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Sedgwick joins West Cancer Center in mission to eradicate cancer

Company commits to presenting sponsorship of signature fundraising event

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 18, 2017 – Sedgwick, the leading global provider of technology-enabled claims and productivity management solutions, has partnered with [West Cancer Center](#) in the fight against cancer by committing to serve as presenting sponsor of its signature fundraising event—West Fight On: Cycle. Run. Walk.

West Cancer Center provides the most comprehensive cancer treatment available in the Mid-South, delivering a continuum of compassionate care to more than 40,000 patients each year. The center is also a nationally acclaimed leader in groundbreaking cancer research.

The 2017 [West Fight On: Cycle. Run. Walk.](#) event will be held Saturday, Sept. 16, at Memphis' Shelby Farms Park and will feature a range of fitness activities for the entire family, including cycling routes at three distances, a 5K run and a one-mile tribute walk. It will culminate with a special ceremony honoring cancer survivors.

Leading the charge for West Fight On: Cycle. Run. Walk. is a 15-member steering committee of business and community leaders, including Bob Blankenship, operations group chief of staff at Sedgwick. Proceeds from the event will benefit the [University of Tennessee/West Institute for Cancer Research](#) and be used for discovery, innovation and advancement in the field of adult cancer research and patient education, care and support.

“West Cancer Center is at the forefront of the fight to find a cure, and we are so proud to join forces with this world-class organization in ensuring a brighter tomorrow for countless families touched by such a devastating disease,” said Dave North, Sedgwick president and CEO. “Our company philosophy is ‘caring counts,’ and few community institutions embody that belief better than the West Cancer Center. The Mid-South is fortunate to have an outstanding oncology center of this caliber bringing hope to those facing a cancer diagnosis.”

“Fight On is the rallying cry to show support for anyone touched by cancer,” said Erich Mounce, CEO of West Cancer Center. “We are honored to have Sedgwick as the presenting sponsor of our signature fundraising event as we continue to invest in cancer research and patient services. We are deeply grateful to have such a generous and committed partner in the fight against cancer.”

Information on the 2017 West Fight On: Cycle. Run. Walk, presented by Sedgwick, is available at www.westfighton.org.

About Sedgwick

Sedgwick Claims Management Services, Inc., is a leading global provider of technology-enabled risk and benefits solutions. At Sedgwick, **caring counts**SM; the company takes care of people and organizations by delivering cost-effective claims, productivity, managed care, risk consulting and other services through the dedication and expertise of nearly 15,000 colleagues in some 275 offices located in the U.S., Canada, U.K. and Ireland. Sedgwick facilitates financial and personal health and helps customers and consumers navigate complexity by designing and implementing customized programs based on proven practices and advanced technology that exceed expectations. Sedgwick's majority shareholder is KKR; Stone Point Capital LLC, La Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec (CDPQ) and other management investors are minority shareholders. For more, see www.sedgwick.com.

About West Cancer Center

West Cancer Center provides the most comprehensive cancer treatment in the Mid-South, delivering a complete continuum of care to more than 40,000 patients each year. A true leader in cancer research, West Cancer Center has a longstanding commitment to providing patients access to clinical trials, including Phase I through Phase III studies. Building on the almost 40-year legacy of West Clinic, West Cancer Center continues to provide comprehensive, compassionate care to the Mid-South region. This commitment is strengthened through a robust partnership with Methodist Healthcare and the University of Tennessee Health Science Center. In 2014, West Cancer Center established the University of Tennessee/West Institute for Cancer Research, a not-for-profit public charity dedicated to the research and development of novel cancer treatments and therapies and patient education, care and support. To learn more about West Cancer Center, visit www.westcancercenter.org.

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