons@vcuhealth.org, 804-827-1754