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

After you have registered, you will receive additional information.

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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.

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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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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; 1-888-726-7448
American Society of Clinical Oncology
www.cancer.net; 1-888-662-3528
The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP)
www.amp.org; 1-301-634-7939
Association of Clinicians for the Underserved
www.associations.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; 1-202-548-4000
Cancer Patient Education Network
www.cancerpatienteducation.org
Cancer Support Community
www.cancersupportcommunity.org; 1-888-793-9355
Caregiver Action Network
www.caregiveraction.org
Joe’s House – A Lodging Guide for Cancer Patients
www.josehouse.org; 1-877-563-7468
Latinas Contra Cancer
www.latinascontraancancer.org; 1-888-LCC-8110
The LGBT Cancer Project
www.lgbtcancer.org
LIVESTRONG Foundation
www.livestrong.org; 1-855-220-7777
MetaCancer Foundation
www.metacancer.org
Multinational Association of Supportive Care in Cancer
www.mascc.org
National Association of Social Workers
www.socialworkers.org; 1-800-362-6738
National Center for Frontier Communities
www.frontiercenters.org
National Coalition for Cancer Survivors
www.canceradvocacy.org; 1-877-NCCS-YES (1-877-622-7937)
National Comprehensive Cancer Network® (NCCN®) – NCCN Guidelines for Patients®
www.nccn.org/patients
NeedysMeds
www.needymeds.org; 1-800-503-6897
Research Advocacy Network
www.researchadvocacy.org; 1-877-276-2187
Scott Hamilton CARES Foundation
www.scottcares.org
Vital Options International
www.vitaloptions.org

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A Five-Part Series

Wednesdays
1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time

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March 18, 2020
March 25, 2020
April 8, 2020
April 22, 2020

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Part I  
March 4, 2020  
Trends in Oncology and Treatment Planning: What You Need to Know  
Michael Offin, MD  
Thoracic Oncology Service  
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center  
Stacy Stabler, MD, PhD  
Clinical Director, Supportive Care Inpatient Services  
Program Director, Palliative Medicine Fellowship  
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center  
Guadalupe Palos, DrPH, MSW, RN  
Clinical Protocol Administration Manager  
Office of Cancer Survivorship  
The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center  
Paige Soleimani, MSW  
Oncology Social Worker  
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Part II  
March 18, 2020  
Understanding the Costs of Care and Your Health Care Coverage  
Leonard Saltz, MD  
Medical Oncologist  
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center  
Professor of Medicine  
Weill Cornell Medical College  
Debra J. Wolf, Esq.  
Senior Supervising Attorney, LegalHealth  
New York Legal Assistance Group (NYLAG)  
Michele McCourt  
Senior Director  
CancerCare® Co-Payment Assistance Foundation  
Vilmarie Rodriguez, MSW  
Senior Director of Patient Assistance Programs  
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Part III  
March 25, 2020  
Cancer and The Workplace: Understanding Your Legal Protections  
Richard J. Gralla, MD, FACP  
Professor of Medicine  
Albert Einstein College of Medicine  
Jacobi Medical Center  
Nina Pijevs Gorman, Esq.  
Supervising Attorney, LegalHealth  
New York Legal Assistance Group (NYLAG)  
Kathleen Nugent, MSW  
Director of Regional Programs  
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Part IV  
April 8, 2020  
Participating in Decisions About Your Care  
Stewart B. Fleishman, MD,  
Former Founding Director, Cancer Support Services  
Continuum Cancer Centers of New York  
Author, Researcher in Oncology  
Guadalupe Palos, DrPH, MSW, RN  
Clinical Protocol Administration Manager  
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Georgie Cusack, MS, RN, AOCNS  
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National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute  
Adjunct Nurse Leader  
Nursing Research and Translational Science  
Clinical Center, National Institutes of Health  
Victoria Puzo, MSW  
Online Support Group Program Manager  
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Part V  
April 22, 2020  
For Caregivers: Care Coordination for Your Loved One Living with Cancer and Other Health Problems  
Jeffrey Crawford, MD  
George Barth Geller Professor for Research in Cancer  
Department of Medicine  
Co-Leader Solid Tumor Therapeutics Program  
Duke Cancer Institute  
Erin Kent, PhD, MS  
Associate Professor  
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