



Chicago's Pediatric Cancer Care Coalition Inaugural Education Symposium

"Living Beyond Childhood Cancer"

Saturday, September 15, 2007

8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Conference agenda

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Registration

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Keynote Address

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Q & A

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- "Sarcomas (Soft Tissue and Bone)" - David Walterhouse, MD
- "Brain Tumors" - Denise Fleig, MSN, APRN, BC
- "Stem Cell Transplantation" - Karina Danner-Koptik, RN, MSN, CPON and Jennifer Schneiderman, MD, MS
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Survivorship

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Closing Remarks

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- University of Illinois at Chicago
- Wellness House

To register, call 312.464.9900

Objectives

Living Beyond Childhood Cancer is a symposium that provides information and resources that ensure a continuum of care and support to those diagnosed with and survivors of pediatric cancer.

Cost

There is no cost to attend this symposium, however, seating is limited so register early.

Lunch will be provided free of charge.

Location

University of Illinois at Chicago

College of Medicine Research Building

909 S. Wolcott Ave.

Chicago, IL 60612

Getting there

From North: Take Kennedy Expressway (90/94) to the Eisenhower Expressway (290) west-bound, keep right. Exit at Ashland Ave. (exit 28B), go south on Ashland Ave. to Polk St., go west on Polk St. to campus.

From South: Take Dan Ryan Expressway (90/94), exit at Roosevelt Rd., go west on Roosevelt Rd. to Wood St., then go north on Wood St. to campus.

From West: Take the Eisenhower Expressway (290), exit at Damen Ave. (exit 28A), go south on Damen Ave. to Polk St., then go east on Polk St. to campus.

From East: Go west on Roosevelt Rd. to Wood St., then go north on Wood St. to campus.

CTA - Blue Line to the Polk stop.

Parking: Parking is available for a small fee at 1100 S. Wood St., 1934 W. Taylor St. or 900 S. Wolcott Ave.



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Which lunch roundtable do you plan on attending?

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 City State Zip
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