

Learning Objectives: Family Practice Oncology CME Day 2018 November 24, 2018

Participants will be able to:

- Describe current developments and practice changing guidelines impacting primary cancer care:
- Translate new knowledge of oncology resources to strengthen clinical care; and
- Improve cancer management via their resulting influence on patient care

Lecture 1: PSA Testing Simplified – At Last! (45 mins, Dr. Mira Keyes)

Participants will be able to:

- Explain the role of PSA testing in the early detection of prostate cancer;
- Cite current guidelines on PSA testing in symptomatic and asymptomatic men; and
- Provide patient education aids to assist individualized decision making.

Lecture 2: Evidence-Based Guidelines for the Management of Oral Side-Effects of Cancer Therapy (45 mins, Dr. Allan Hovan)

Participants will be able to: improve patient management of oral side-effects of cancer treatment by:

- Describing best practices;
- Relaying evidence-based guidelines; and
- Referring to current resources.

Lecture 3: Testicular Cancer Primer (45 mins, Dr. Christian Kollmannsberger)

Participants will improve their knowledge of testicular cancer including:

- Highlighting risk factors;
- Summarizing management; and
- Determining when, who, and how to refer.

Lecture 4: Follow-up Care of Breast Cancer Patients (45 mins, Dr. Simon Baxter)

Participants will be able to:

- Describe the follow-up care required for these patients;
- Identify key factors in the seamless transition between oncology and primary care; and
- Cite patient resources to improve the adherence to recommended guidelines.

Lecture 5: Explaining Fertility Preservation to Your Cancer Patient (45 mins, Dr. Beth Taylor)

Participants will be able to share insights with their cancer patients regarding fertility preserving options including:

- Knowledge regarding available procedures;
- Current strategies used by fertility specialists; and
- Potential costs involved.

Lecture 6: "My cancer patient has a clot – can I prescribe a novel agent?" (45 mins, Dr. Erica Peterson) Participants will be able to:

- Cite the basic pharmacology and rationale for the development of novel oral anticoagulants (NOAC's);
- Review when NOAC's can be used in the treatment of cancer associated thrombosis; and
- Recognize the side-effects and drug interactions in patients on NOAC's.

Lecture 7: Methadone Prescribing Changes & Guidance (45 mins, Dr. Pippa Hawley) Participants will be able to:

- Cite the changed federal and provincial guidelines for methadone prescribing in 2018;
- Describe the rationale for using methadone in cancer patients; and
- Review how to initiate and titrate methadone safely and effectively.