

## 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](http://www.cancercare.org) or call **800-813-HOPE (4673)**.

CancerCare is pleased to collaborate with these organizations:

### **American Cancer Society**

[www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org); 1-800-227-2345

### **American Psychosocial Oncology Society**

[www.apos-society.org](http://www.apos-society.org); 1-866-276-7443

### **American Society of Clinical Oncology**

[www.cancer.net](http://www.cancer.net); 1-888-651-3038

### **The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP)**

[www.amp.org](http://www.amp.org); 1-301-634-7939

### **Association of Clinicians for the Underserved**

[www.clinicians.org](http://www.clinicians.org); 1-844-422-8247

### **Association of Oncology Social Work**

[www.aosw.org](http://www.aosw.org); 1-847-686-2233

### **Be the Match® Patient Services**

[www.bethematch.org](http://www.bethematch.org); 1-888-999-6743

### **Black Women's Health Imperative**

[www.bwhi.org](http://www.bwhi.org); 1-202-548-4000

### **Blood & Marrow Transplant Information Network**

[www.bmtinfonet.org](http://www.bmtinfonet.org); 1-888-597-7674

### **The Bone Marrow Foundation**

[www.bonemarrow.org](http://www.bonemarrow.org); 1-800-365-1336

### **Cancer Patient Education Network**

[www.cancerpatienteducation.org](http://www.cancerpatienteducation.org)

### **Cancer Support Community**

[www.cancersupportcommunity.org](http://www.cancersupportcommunity.org); 1-888-793-9355

### **Caregiver Action Network**

[www.caregiveraction.org](http://www.caregiveraction.org)

### **Joe's House – A Lodging Guide for Cancer Patients**

[www.joeshouse.org](http://www.joeshouse.org); 1-877-563-7468

### **Latinas Contra Cancer**

[www.latinascontracancer.org](http://www.latinascontracancer.org); 1-888-LCC-8110

### **Leukemia Research Foundation**

[www.allbloodcancers.org](http://www.allbloodcancers.org); 1-847-424-0600

### **The LGBT Cancer Project**

[www.lgbtcancer.org](http://www.lgbtcancer.org)

### **LIVESTRONG Foundation**

[www.livestrong.org](http://www.livestrong.org); 1-855-220-7777

### **MDS Foundation**

[www.mds-foundation.org](http://www.mds-foundation.org); 1-800-MDS-0839

### **MetaCancer Foundation**

[www.metacancer.org](http://www.metacancer.org)

### **Multinational Association of Supportive Care in Cancer**

[www.mascc.org](http://www.mascc.org)

### **National Association of Social Workers**

[www.socialworkers.org](http://www.socialworkers.org); 1-202-408-8600

### **National Bone Marrow Transplant Link**

[www.nbmtlink.org](http://www.nbmtlink.org); 1-800-LINK-BMT (1-800-546-5268)

### **National Center for Frontier Communities**

[www.frontierus.org](http://www.frontierus.org); 1-575-534-0101

### **National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship**

[www.canceradvocacy.org](http://www.canceradvocacy.org); 1-888-650-9127

### **National Comprehensive Cancer Network® (NCCN®) – NCCN Guidelines for Patients®**

[www.nccn.org/patients](http://www.nccn.org/patients)

### **NeedyMeds**

[www.needymeds.org](http://www.needymeds.org); 1-800-503-6897

### **Research Advocacy Network**

[www.researchadvocacy.org](http://www.researchadvocacy.org); 1-877-276-2187

### **Scott Hamilton CARES Foundation**

[www.scottcares.org](http://www.scottcares.org)

### **Vital Options International**

[www.vitaloptions.org](http://www.vitaloptions.org)



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**CANCERCARE CONNECT® EDUCATION WORKSHOP**

## Progress in the Treatment of Myelodysplastic Syndromes (MDS)

**Monday, June 18, 2018**

**1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time**

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

Listen to this workshop over the telephone or connect to our webcast online.



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Help and Hope

**800-813-HOPE (4673)**

**[www.cancercare.org](http://www.cancercare.org)  
[connect@cancercare.org](mailto:connect@cancercare.org)**

## 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 three ways to register:

- Mail this registration form to CancerCare®
- 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.

## 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.

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. This workshop is approved 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](mailto: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 Myelodysplastic Syndromes (MDS)
- Diagnosis & Staging
- Current Standard of Care
- New & Emerging Treatment Approaches
- The Role of Clinical Trials
- Tips to Manage Symptoms & Side Effects
- Nutrition & Hydration Concerns & Tips
- Key Questions to Ask Your Health Care Team
- Next Steps After Treatment
- Questions for Our Panel of Experts

### Speakers

#### Gail J. Roboz, MD

Director, Clinical and Translational Leukemia Programs  
Professor of Medicine  
Weill Cornell Medical College  
The New York-Presbyterian Hospital

#### Raoul Tibes, MD, PhD

Director, Clinical Leukemia Program  
Laura & Isaac Perlmutter Cancer Center  
Associate Professor, NYU School of Medicine  
Scholar in Clinical Research  
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society  
NYU Langone Health

#### Diana L. Bearden, MS, RD, CSO, LD, CNSC

Dietitian  
Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center

#### Carolyn Messner, DSW, OSW-C, FAPOS

Director of Education and Training  
CancerCare®

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STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

*Please list the phone number where you can be reached on the day of the workshop.*

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU A HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail this registration form to:**  
Carolyn Messner, DSW, OSW-C, FAPOS  
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OR

**Register online at**  
[www.cancercare.org/connect](http://www.cancercare.org/connect)



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