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:

CLL Society Inc.
www.cllsociety.org

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; 1-888-511-9559

The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP)
www.amp.org; 1-202-347-7829

Association of Clinicians for the Underserved
www.acus.org; 1-844-422-9207

Association of Oncology Social Work
www.aosw.org; 1-847-686-2233

Be The Match® Patient Support Center
www.bethematch.org; 1-888-999-6743

Black Women’s Health Imperative
www.bwhi.org; 1-888-793-9355

Bone Marrow & Cancer Foundation
www.bone marrow.org; 1-800-365-1336

Cancer Patient Education Network
www.cancereducationnetwork.org

Cancer Support Community
www.cancersupportcommunity.org; 1-888-793-9355

Caregiver Action Network
www.caregiveraction.org

DKMS
www.dkms.org; 1-212-209-6700

Intercultural Cancer Council
www.interculturalcancercouncil.org

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

Leukemia Research Foundation
www.allbloodcancers.org; 1-847-424-0600

The LGBT Cancer Project
www.gbltcancer.org

LIVESTRONG Foundation
www.livestrong.org; 1-855-270-7777

Lymphoma Foundation of America
www.lymphoma.org; 1-734-222-1100

Lymphoma Research Foundation
www.lymphoma.org; 1-800-500-9976

Multinational Association of Supportive Care in Cancer
www.masoc.org

National Association of Social Workers
www.socialworkers.org; 1-800-503-6897

National Bone Marrow Transplant Link
www.bmtransplant.org; 1-888-LINK-BMT (1-888-546-5268)

National Center for Frontier Communities
www.frontierus.org; 1-877-622-1100

National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship
www.canceradvocacy.org; 1-877-NCCS-YES (1-877-622-7937)

National Comprehensive Cancer Network® (NCCN®) – NCCN Guidelines for Patients®
www.nccn.org/patients

National Organization for Rare Disorders®
www.rarediseases.org; 1-800-989-0901

The National Kidney Registry
www.needykneds.org; 1-800-503-6897

Prevent Cancer Foundation
www.preventcancer.org; 1-800-227-2322

Research Advocacy Network
www.researchadvocacy.org; 1-877-276-2187

Scott Hamilton CARES Foundation
www.scotthcares.org

Triage Cancer
www.triagecancer.org; 1-877-276-2187

Vital Options International
www.vitaloptions.org

Living with Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia

A Two-Part Series
1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time

Thursday, March 17, 2022
Thursday, March 24, 2022

A free CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop Series for people living with chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), their families, partners, caregivers, friends and health care professionals.

Listen to these workshops over the telephone or connect to our webcasts 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
After you have registered, you will receive additional information.

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.

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 #CS4697, for 1.0 Contact Hour. Cancer Care, Inc.is recognized by the New York State Education Department’s State Board for Social Work as an approved provider of continuing education for licensed social workers #SW-0088. Each workshop is approved for 1.0 Contact Hour.

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Part I Thursday, March 17, 2022

Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL): What’s New

Workshop Topics
• Update on Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL), in the Context of COVID-19 & Its Variants
• Current Treatment Options
• New & Emerging Treatment Approaches
• Clinical Trial Updates
• How Research Increases Treatment Options
• The Increasing Role of Telehealth/Telemedicine Appointments
• Communicating with Your Health Care Team about Quality-of-Life Concerns
• Questions for Our Panel of Experts

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Part II Thursday, March 24, 2022

Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia: Current Treatment Perspectives

Workshop Topics
• Review of Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL), in the Context of COVID-19 & Its Variants
• Significant Role of Testing in Informing Your Treatment Choices
• First Line Treatment Options
• Treatment of Relapsed & Refractory CLL
• Re-Testing Importance in Determining Treatment for 2nd & 3rd Line Treatments
• Current Perspectives on New & Emerging Treatments of CLL
• Updates on Clinical Trials & Their Significance for CLL
• Guidelines to Prepare for Telehealth/Telemedicine Appointments, including Technology, Prepared List of Questions, Follow-Up Appointments & Discussion of OpenNotes
• Practical Support to Cope with CLL
• Questions for Our Panel of Experts

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