

Thursday, March 26, 2026 | Caribe Royale | Orlando, FL | In-Person & Virtual

7:00 – 8:00 AM

Breakfast and Registration

8:00 – 8:05 AM

Opening Remarks

Amanda E. Visnick, RN, BSN, OCN, *National Comprehensive Cancer Network*

8:05 – 8:50 AM

The Experience of Early Phase Clinical Trial Participants

Deborah Lundquist, PhD, RN, *Mass General Brigham Cancer Institute*

8:55 – 9:40 AM

Screening for More than Cancer: SDOH Assessments in the Infusion Suite Using the NCCN Distress Thermometer

Lorena Delgado, RN, MSN, OCN | Johanna Rochat, BSN, RN, OCN
Abramson Cancer Center at the University of Pennsylvania

9:40 – 9:55 AM

Break

9:55 – 10:40 AM

Gastric and Esophageal Cancers: Clinical Updates and Nursing Implications**

Molly Nestor, MSN, FNP-C, AOCNP, *Dana-Farber Cancer Institute*

10:45 – 11:30 AM

Radiating Care: The Nurse's Role in Guiding Patients Through Radiation for Head and Neck Cancers

Rochelle Jackson, DNP, APRN, FNP-C, *UT Southwestern Simmons Comprehensive Cancer Center*

11:35 AM – 12:20 PM

The Role of Accurate Antineoplastic Drug Administration in Optimizing Patient-Centered Cancer Care**

MiKaela Olsen, DNP, APRN-CNS, AOCNS, FAAN, *Johns Hopkins Kimmel Cancer Center*

12:20 – 1:20 PM

Lunch

1:20 – 2:05 PM

An Oncology-Specific Outpatient Perioperative Department: What an Extended Recovery Unit Can Offer Post Surgery

Megan Hunter, BSN, RN, CCRN | Justin Kelly, MHI, BSN, RN, CCRN, RHIA, CL IV | Heather O'Neal, MHI, BSN, RN, OCN, CL IV
The Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center - James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute

2:10 – 2:55 PM

Difficult Discussions in Oncology Nursing: Tools, Techniques and Compassion

Carey Ramirez, DNP, ANP-C, ACHPN, *City of Hope National Medical Center*

2:55 – 3:00 PM

Closing Remarks

3:00 – 6:35 PM

Free Time

6:35 – 7:45 PM

NCCN Fellows and Nursing Program Reception

*Connect with colleagues and NCCN leaders at this pre-conference networking reception. Sponsored by Genentech.
Available for in-person attendees only.*



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***Sessions eligible for pharmacotherapeutic contact hours for nurses.
All times listed as Eastern Daylight Time (UTC/GMT -4).
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