

*Building a community in which Chinese Americans are able to face end of life with dignity and respect*

## FAST FACTS

**A coalition model, the Chinese American Coalition for Compassionate Care (CACCC) is the first coalition devoted to addressing end-of-life care issues in the Chinese American community**

### Our Mission

- Encourage dialogue among Chinese Americans about end of life issues so that it is viewed as a natural part of life.
- Enhance advanced illness and end of life care by improving advance care planning and decision-making for Chinese Americans through community outreach education and volunteer, caregiver, and health professional training.
- Empower Chinese Americans by improving access to end of life resources: producing original Chinese language materials or translating existing materials into Chinese and providing referrals to appropriate agencies.
- Use a coalition model, where expertise and resources are shared, to insure Chinese Americans receive exceptional end of life care and services that address physical, psychosocial, emotional and spiritual needs.

### Our Vision

Building a community in which Chinese Americans are able to face end of life with dignity and respect

### Our Coalition Model

The active coalition consists of 150 local, state, and national partner organizations, including organizations in Taiwan and China. Approximately 1,400 individual members are dedicated to the mission.

**Partners:** Partner organizations include, but not limited to, hospitals, medical centers, hospices, nursing homes, senior community centers, schools, and churches.

### Who We Serve

Chinese American community and the healthcare professionals who serve them by collaborating with partner organizations in the U.S., Taiwan and China.

**Operating Budget:** \$100,000

Donations are graciously accepted. Donate through PayPal at <http://www.caccc-usa.org/en/donate.html>

### Products & Services

Developed and produced:

- Heart to Heart® Cards
- Heart to Heart® Cafés
- DVDs: Kathy & Windy; Loving Life: Understanding Hospice; Advance Care Planning short films
- Books: *Learning to Let Go: Saying Goodbye Peacefully*, *Advance Care Planning and Hospice & Palliative Care*

Provides compassionate care, community service, education and outreach to Chinese Americans and to the healthcare professionals who serve them.

### Social Media

<https://www.facebook.com/CACforCC>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCHPZ2zXzcr-iDX5A71ax-nA>

**Website:** [caccc-usa.org](http://caccc-usa.org)

### Founded and Incorporated

December 2005

California nonprofit corporation since 2007, is tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3)

**Number of Employees:** Three (3) part time staff

**Number of Volunteers:** 400

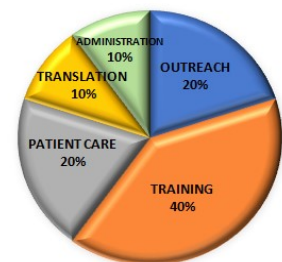
**Annual Average Volunteer Hours:** 11,000

### Board of Directors: (11-15 members)

Volunteer board is comprised of health and medical professionals, community leaders, and individuals with a passion for advance care planning and end-of-life care issues.



Heart to Heart® Café



Fund Distribution

### Programs

- Advance Care Planning workshops
- Heart to Heart® Cafés
- Caregiver and volunteer trainings
- Community education and outreach
- Professional healthcare forums, seminars, workshops
- Produce and translate English and Chinese end of life resources and materials
- Hospital Volunteer Ambassador program
- Patient and family visits with partner organizations
- Toll free Warm Line: (866) 661-5687

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