

## 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 <a href="www.psp.org/ineedsupport/online-support-groups">www.psp.org/ineedsupport/online-support-groups</a> for CurePSP's national support groups

#### 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

**Peer Supporter:** Cynthia MacDonald **City:** Naples, FL **Email**: <a href="mailto:cmac5371@aol.com">cmac5371@aol.com</a> **Phone:** 239-353-3960

**Experience:** Cared for a parent and is currently a PSP/CBD/MSA support group leader

**Available:** Thursday – Sunday

**Peer Supporter:** Mary Sullivan **City:** Jacksonville, FL **Email**: marymcsullivan@gmail.com **Phone:** 516-476-3163

**Experience:** Cared for a parent with CBD

Southwest FL for PSP/CBD/MSA patients & care partners

**Location:** Meeting virtually (contact facilitator for link)

*Meeting Time:* 2nd Saturday of each month from 2:00pm - 3:30pm *Facilitator:* Cindy MacDonald, <a href="mailto:cmac5371@aol.com">cmac5371@aol.com</a>, 239-353-3960

South FL Support Group for PSP/CBD/MSA patients & care partners

**Location:** North Broward Medical Center

*Meeting Time:* Once monthly, contact facilitator for more info *Facilitator:* Paul Freeman, <u>freemanph@aol.com</u>, <u>3</u>05-970-0805

#### **Georgia**

Peer Supporter: Linda Spears City: Marietta, GA Email: <a href="mailto:lindaspears89@gmail.com">lindaspears89@gmail.com</a> Phone: 770-855-1577

**Experience:** Cared for a parent with PSP

**Peer Supporter:** Rick Wolter **City:** Woodstock, GA **Email**: <a href="mailto:sbr4psp@gmail.com">sbr4psp@gmail.com</a> **Phone:** 954-830-7274

**Experience:** Cared for a spouse with PSP

### **Kentucky**

Peer Supporter: Sue Overman City: Lexington, KY Email: sue.overman@uky.edu Phone: 859-492-6122

**Experience:** Cared for a spouse with PSP

Peer Supporter: Ronald Ste City: Hopkinsville, KY

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Experience: Cared for a spouse with PSP

## **Louisiana**

Louisiana Support Group for PSP/CBD/MSA care partners

**Location:** Meeting virtually (contact facilitor for link)

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

Facilitator(s): Jay Iyer, <u>iiyer@college.harvard.edu</u>, (225) 316-3546; Raj Iyer,

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### **Mississippi**

Peer Supporter: Mary Petty City: Southaven, MS Email: <a href="mailto:mvpetty44@gmail.com">mvpetty44@gmail.com</a> Phone: 901-573-5934

**Experience:** Cared for a spouse with PSP

#### **North Carolina**

**Peer Supporter:** Jocelyne Gervais-Finney **City:** Hickory, NC **Email:** <u>irgassociatesllc@gmail.com</u> **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 PSP/CBD patients & 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 MSA patients & care partners

**Location:** Meeting virtually - contact facilitator for link

Associated Medical Center: UNC Movement Disorders Center

*Meeting Time:* Every other month, 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month from 3-4:30pm *Facilitator:* Maggie Ivancic, LCSW <u>mivancic@neurology.unc.edu</u>, 919-843-2777

#### South Carolina

Peer Supporter: Becky Hill City: Aiken, SC

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**Experience:** Cared for a spouse with PSP/CBD

#### **Tennesee**

**Peer Supporter:** Anne Wilson **City:** Nashville, TN **Email:** anneswilson@comcast.net **Phone:** 615-478-8484

**Experience:** Cared for a spouse with PSP/CBD

## <u>Virginia</u>

Peer Supporter: Anne F. Elkins, Ph.D. City: Bridgewater, VA

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Experience: Cared for a parent with PSP

**Peer Supporter:** Billy Hicks **City:** Alexandria, VA **Email:** billyrhicks1@gmail.com **Phone:** 570-340-58264

**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 **Email:** dr.mwlaporta@gmail.com **Phone:** 609-254-6200

**Experience:** Cared for a parent with PSP

Peer Supporter: Tiffany Moran City: Roanoke, VA

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**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