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***CURE* Spirituality Survey**
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Q1. Did you have a religious or spiritual belief system when you were diagnosed?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	86.9%	955
No	13.1%	144
	answered question	1099
	skipped question	3

Q2. What was the depth of your belief system at diagnosis?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Strong	65.2%	696
Weak	21.9%	234
Just beginning	3.0%	32
I did not have a belief system at diagnosis	9.8%	105
	answered question	1067
	skipped question	35

Q3. Did your belief system help you cope with the cancer experience?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	88.8%	848
No	11.2%	107
	answered question	955
	skipped question	147

Q4. Was your belief system a significant part of your coping strategy for cancer?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	78.7%	743
No	21.3%	201
	answered question	944
	skipped question	158

Q5. Were you assisted by a faith, religious, or spiritual community during your cancer journey?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	54.0%	568
No	46.0%	483
	answered question	1051
	skipped question	51

Q6. Did you engage in any of the following spiritual practices? (multiple choices allowed)

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Prayer	76.4%	800
Healing Services	19.5%	204
Meditation	37.9%	397
Faith community	26.4%	276
Reading religious works	32.4%	339
Attending Services	44.5%	466
Other	18.2%	191
None of the above	12.3%	129
	answered question	1047
	skipped question	55

Q7. Which of the following most closely identifies your belief system? (multiple choices allowed)

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Everything that happens is because God wills it (even cancer)	19.7%	204
Random acts occur and my faith helps me deal with them	51.7%	537
I was given cancer to grow spiritually	9.9%	103
God had nothing to do with me getting cancer	45.1%	468
	answered question	1038
	skipped question	64

Q8. Did you adopt (or change) your belief system because of cancer?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	13.8%	145
No	86.2%	902
	answered question	1047
	skipped question	55

Q9. Do you feel that you have grown spiritually because of cancer?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	72.8%	756
No	27.2%	282
	answered question	1038
	skipped question	64