Patient Education

Living with Myeloproliferative Neoplasms (MPNs): Diagnoses, Treatment Updates, and Empowered Survivorship

The Northeast Region of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) proudly presents a free education program for patients and caregivers affected by Myeloproliferative Neoplasms (MPNs) such as Myelofibrosis, Polycythemia Vera, and Essential Thrombocythemia. Please join us for a day of learning and networking to serve and empower those with MPNs.

Featured Speakers:

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Dale G. Schaar, MD, PhD Hematologist/Oncologist - Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey Associate Professor of Medicine - Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

Andrew Chesler, LMSW Oncology Social Worker – CancerCare Maureen Thyne, RPA-C Physician Assistant – Weill Cornell Leukemia Program, New York Presbyterian Hospital/Weill Cornell Medical Center

Also including: Panel of Empowered MPN Survivors LLS Volunteers – Northeast Region

Date: Saturday, May 30, 2015

Time: 9:45 am - 10:15 am Registration and Beverage Service
10:15 am - 11:45 am MPNs Overview & Treatment Updates
11:45 am - 12:15 pm Brunch
12:15 pm - 1:00 pm Empowered Survivorship Presentation & Panel Discussion

Location: Hotel Woodbridge at Metropark

120 Wood Avenue South Iselin, NJ 08830

Hotel is located just off the Garden State Parkway (Exit 131A) and NJ Turnpike (exit 11), and only 2 blocks from Metropark Train Station servicing NJ Transit & Amtrak with a 30-minute direct access to New York City. Hotel Woodbridge at Metropark will give a 10% discount on available rooms for those who need to book for the night before. To book a room, please contact **Jonathan Muscillo** at 732-603-7792 or jonathan.muscillo@hotelwoodbridgemetropark.com and mention you will be attending the May 30th LLS program.

Complimentary morning beverage service & brunch will be provided. Pre-registration for this free program is required as space is limited.

To register, please <u>click here</u> or contact lnez Lendez at 212.376.4770 or <u>lnez.Lendez@lls.org</u>. A \$25 Travel Scholarship is available to the first 25 registrants traveling more than 50 miles round-trip.

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