

## Foundations to Practice: Hematologic Malignancies

Wednesday, September 27, 2023

UPMC Hillman Cancer Center, Remote Attendance

### Learning Objectives

The learner will be able to

1. Explain resources available from the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society
2. Identify risk factors that may lead to the development of hematologic malignancies
3. Explain the diagnostic work up for hematologic malignancies
4. Explain the treatment of hematologic malignancies
5. Recognize indications for the use of blood products in patients with cancer
6. Demonstrate learning has occurred by receiving at least an 85% on final quiz

### Schedule

7:30 am	Registration and Teams Login	
8:00 am	Welcome and Overview	Amy DiMaggio, MSN, RN, CMSRN, OCN
8:05 am	Overview of Hematologic Malignancies	Allison Wingrove, CRNP
8:40 am	Acute Myeloid Leukemia and Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia	Christina Waters, PA-C
9:35 am	Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia and Myelodysplastic Syndrome	Molly Braffet, PA-C
10:15 am	Break	
10:25 am	Lymphomas	Molly Braffet, PA-C
11:25 am	Transfusion Support in Hematology-Oncology	Lirong Qu, MD, PhD
12:00 pm	Break	
12:30 pm	Multiple Myeloma	Sarah McGregor, PA-C
1:30 pm	Chronic Myeloid Leukemia	Sarah McGregor, PA-C
2:10 pm	Break	
2:20 pm	The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	Angela Austin
2:40 pm	Questions and Review	Amy DiMaggio, MSN, RN, CMSRN, OCN
2:45 pm	Adjournment	Amy DiMaggio, MSN, RN, CMSRN, OCN

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