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Mdm Neo has been battling end-stage renal failure from Lupus for over 20 years. Despite needing twice-weekly dialysis sessions, Mdm Neo was gainfully employed and able to manage her medical finances independently for the past two decades.

In 2016, however, her condition worsened just as her mother was struck with cancer. Between managing her illness and caring for her mother, Mdm Neo lost her job in the financially critical period.

“It was overwhelming,” she shares, “I didn’t know where to turn to or how to cope.” The medical social workers at SGH worked with her to access the SGH Needy Patients Fund, providing interim support for her dialysis treatments. Mdm Neo was able to focus on recovery, and has since returned to work in stable condition.

“I am grateful that the SGH Needy Patients Fund and the medical social workers were there to help me pull through a very difficult time.”

—Mdm Neo

ABOUT US

As a national referral centre and the public sector’s flagship hospital, over 1 million Singaporeans from all walks of life benefit from medical care at Singapore General Hospital (SGH) annually.

SGH Needy Patients Fund offers urgent interim support to patients with financial assistance to access medical treatment and care. The fund helps patients who have undergone means-testing with basic and life-saving needs such as dialysis, equipment, consumables and treatments not covered by safety nets like MediFund.

SGH Needy Patients Fund has helped more than 15,000 patients in their most difficult hour—when all other funding options have been exhausted, so that they can focus on their recovery until alternative funding from the community or charities are available on a long-term basis.

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