

Why Alternative Cancer Treatments Are So Effective

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With many people every day discovering that conventional cancer treatments cannot offer them a long-term cure, more and more are turning to alternative approaches as their primary treatment. And with good reason. Too many have seen an acquaintance or loved one suffer through mutilating surgery and/or nauseating drug treatment only to be told by their doctor, “There is nothing more we can do for you.” These people are realizing that the promise of long-term recovery through conventional methods is often *false* hope, and they are seeking *real* hope for complete recovery in the world of alternative treatments.

Some Common Misconceptions

First, let me dispel some widespread misconceptions about alternative approaches. The idea that alternative treatments for cancer are unscientific and have been developed by quacks is one of these myths. To the contrary, the most well-known alternative approaches were developed by brilliant physicists, chemists, physicians, and Nobel Prize-winning scientists. Other successful alternative approaches are the result of time-tested ancient herbal traditions from China, India, or Native America. None of this involves quackery. Another common misconception is that alternative cancer approaches are just about eating organic food and taking lots of supplements from the local health food store to boost one’s immune system. Wrong again. To the contrary, most alternative cancer therapies are unique and sophisticated approaches that cannot be purchased at a local store, and involve much more than simply boosting the immune system.

Tens of thousands of people have used alternative methods to completely recover from their cancer. I have even interviewed scores of these survivors myself. Amazingly, a number of the ex-cancer patients I personally interviewed were completely given up on by mainstream medicine. Yet these people went on to use alternative approaches and completely regain their health!

The Secrets to Effectiveness

Alternative cancer treatments are effective for two main reasons:

- (1) They target the common characteristics of all cancer cells, in all parts of the body.
- (2) They are non-toxic and therefore may be taken on a daily basis over a prolonged period of time.

The fact that alternative approaches target those characteristics of cancer cells that differ from normal healthy cells enables them to selectively stop the development of cancer while leaving the patient's healthy cells alone. For instance, some alternative treatments focus on the anaerobic nature of cancer cells. Some focus on the fact that they thrive in acidic environments. Others deal with the communication mechanisms of cancer cells. Still others may combine a variety of targeting tactics, including cutting off a tumor's ability to develop new blood vessels to feed its own growth.

The fact that alternative approaches treat cancer cells no matter where they are in the body is critical because approximately three-quarters of all Americans diagnosed with cancer have disease that has already metastasized by the time they are first diagnosed. This means that they are dealing with cancer that has already spread to more than one area in their body by the time they find out about it. So, using a treatment that targets all the cancer cells at once, in a "whole-body" approach, is often the only way to get them all. In contrast to this, conventional surgery, radiation, or expensive proton beam treatments can only affect cancer cells in localized places. Chemotherapy appears at first glance to target cancer throughout the whole body, but the truth is that most chemotherapies do not pass the blood/brain barrier. So they are relatively ineffective for treating primary brain cancer or metastases to the brain.

The non-toxic nature of alternative cancer treatments is another major reason they are so effective. The important aspect here is that, because they are non-toxic, they can be used continuously over a prolonged period of time with no breaks. In contrast, conventional medicine relies heavily on toxic chemotherapy drugs and toxic radiation treatments. These treatments *cannot* be administered continuously because they are so damaging to the patient's body that continuous administration on a daily basis would also kill the patient! Thus, toxic approaches must be administered with breaks in the treatment to allow the patient's body to recover. The Catch-22 is that, while the patient is recovering from the toxic treatment, *so are the cancer cells!* In fact, growing and multiplying fast is exactly what cancer cells do best! Moreover, toxic treatments damage a person's immune system so much that they often make it *easier* for the cancer cells to multiply and spread in-between treatments.

Sadly, toxic treatments are the cause of the roller coaster that so many conventional cancer patients have to go through. They receive treatment, go into remission, suffer a recurrence of their cancer, get treatment again, go into remission again, until their bodies just give up. What is really happening here is that the cancer was never completely gone when they were pronounced in remission. It just means that the clinical signs of cancer were gone because enough cancer was killed off. Recurrence of the clinical signs, however, means that all the cancer cells were never completely gotten rid of and it just took a little time for them to proliferate enough to manifest symptoms. Non-toxic treatments break this vicious cycle because they can be administered continuously without breaks.

Killing Cockroaches With Cannons

A crude but accurate way of describing conventional toxic cancer treatments is the following analogy. Let's say you live in a house completely infested with cockroaches. The bugs are hiding in the walls and beneath the floors. (The bugs are your cancer cells

and the house is your body.) Using a toxic treatment is like trying to kill the cockroaches with a cannon. Sure, you could blast one or two of the most infested walls away and kill a lot of them all at once. You could even rebuild those walls and it would appear for a while that all the bugs are gone. But there would still be nests and colonies in other walls and under the floors that you can't see. And these would eventually breed new bugs that would spread throughout the house again. You'd have to blast the entire house to smithereens in order to kill *all* the cockroaches, and then of course you would no longer have a house! (Or a body!)

The good news is that cancer patients today have some very effective options that do not involve toxic cannon-like approaches. They can choose to use one of many non-toxic cancer treatments that do *not* damage the house -- not even one plank or window pane. These methods can get to every last bug in every last crevice over time because they are approaches that can be used without breaks in treatment for as long as necessary until all the bugs are gone.

More information on alternative cancer treatments is presented in Tanya Harter Pierce's newly released 448-page book, *Outsmart Your Cancer: Alternative Non-Toxic Treatments That Work*, available at www.OutsmartYourCancer.com/book.shtml or by calling (888) 679-2669.