



Fact Sheet

Our Lifesaving Mission

Fred's Team is an athletic fundraising program dedicated to bringing us closer to a world without cancer. Our runners are making their miles matter by raising money for critical cancer research at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (MSK).

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Founded in 1884, MSK is the world's oldest and largest private cancer center dedicated exclusively to the care, control, and cure of cancer.

- The latest ranking of cancer hospitals by U.S. News & World Report rated MSK second in the nation.
- MSK treats over 400 subtypes of the disease—and has produced more FDA-approved drugs for cancer treatment than any other single academic institution in the world.
- For many malignancies, including those of the breast, bladder, and bone, MSK cares for more adults than any other center in the nation. MSK treats more children with cancer than any other hospital in the world.
- Sloan Kettering Institute, MSK's research arm, is composed of nine research programs and includes 100 laboratory investigators, 400 research fellows, and 200 graduate students.

Support Matters

Fred's Team gives MSK doctors and researchers the freedom to do what they do best: fight cancer through innovation. Fred's Team puts critical funds directly into MSK's labs and clinics, which allow them to have the people, tools, and technologies necessary to quickly pursue new leads. Fred's Team has raised more than \$80 million since 1995—funds that will contribute to furthering MSK's pioneering research.

Choice Matters

Our runners choose the area of cancer research where their hard-raised dollars are put to work. Some Fred's Team members advance the work of a particular physician, scientist, or program. Others wish to support MSK's youngest patients: Fred's Team is a major source of funding for the Aubrey Fund for Pediatric Cancer Research. Named after longtime Fred's Team runner and cancer survivor, Aubrey Barr, the fund seeds breakthrough pediatric cancer research.

Who is Fred?

Our team is named in honor of running legend and NYC Marathon co-founder Fred Lebow—a man who dreamed of a world without cancer. While being treated at MSK in 1991, he jogged the hallways, determined to raise money for a cure.

Our miles matter. Register to run or donate today.

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