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 these workshops 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: Each program in this series 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. Each workshop in this series is approved for 1.0 Contact Hour.

Registered Dietitians: Each program in this series 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.

Life with Multiple Myeloma
1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time

Part I Thursday, June 11, 2020

Progress in the Treatment of Multiple Myeloma

Workshop Topics
• Overview of Multiple Myeloma, in the Context of COVID-19
• Current Standard of Care
• New Treatment Approaches and the Role of Transplantation
• Clinical Trial Updates: How Research Contributes to Your Treatment Options
• Practical Tips for Symptom, Side Effect and Pain Management
• Reducing Complications of Bone Disease
• Lifestyle, Physical Activity & Mobility Tips to Improve Your Quality-of-Life
• Recommendations for How to Prepare for Telehealth Appointments with Your Health Care Team
• Questions for Our Panel of Experts

Speakers
William Bensinger, MD
Center for Blood Disorders and Stem Cell Transplantation
SCI’s Personalized Medicine Program
Myeloma & Transplant Program, Swedish Cancer Institute

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Massachusetts General Hospital Cancer Center
Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School

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Part II Thursday, June 25, 2020

Coping with the Stresses of Caregiving for Your Loved One with Multiple Myeloma

Workshop Topics
• Overview of Multiple Myeloma
• Caregiving & Social Distancing, in the Context of COVID-19
• Taking on the Role of Caregiving: Your Important Role in Decision Making
• Caring for Your Loved One with Multiple Myeloma
• Challenges in Communicating with the Health Care Team
• Your Role in Adherence: Weekends, Holidays and Vacations
• Coping with Each Day, On Special Occasions, Anniversaries & Birthdays
• Managing Family, Friends & Traditions, in the Context of Social Distancing
• Long Distance Caregiving
• Self-Care Tips for Managing Stress
• Questions for Our Panel of Experts

Speakers
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