

MATCHING SUPPORT

Skills
needed

Kirk's Supporters must be able to--

- Help me to keep track of time & all of my appointments.
- Knows when & when not to speak in my behalf.
- Using the computer for health information gathering.
- Know when to offer help.
- Laugh at my jokes!

Support
needed +
wanted

Help me convey treatment preferences & alternatives to my specialists.

Know what to say when the pain is unbearable.

-Laughs a lot with KIRK and at his jokes- (also a skill!)

- Compassionate, patient, respectfully blunt.
- Great listener & can balance this with not judging.
- Have great "bed-side" manners- Enjoys having conversation.

personality
characteristics
needed



shared
common
interests

- Gardening (willing to share your garden tips!).
- Enjoys comedy and telling jokes.
- Sports (especially basketball, football, baseball).
- Interested in gaining my trust (also a skill).
- Interest in listening about my children and their lives.

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