About Us
Founded in 1944, CancerCare is the leading national organization providing free, professional support services and information to help people manage the emotional, practical and financial challenges of cancer. Our comprehensive services include counseling and support groups over the phone, online and in-person, educational workshops, publications and financial and co-payment assistance. All CancerCare services are provided by oncology social workers and world-leading cancer experts. To learn more, visit www.cancercare.org or call 800-813-HOPE (4673).

CancerCare is pleased to collaborate with these organizations:

American Cancer Society  
www.cancer.org; 1-800-227-2345
American Psychosocial Oncology Society  
www.apos-society.org; 1-866-276-7443
American Society of Clinical Oncology  
www.cancer.net; 1-888-661-3038
The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP)  
outreach.amp.org; 1-301-634-7939
Association of Clinicians for the Underserved  
www.clinicians.org; 1-844-422-8247
Association of Oncology Social Work  
www.aosw.org; 1-847-686-2233
Black Women’s Health Imperative  
www.bwhi.org; 1-202-787-5931
Cancer Patient Education Network  
www.cancerpatienteducation.org
Cancer Support Community  
www.cancersupportcommunity.org; 1-888-793-9355
Caregiver Action Network  
www.caregiveraction.org; 1-855-227-3640
Joe’s House – A Lodging Guide for Cancer Patients  
www.joeshouse.org; 1-877-563-7468
Latinas Contra Cancer  
www.latinascontracancer.org; 1-888-LCC-8110
The LGBT Cancer Project  
www.lgbtcancer.org
LIVESTRONG Foundation  
www.livestrong.org; 1-855-220-7777
Multinational Association of Supportive Care in Cancer  
www.mascc.org
National Association of Social Workers  
www.socialworkers.org; 1-202-408-8600
National Center for Frontier Communities  
www.frontierus.org; 1-575-597-0039
National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship  
www.canceradvocacy.org; 1-877-NCSS-YES (1-877-622-7937)
National Comprehensive Cancer Network® (NCCN®) – NCCN Guidelines for Patients®  
www.nccn.org/patients
NeedyMeds  
www.needymeds.org; 1-800-503-6897
Research Advocacy Network  
www.researchadvocacy.org; 1-877-276-2187
Scott Hamilton CARES Foundation  
www.scottcares.org
Triage Cancer  
www.triagecancer.org; 1-424-258-4628
Vital Options International  
www.vitaloptions.org; 1-800-518-2354

Taking Your Pills on Schedule: Why It Is So Important in Managing Cancer

Wednesday, April 14, 2021  
1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time

A free CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop for people living with cancer, their families, partners, caregivers, friends and health care professionals

Listen to this workshop over the telephone or connect to our webcast online.
**What is a CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop?**

CancerCare Connect® Education Workshops are a cost-free way to learn about cancer-related issues from the convenience of your home or office. Leading experts in oncology provide the most up-to-date information on the telephone and online.

**How do I participate?**
You can listen to this workshop on the telephone or via live streaming through the Internet. Participation is free.

**How do I register?**
There are two ways to register:
- Call 800-813-HOPE (4673)
- Register online at [www.cancercare.org/connect](http://www.cancercare.org/connect)

After you have registered, you will receive additional information.

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**Missed a CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop?**

A listing of featured programs is available by calling 888-337-7533, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. You can also listen to previous workshops on the CancerCare website. Just log on to [www.cancercare.org/podcasts](http://www.cancercare.org/podcasts).

**Continuing Education Credits (Live Only)**

- **Social Workers:** This program has been submitted to The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, an approved provider through the Texas State Board of Social Work Examiners, provider #CS4607, for 1.0 Contact Hour.
- **Registered Dietitians:** This program has been submitted to the Commission on Dietetic Registration for one Continuing Professional Education Unit (CPEU).

To request continuing education paperwork, please email your name, profession, and address to connect@cancercare.org after the program. All paperwork for continuing education credit must be requested, completed, and submitted within two weeks of the live program.

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**Workshop Topics**

- Overview of Cancer Treatments, in the Context of COVID-19
- Definition of Adherence: Taking Your Pills on Schedule
- Its Important Role in Managing Cancer, in the Context of COVID-19
- Barriers to Taking Your Pills
- Practical Tips to Overcome These Barriers, including Family, Partners and Others
- Computer, Tablet and Phone Reminders including Emails, Texts, and Apps
- Planning Ahead: Lead Time in Refilling Prescriptions, Weekend, Special Occasions and Holidays
- Communicating with Your Health Care Team about Adherence
- Reminders from Your Pharmacy and Pharmacist
- Clinical Trials on Adherence, in the Context of COVID-19
- Telehealth & Telemedicine Appointments
- Guidelines to Prepare for Telehealth/Telemedicine Appointments, including Technology & List of Questions
- Questions for Our Panel of Experts

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**Speakers**

- **Michael K. Wong, MD, PhD, FRCPC**
  - Professor, Cutaneous Cancers Medical Oncology
  - Executive Director, Integration and Program Development
  - Cancer Network
  - The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

- **Sharon Flynn, MS, RN, ANP-BC, AOCNS, BMTCN**
  - Nurse Practitioner
  - Nursing Research and Translational Science
  - Clinical Center Nursing Department
  - National Institutes of Health
  - Clinical Research Center

- **Guadalupe Palos, DrPH, MSW, RN**
  - Clinical Protocol Administration Manager
  - Office of Cancer Survivorship
  - The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

- **Carolyn Messner, DSW, OSW-C, FAPOS, FAOSW**
  - Director of Education and Training

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