UPMC/UPCI GI Oncology Symposium 2017:
Immunotherapy and GI Cancers

Sponsored by UPMC CancerCenter, partner with University of Pittsburgh Cancer Institute, and the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Center for Continuing Education in the Health Sciences

Saturday, April 8, 2017
8:15 a.m. to Noon

Herberman Conference Center
UPMC Cancer Pavilion, 2nd Floor
5150 Centre Ave.
Pittsburgh, PA 15232
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Intent and Overview

The goal of this program is to increase the health care providers knowledge of immunotherapies used in GI malignancies.

Who Should Attend

Medical, surgical, and radiation oncologists, gastroenterologists, nurses, and other health care providers caring for patients with gastrointestinal malignancies.

Objectives

After participation in this program, attendees will:

• Recognize the role of immunotherapy in cancer treatment
• Recall current data relating to GI malignancy immunotherapy studies
• Identify applications and expectations of the future of immunotherapy in GI cancers

Program

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Agenda

8:00 a.m.  Registration and Breakfast
8:15 a.m.  Opening Remarks & Welcome  
Edward Chu, MD
8:20 a.m.  Keynote Presentation: The Emerging Role of Immune Therapy in Gastrointestinal Cancers  
Michael J. Overman, MD
9:00 a.m.  Questions and Discussion  
Michael J. Overman, MD
9:10 a.m.  Esophageal and Gastric Cancer  
Weijing Sun, MD, FACP
9:30 a.m.  Pancreatic Cancer  
Herbert Zeh, III, MD, FACS
9:50 a.m.  Immunotherapy for Hepatocellular Cancer  
Lisa H. Butterfield, PhD
10:10 a.m. Break
10:20 a.m. Immunotherapy for Peritoneal Diseases  
David Bartlett, MD
10:50 a.m. Immunotherapy in Colorectal Cancer  
Nathan Bahary, MD, PhD
11:10 a.m. Clinical Trials of Immunotherapy for GI Cancers at UPCI/UPMC  
James J. Lee, MD, PhD
11:30 a.m. Immunotherapy for Gastrointestinal and Pancreatobiliary Neoplasms: A Pathologist’s Perspective  
Aatur Singhi, MD, PhD
11:40 a.m. Toxicity and AEs of Immune Therapy  
Barry Lembersky, MD
11:50 a.m. Closing Remarks  
Weijing Sun, MD, FACP  
Herbert Zeh, III, MD, FACS
12:00 p.m. Adjournment/Lunch

Registration Information

Register by visiting the Center for Continuing Education in Health Sciences website at: https://ccehs.upmc.com/home.jsf

Select “Upcoming Events.” Click on the appropriate event to begin registration.

Registration deadline is Friday, March 31, 2017.

Tuition

• There is no fee for UPMC Employees
• Non-UPMC Physicians: $75
• Non-UPMC Other Healthcare Providers: $50

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All cancellations must be made in writing and emailed to Mary Kate Egan at eganmk@upmc.edu. Cancellations made on or before March 31, 2017 will be refunded. No refunds will be given for cancellations made after March 31, 2017.

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Other health care professionals are awarded 0.3 continuing education units (CEU’s) which are equal to 3.5 contact hours.
Accomodations

Lodging
The Courtyard by Marriott and Hyatt House are both located within walking distance of the conference center. Contact information follows:

- Courtyard by Marriott, Shadyside
  5308 Liberty Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15224
  Phone: 412-683-3113

- Hyatt House, Pittsburgh/Bloomfield/Shadyside
  5335 Baum Blvd., Pittsburgh, PA 15224
  Phone: 412-621-9900

Parking
Parking is available in the Medical Center Garage on Centre Avenue. Parking is at your own expense but validation at registration will allow for a reduced rate of $8.

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Or contact Mary Kate Egan at 412-623-3651 or eganmk@upmc.edu.

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