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Survivor Spotlight

Noa Hirsch

In moments of uncertainty, some feelings are all too familiar. In a new blog, Noa reflects on the uneasy space between relief and fear, drawing a powerful parallel between life in Israel right now and the emotional limbo many cancer patients know well. Read her moving piece on navigating the unknown.

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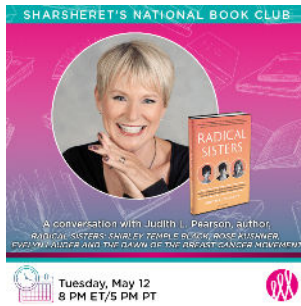
Mark 25 Years of Sharsheret at the Tristate Benefit BBQs on 7/15 and 7/16

Join Sharsheret on July 15th in New Jersey for an inspiring evening honoring Dr. Oren Lerman with the Maimonides Award, Elisa Wietschner with the Lisa Altman Volunteer Tribute Award, and Aliza Bochner with the Young Professional Award. A siyum will be led by Dr. Seth Sokol.

Join Sharsheret on July 16th on Long Island for a meaningful evening recognizing Julia Makowsky as Guest of Honor and honoring Nikki Fuchs Mehl with the Lisa Altman Volunteer Tribute Award. The program will feature guest speaker Charlene Aminoff, and a siyum will be led by Rafi Rosman.

The New Jersey Barbecue is sponsored by [Sidley Austin LLP](#). The Long Island Barbecue is sponsored by [Sidley Austin LLP](#) and [Maidenbaum](#).

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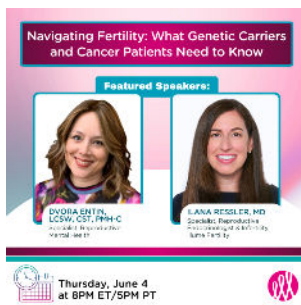


Upcoming Book Club on 5/12: *Radical Sisters*

Join Sharsheret in conversation with Judith L. Pearson, author of *Radical Sisters: Shirley Temple Black, Rose Kushner, Evelyn Lauder, and the Dawn of the Breast Cancer Movement*.

This webinar is sponsored by [Lilly](#), [Merck](#), and [Novartis](#).

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Navigating Fertility: What Genetic Carriers and Cancer Patients Need to Know

Join Sharsheret on June 4th for an important conversation on the complex intersection of fertility, genetics, and cancer through both medical and emotional lenses.

Designed for individuals who are concerned about hereditary cancer, as well as those diagnosed with cancer, this webinar will provide practical information about family building decisions, including PGT. After the formal webinar participants will have the opportunity to join one of two short breakout sessions with Sharsheret social workers: one for carriers of hereditary cancer mutations and one for those facing a cancer diagnosis.

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Join Sharsheret for Mindful Mondays

Relax and rejuvenate through movement with Sharsheret's spring yoga series, led by yoga teacher and coach, Emily Elizabeth Steinberg. This series is catered to those affected by cancer and will help bring awareness to the body. No prior experience is needed.

Upcoming classes: May 11, May 18, June 1, and June 8

Click [here](#) to watch recordings from previous classes.

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It's Never Too Early to Start Thinking About Making a Difference!

Get ready for Sharsheret's annual Pies for Prevention bake sale, where baking becomes an opportunity to educate and raise awareness.

Launched in 2008 by sisters Adeena Sussman and Sharon Wieder in memory of their mother and grandmother, both lost to ovarian cancer, Pies for Prevention raises funds and awareness each fall. Proceeds support the Stephanie Sussman and Ann Nadrich Memorial Jewel and Sharsheret's Ovarian Cancer Program.

Want to get involved, educate about ovarian cancer awareness, or host your own bake sale? Contact [Talia Lerner](#) to get started.

[Learn More](#)



Sharsheret is Hiring

Sharsheret is seeking dedicated and enthusiastic individuals to join our team and assist in delivering cancer support programs nationwide. Explore the open positions below:

[Social Worker \(Los Angeles\)](#)

[Outreach Coordinator \(Midwest Region\)](#)

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Sharsheret stands with Israel and hopes for lasting peace as we continue to provide vital cancer education and support.



Looking for support?

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