

2023 Virtual Patient and Family Conference

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Agenda

Friday, November 3, 2023

5:00 p.m.	Begin joining virtual platform
5:30 p.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks Patricia Bocangel, Director, Patient Experience, CancerCare Manitoba
5:35 p.m.	Opening Prayer Elder Linda St. Cyr-Saric
5:40 p.m.	Conference Launch Patricia Bocangel, Director, Patient Experience, CancerCare Manitoba
6:05 p.m.	Greetings from CancerCare Manitoba Dr. Sri Navaratnam, President & CEO, CancerCare Manitoba
6:20 p.m.	Keynote Presentation: "Tapping into Your Inner Strength" - Building Mind and Body Resiliency Dr. Rob Rutledge, Radiation Oncologist, Nova Scotia Cancer Centre
7:30 p.m.	Keynote Q&A
7:45 p.m.	Closing Remarks Patricia Bocangel, Director, Patient Experience, CancerCare Manitoba

Saturday, November 4, 2023

8:00 a.m.	Begin joining virtual platform
8:10 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks Dr. Donna Turner, Chief of Population Oncology, CancerCare Manitoba
8:30 a.m.	Unravelling the Mysteries around Cancer and Cancer Staging Jodi Hyman, Nurse Educator, CancerCare Manitoba
9:00 a.m.	A Guided Video Journey: Introduction to Radiation Therapy Cyndy Penner, Quality & Education Coordinator, CancerCare Manitoba
9:30 a.m.	BREAK AND VIRTUAL BOOTHS
9:40 a.m.	Putting the "Me" in Cancer Therapy: Personalized Medicine and Treating Cancer Dr. Piotr Czaykowski, Medical Oncologist, CancerCare Manitoba
10:10 a.m.	Protein: Tips and Tricks. Getting enough during cancer treatment Caitlin Woodrow, Dietitian, CancerCare Manitoba
10:40 a.m.	BREAK AND VIRTUAL BOOTHS
10:55 a.m.	Tame the Worry! Coping with the Fear of Cancer Recurrence Cheryl Dizon-Reynante, Counsellor & Clinical Lead, CancerCare Manitoba
11:25 a.m.	Communication Skills for Loved Ones - Marina Di Curzio, Counsellor, CCMB "What Happened to the Old Me from Before Cancer?" - Ian Scott, Counsellor, CCMB

11:55 a.m.	Noona/MyCare App - Viewing the Software from the Patient Perspective Jennifer Moyer, Director of Patient Services, Rad. Oncology, CancerCare Manitoba	
12:10 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK AND VIRTUAL BOOTHS	
12:40 p.m.	Traditional Indigenous Medicine and its Role in Cancer Prevention and Treatment - Kathy Bird, Traditional Knowledge Keeper/Traditional Medicine Practitioner	Shock and Awe: Suffering and Solace on Cancer Journeys - Doug Koop, Spiritual Health Practitioner
1:25 p.m.	Navigating Exercise throughout the Cancer Journey Evan Van Dale and Lara Bruce, Fitness Professionals, Reh-Fit Centre	
1:55 p.m.	BREAK AND VIRTUAL BOOTHS	
2:05 p.m.	Patient Panel Facilitator - Kimberly Proch, Counsellor, CCMB; Panelists - Dino, Thanh, Colleen	
2:50 p.m.	Resources and Supports to Self-Navigate and Self-Advocate Allison Wiens, Education & Liaison Nurse- Health Equity, CancerCare Manitoba	
3:20 p.m.	Closing Prayer and Remarks Elder Linda St. Cyr-Saric Cheryl Dizon-Reynante, Counsellor & Clinical Lead, CancerCare Manitoba	

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