

# What is the Maryland Cancer Fund?

- The Maryland Cancer Fund provides funding and resources for cancer prevention, screening, and treatment programs in Maryland.
- The Maryland Cancer Fund is completely funded through direct contributions.

# What has the Maryland Cancer Fund accomplished?

- Cancer screenings provided for more than 650 people.
- Cancer diagnosis and treatment services provided for more than 175 people.

# Why should you donate to the Maryland Cancer Fund?

- Cancer is the second leading cause of death in Maryland.
- In 2014 alone, nearly 30,680 Marylanders will be diagnosed with cancer and more than 10,500 will die from cancer.

# How can you donate to the Maryland Cancer Fund?

• Indicate a contribution on Line 37 of the Maryland Income Tax Return. Donate any amount. The donation will either reduce a refund or increase the tax payment. All donations are tax deductible.

## OR,

Make a check payable to the "Comptroller of Maryland" and send to:
 Comptroller of Maryland
 Revenue Administration Center
 Taxpayer Service Section
 Annapolis, Maryland 21411
 (Place "Maryland Cancer Fund" on memo line)

# Your Maryland Cancer Fund donation will go towards:

- Providing funds for cancer treatment to eligible Marylanders;
- Offering free cancer screenings to low income Marylanders; and
- Promoting education and outreach programs such as: tobacco use prevention, nutrition, and various cancer prevention topics.

# Every dollar donated to the Maryland Cancer Fund Helps to save a life!



### For More Information:

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