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Dear Us TOO Support Group/Chapter Leaders and Friends,

Enclosed is the October 2010 edition of Us TOO's *HotSheet*.

We are almost at the end of September and lots has happened to raise awareness and needed funds to move our mission forward. Thanks to all of you who have taken part in events and been active this month. Be sure and send us pictures of your activities for us to share.

In this edition of the *HotSheet* you will see coverage of the Us TOO 20th Anniversary symposium and celebration including results from an interesting survey conducted on-site during the meeting by Dr. Gerald Chodak and online by Terry Herbert.

Mark your calendars for the October 13th webinar/teleconference "*Understanding Diagnostic Testing for Prostate Cancer*" it should be a great session. Thanks to Veridex for supporting this event.

You will also see a summary article of the new website tool for men and their family members facing advanced disease called "*My Prostate Cancer Roadmap*" which was launched September 1st. The feedback has been positive so far and the plan is to add new material as time passes.

There is also continuing news about the developing issues associated CMS decision to study whether they will reach a decision on reimbursing for Provenge. As you will see Dr. Moyad has been working up a petition in anticipation of their November 17th meeting. Please join in and support Dr. Moyad in his efforts.

Look soon for the announcement seeking nominations for the 3rd Annual Edward C. Kaps Hope Awards for outstanding support group leaders in 2010. Our plans are to get that out within the next few weeks and present the awards at the Us TOO Annual Meeting on Friday, December 3, 2010. Help us recognize those deserving people out there.

Thank you for all you are doing in your communities and remember we are strong together.

Sincerely,

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