The National Parkinson Foundation (NPF) is the world’s largest private organization serving people and families affected by Parkinson’s disease and related disorders. The Foundation promotes research aimed toward developing new treatments and ultimately a cure for Parkinson’s and related disorders, and supports programs for improving care and quality of life for people affected by Parkinson’s disease.

Vanderbilt University Medical Center has been designated a NPF Center of Excellence and has three branches: basic and clinical research, clinical care, and outreach.

Outreach at the Vanderbilt Center of Excellence:

- Support Groups (patients and caregivers/family members)
- Fitness Classes
- Educational Programs & Workshops
- Annual “Blazing for a Cure” Symposium
- Resource Library
- Community Education Programs
- Email News
- Individual Consultation

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