

Biannual Cancer Rehabilitation Conference

April 15, 2023

8am – 1:40pm

UPMC Hillman Cancer Center

Sponsored by:

University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Department of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation

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Overview

As cancer survival rates are on the rise, survivors are advocating for improved quality of life both during treatment and after treatment ends. In addition, research is showing that therapy and physical medicine and rehabilitation interventions are beneficial and safe for patients with cancer. This course will aim to outline the gaps in care and raise awareness for the importance of cancer rehabilitation for all healthcare professionals including physicians, advanced practice providers, nurses and therapists.

Learning Objectives:

At the end of this learning activity attendees will be able to describe and apply:

1. the quality-of-life effect of financial toxicity
2. the role and impact pre-habilitation and exercise have in the cancer care continuum
3. the features and impact of CAR T neurotoxicity and treatment approaches
4. the impact of cancer-related fatigue and treatment approaches
5. the impact of chemotherapy-induced peripheral neuropathy on mobility and falls, and methods of treatment
6. the effects of CNS tumors on functional outcomes

Target Audience

Nurses, physical therapists, occupational therapists, case managers, physiatrists/physicians, fellows, and residents involved with the acute care and rehabilitation of cancer patients are encouraged to attend.

Faculty Listing

Course Directors

Maryanne Henderson, DO

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Courtney Dube, PT, DPT

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Presenters

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Physicians Assistant
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Brendan McNeish, MD

Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
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Kathryn Schmitz, PhD, MPH,
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Leader, Catchment Area Research
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Marta Penas-Pardo, MD, MSc

Senior Clinician
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Ketki Raina, PhD, OTR/L,
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Associate Professor, Department of Occupational Therapy
University of Pittsburgh

Megan Mantica, MD

Assistant Professor, Departments of Neurology and Medicine
University of Pittsburgh

Program Schedule

7:45am	Sign In	
8:00am	Welcome	Courtney Dube
8:05am	Financial Toxicity in Patients with Rare CNS Tumors	Marta Penas-Pardo
8:35am	Exercise is Medicine	Kathryn Schmitz
9:10am	Q&A	Maryanne Henderson (Moderator)
9:40am	Break	
9:55am	CIPN: I've Fallen and I Can't Get Up	Brendan McNeish
10:25am	CAR T Cell Neurotoxicity	Jennifer Minnier
10:55am	Q&A	(Moderator)
11:25am	Lunch	
12:10pm	CNS Tumors and Functional Outcomes	Megan Mantica
12:40pm	Fatigue in Cancer	Ketki Raina
1:10pm	Q&A	(Moderator)
1:40pm	Adjourn	

Instructions to Register

Deadline to register is *April 12, 2023*

Registering online is the quickest and easiest way to reserve your space at CCEHS conferences.

- Visit our online registration site at: cce.upmc.com
- Here is the direct link to register:
- Click the "Register/Take Course? Button and enter all the requested information. After registering, an electronic confirmation will be sent to you. Online registration is complete upon receipt of a confirmation email. If you do not receive the confirmation email immediately, please contact Jessa Darwin (jcd79@pitt.edu).

Registration Fees

All cancellations must be in writing and sent to Jessa Darwin. Tuition for cancellations postmarked or date stamped on/before April 1, 2023 will be refunded in full. No refunds will be made after April 1, 2023.

Fee includes: Course credits

Registration

\$75

Residents: Free

Student Tuition: \$25

Student ID must be presented at conference sign in.

CME Accreditation and Designation Statement

In support of improving patient care, the University of Pittsburgh is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

Physician (CME)

The University of Pittsburgh designates this live activity for a maximum of **4.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nursing (CNE)

The maximum number of hours awarded for this Continuing Nursing Education activity is **4.5 contact hours**.

As a Jointly Accredited Organization, University of Pittsburgh is approved to offer social work continuing education by the **Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB)** Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program. Organizations, not individual courses, are approved under this program. State and provincial regulatory boards have the final authority to determine whether an individual course may be accepted for continuing education credit. University of Pittsburgh maintains responsibility for this course. Social workers completing this course receive **4.5 continuing education credits**.

Other healthcare professionals will receive a certificate of attendance confirming the number of contact hours commensurate with the extent of participation in this activity.

The University of Pittsburgh Department of Occupational Therapy is a pre-approved provider of continuing education in Pennsylvania. This course is approved for **4.5 Contact Hours**.

The University of Pittsburgh Department of Physical Therapy is a pre-approved provider of Continuing Education in Pennsylvania. This course is approved for **4.5 units of General Access CEUs**.

The Americans with Disabilities Act Information

Participation by all individuals is encouraged. Advance notification of any special needs will help us provide better service. Please notify us of your needs at least two weeks in advance of the program by calling Amy Pietrolaj at 412-232-4072.