

# SIDE-OUT ACHIEVEMENTS

THE SIDE-OUT FOUNDATION IS THE ONLY CHARITY USING THE POWER AND TEAMWORK OF THE VOLLEYBALL COMMUNITY TO BEAT CANCER.

## Side-Out has shown that amazing advances can come from small, driven teams. Since 2005:

- Side-Out has raised over \$14 million for breast cancer research and support.
- Nearly 1 million volleyball players, coaches and families across the country have participated in Side-Out's programs, such as the Dig Pink® movement
- Side-Out has directly extended the lives of stage IV breast cancer patients through the Side-Out Protocol, the organization's own cutting-edge clinical trials.

## What Makes Side-Out Unique

Our clinical trial examines the effects of individualized treatment on patients with metastatic breast cancer (stage IV).

Individualized treatment, known as targeted therapy, provides doctors a better way to treat stage IV breast cancer, based not on the type of cancer, but on its molecular architecture. This gets us better therapy prediction and better results and closer to removing the word 'terminal' from our cancer vernacular.

**JOIN THE TEAM THAT IS CHANGING THE GAME FOR BREAST CANCER PATIENTS.**

## In Their Own Words...

*“Following our graduation, all eight volleyball seniors said that the feeling of the Dig Pink event was their favorite high school accomplishment. For me personally, the engineering career I had planned changed to a calling to become a nurse.”*

### SARAH HEMMINGER

Side-Out Ambassador Program scholarship winner

*“The special part of Side-Out is that we're doing a better job of matching a treatment with the patient's particular cancer.”*

### DR. NICHOLAS ROBERT

Former chairman of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) Community Research Forum and scientific adviser for The Side-Out Foundation

*“Few realize the impact of The Side-Out Foundation. Yes, they raise money, but they do so much more: they empower volleyball players, they fund cutting-edge research, and most importantly, they extend the lives of women with late-stage breast cancer. This is a program worth investing in!”*

### KATHY DEBOER

Executive Director, American Volleyball Coaches Association

*“Being that it's a solely volleyball foundation, it's like keeping it in the family. It teaches kids and high school students that they need to give back and the importance of giving back. It's an easy way to do it and to fire people up.”*

### APRIL ROSS

2x Olympic Medalist, Professional Beach Volleyball Player