

4TH CELEBRATION OF HOPE: FOCUS ON KIDNEY CANCER EDUCATION SYMPOSIUM

Tuesday, December 3, 2024

AGENDA

7:55am **Log-In to Virtual Conference**

8:15am **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

Naomi Haas, MD | Hematology Oncology | Conference Chair

Glenn Sykes | Cancer Patient Advocate | Conference Co-Chair

News from the Abramson Cancer Center

Rhiannon Nolt | Penn Medicine Development

GENERAL SESSION 1: I HAVE BEEN RECENTLY DIAGNOSED, NOW WHAT?

8:30am **What Will My Surgery Be Like?**

Daniel Lee, MD, MS | Urology | Conference Co-Chair

8:45am **Is Surgery My Only Option?**

Arun Goel, MD | Radiation Oncology

9:00am **For the Moment, I Am Cancer-Free. What Is My Risk of Recurrence, and Can I Do Anything to Prevent It?**

Vivek Narayan, MD, MS | Hematology Oncology | Conference Co-Chair

9:15am **How Do I Care for My Other Kidney After Surgery?**

Katalin Susztak, MD, PhD | Renal-Electrolyte and Hypertension

9:25am **A Cancer Diagnosis Can Be Traumatic;
How Can I Take Care of My Mental Health?**

Lauren Rhodewalt, MSW, LSW, MPH | Oncology Social Work

9:35am **How Do I Find the Best Doctor for Me?**

Meryl Uranga, PMP, ITIL® v3 | KidneyCAN

9:45am **Is Genetic Testing Important If I Have Kidney Cancer?**

Katherine Nathanson, MD | Medical Genetics

Virtual Meeting at PennMedicine.org/Abramson/Kidney2024

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10:00am What Are You Looking for With All the Blood Draws?

Tarenne Carrington, CRNP | Hematology Oncology

10:10am What's Different About My Non-Clear Cell Kidney Cancer?

Lin Mei, MD | Hematology Oncology | Conference Co-Chair

10:25am Q&A Panel Discussion

MODERATOR:

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10:45am Break

GENERAL SESSION 2: MY CANCER SPREAD, WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT TREATMENT?

**11:00am What Does the Treatment Landscape Look Like
and Is There Anything Promising on The Horizon?**

Naomi Haas, MD | Hematology Oncology | Conference Chair

11:30am Clinical Trial Outreach/What's a Clinical Trial?

Kate Barbour, MSc | National Clinical Trials Network

11:45am Can I Be Off Treatment? - Treatment Breaks When My Cancer Responds

Phil Pierorazio, MD | Urology | Conference Co-Chair

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12:00pm **Measuring and Mitigating Decision Regret in the Management of Kidney Cancer**

Sarah Psutka, MD | Urology

12:15pm **What is a Biomarker and Why Should I Care?**

Vivek Narayan, MD, MS | Hematology Oncology | Conference Co-Chair

12:30pm **If I Give Permission for My Blood or Kidney Cancer Tissue To Be Used for Research – What Actually Happens?**

Naomi Haas, MD | Hematology Oncology | Conference Chair

12:40pm **Q&A Panel Discussion**

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1:00pm **Lunch**

GENERAL SESSION 3: I'M NOT CURED, HOW DO I MAINTAIN MY QUALITY OF LIFE?

1:30pm **Having a Positive Relationship with Your Oncologist Through Good and Bad Times**

Glenn Sykes | Cancer Patient Advocate | Conference Co-Chair

1:45pm **Maintaining Positive Relationships with Family and Friends**

Neal Niznan, MSW, LCSW | Oncology Social Work

2:00pm **Side Effect Management**

Tarenne Carrington, CRNP | Hematology Oncology

2:15pm **Supportive Care During Treatment**

Debra Kossman, PhD, CRNP | Hematology Oncology

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2:30pm

Q&A Panel Discussion

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3:00pm

Closing Remarks

Naomi Haas, MD | Hematology Oncology | Conference Chair

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Through December 2025**