#### **About Us**

CancerCare is a national nonprofit, 501 c(3) organization providing free, professional support services to anyone affected by cancer: people with cancer, caregivers, children, loved ones and the bereaved. Cancer Care programs—including counseling and support groups, education, financial assistance and practical help—are provided by professional oncology social workers and are completely free of charge. For more information, call 1-800-813-HOPE (4673) or visit www.cancercare.org.

#### Drugs don't work in patients who don't take them.

 C. Everett Koop, MD Former US Surgeon General

CML researchers are discovering new drugs to treat CML that can be taken by mouth, at home, work or in the community. This has reduced the amount of time spent in doctors' offices. CML patients have now become active participants in their care. They have to remember to take their pills on schedule.

#### What is Adherence?

Adherence to a medication schedule is defined as the extent to which patients take their pills as prescribed by their medical team. The full benefit of many effective treatments is achieved only if people follow the prescribed schedule as closely as possible.

#### **How will this Connect Workshop Series Help You?**

This four-part series will:

- Identify barriers in sticking to a treatment schedule
- Recommend strategies and tips to overcome these barriers and
- Offer suggestions to enlist caregivers to help improve adherence

CancerCare is pleased to have collaborated with the following organizations in offering this Workshop:

**American Cancer Society** 

www.cancer.org; 1-800-ACS-2345

**American Psychosocial Oncology Society** 

www.apos-society.org; 1-866-276-7443

American Society of Clinical Oncology

www.cancer.net; 1-888-651-3038

Association of Clinicians for the Underserved

www.clinicians.org; 1-703-442-5318

**Association of Oncology Social Work** 

www.aosw.org; 1-215-599-6093

Be the Match® Patient Services

www.bethematch.org; 1-888-999-6743

**Black Women's Health Imperative** 

www.blackwomenshealth.org; 1-202-548-4000

**Blood & Marrow Transplant Information Network** 

www.bmtinfonet.org

**Cancer Patient Education Network** 

www.cancerpatienteducation.org

**Cancer Support Community** 

www.cancersupportcommunity.org; 1-888-793-WELL (9355)

**Caregiver Action Network** 

www.caregiveractionnetwork.org; 1-301-942-6430

**Education Network to Advance Cancer Clinical Trials** 

www.enacct.org; 1-240-482-4730

**Intercultural Cancer Council** 

www.ICCNetwork.org

Joe's House - A Lodging Guide for Cancer Patients

www.joeshouse.org; 1-877-563-7468

**Leukemia Research Foundation** 

www.leukemia-research.org; 1-847-424-0600

**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 Bone Marrow Transplant Link** 

www.nbmtlink.org; 1-800-LINK-BMT (1-800-546-5268)

**National Center for Frontier Communities** 

www.frontierus.org; 1-575-534-0101

**The National CML Society** 

www.nationalcmlsociety.org; 1-877-431-2573

**National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship** 

www.canceradvocacy.org; 1-888-650-9127

**Research Advocacy Network** 

www.researchadvocacy.org; 1-877-276-2187

Vital Options International & The Group Room®

www.vitaloptions.org; 1-800-477-7666



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## **Going the Distance: Thriving and Surviving** with Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia (CML)

**A Four-Part Series** 

Wednesdays

1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time

**April 10, 2013 April 24, 2013** May 22, 2013 June 19, 2013

A free CancerCare Connect Education Workshop™ Series for people living with CML, their families, friends and health care professionals

You can listen to this workshop over the telephone or connect to our webcast online.



1-800-813-HOPE (4673) www.cancercare.org connect@cancercare.org

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

### What is a CancerCare Connect Education Workshop™?

Cancer*Care* Connect Education Workshops allow people to learn about cancer-related issues from the convenience of their home or office. Leading experts in oncology provide the most up-to-date information on the telephone. All workshops are free.

#### 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 1-800-813-HOPE (4673)
- Register online at

www.cancercare.org/connect

After you have registered, you will receive additional information.

#### Missed a CancerCare Connect Workshop?

A listing of featured programs is available by calling **1-888-337-7533**, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. You can also listen to previous workshops on the Cancer*Care* web site. Just log on to **www.cancercare.org/podcasts.** 

#### **Continuing Education Credits**

Social Workers: This program is approved for 1.0 Contact Hour to social workers upon verification of completion. The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center is an approved provider through the Texas State Board of Social Work Examiners, provider #CS4607.

**Dietitians:** This program has been submitted to the Commission on Dietetic Registration for one Continuing Professional Education Unit (CPEU).

Any questions about Professional Continuing Education Credits should be directed to: **connect@cancercare.org.** 

This program was made possible by Bristol-Myers Squibb, Teva Oncology, and ARIAD Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

## **Workshop Schedule**

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**April 10, 2013** 

# Progress in the Treatment of CML

#### Michael J. Mauro, MD

Part I

Associate Professor Center for Hematologic Malignancies Knight Cancer Institute at Oregon Health and Science University

#### Eric J. Feldman, MD

Director of Hematological Malignancies at Weill Cornell Attending Physician, New York-Presbyterian Hospital Professor of Medicine, Weill Cornell Medical College

#### **Richard Dickens, MSW**

Clinical Supervisor Mind/Body Project Coordinator CancerCare

# Part II April 24, 2013 Sharing Responsibility for Your Care

#### Ruben A. Mesa, MD, FACP

Consultant Hematologist, Mayo Clinic in Arizona Chair, Division of Hematology and Medical Oncology Deputy Director, Mayo Clinic Cancer Center Professor of Medicine

#### Lisa A. Thompson, PharmD, BCOP

Assistant Professor, Department of Clinical Pharmacy University of Colorado Skaggs School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

#### Guadalupe R. Palos, RN, MSW, DrPH

Clinical Research Manager Division of Medical Affairs Department of Cancer Survivorship The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

#### Glenn Meuche, MSW

Oncology Social Work Coordinator CancerCare

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## Part III

# I Can't Remember to Take My Pills on Time: Help! A Practical Guide to Follow

#### Elias Jabbour, MD

Assistant Professor, Department of Leukemia
Division of Cancer Medicine
The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

#### Barbara A. Given, PhD, RN, FAAN

University Distinguished Professor Associate Dean for Research and Doctoral Program College of Nursing Michigan State University

#### **Richard Dickens, MSW**

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#### Part IV

**June 19, 2013** 

May 22, 2013

# When Your Loved One Has CML: How Caregivers Can Help Improve Adherence

#### Jason Robert Gotlib, MD, MS

Associate Professor of Medicine (Hematology) Director, Stanford MPN Center Stanford University School of Medicine Stanford Cancer Institute

#### Carolyn Blasdel, FNP-BC, OCN

Nurse Practitioner Knight Cancer Institute Oregon Health and Science University

#### Sandra L. Spoelstra, PhD, RN

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