

Oncology Nursing Society Workshop
Day 1 - Thursday, 20 October 2015 | 08:30 – 17:00 | Al Amwaj
Session Coordinators: Gary Shelton, USA | Brenda Shelton, USA

08:30 – 08:45 Opening and Welcome

08:45 – 10:15 Transformational Leadership Through Multi-Disciplinary Healthcare Teams
Brenda Shelton, USA

Participants will Review And Discuss Opportunities And Outcomes Of Effective Multidisciplinary Collaboration To Enhance The Patient Experience Throughout Cancer Care

Topics included in the discussion:

- Quality Improvement in Cancer Care
- Application of Evidence-Based Practice Plans within a Multidisciplinary Team
- Patient Education Strategies using a Teach-Back Technique and Motivational Interviewing

10:15-10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 12:00 Neuropathy and the Benefit of Multi-Modal Neuropathic Medications:
A Case-Based Investigation
Gary Shelton, USA

Participants will Contrast Nocioceptive and Neuropathic Pain, Discussing Causes and Treatment Options, Including:

- Pathophysiology of Cancer Pain Syndromes with a Focus on the Etiologies for Neuropathic Pain
- Risk Assessment & Interventions for Neuropathic Pain
- Multi-modal Pharmacologic Considerations
- Patient Education

12:00-13:00 Lunch Break

13:15-14:45 Infection Prophylaxis and Strategies for Decreasing Morbidities
Brenda Shelton, USA

Patients Receiving Treatment for Cancer are at Greater Risk For Infection and Infection Increases Risks and Cost of Care. Through Case Discussions and Application of Information, Participants Will Illustrate:

- Risk identification and Risk Reduction Related to Infection Prevention, Identification and Management
- Care Environment Assessment and Risk Reduction Strategies

14:45-15:00 Coffee Break

15:00-16:30 Survivorship Versus Palliative Care: When Treatment Ends by Plan or Necessity
Gary Shelton, USA

Caring for Cancer Survivors Requires Attention to their Quality of Life and Palliating Symptoms. Participants will discuss:

- Defining Quality of Life, Survivorship, and Palliative Care
- Measurement tools to assess Quality of Life

16:30 – 17:00 Case Study Development

Faculty will guide Participants to Create Case Studies Related to Complex Care Provided in Their Work Settings. These Cases Will Be Used in Content Discussions On Friday, 21 October 2016.

Day 2 - Friday, 21 October 2015
08:30 – 12:00
Al Amwaj

09:00-10:15 Targeted and Immunotherapies – Adverse Effects and Challenges
Brenda Shelton, USA | Gary Shelton, USA

Through a Combination of Didactic and Case Study Discussions, Participants will Discuss:

- Targeted and Immunotherapy as Precision Medicine
- Mechanisms of Action of Targeted and Immunotherapies in Cancer Care
- Adverse Events with Targeted and Immunotherapies
- Role of Symptom Burden in Care Delivery and Patient Outcomes
- Adjusting to Life-Long Therapy

10:15 – 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 12:00 Bringing it all Together: Case Study Discussion
Brenda Shelton, USA | Gary Shelton, USA

Participants Will Work with Faculty to Discuss Complex Care Delivery, Including:

- Problematic and Refractory Adverse Effects of Therapy
- Symptom Distress and Combined Effects of Physical and Psychosocial Problems
- Complex Problems Requiring Patient-Centered Selection of Management Strategies from Multiple Acceptable Options
- Issues Related to Pain and Infection in Cancer Care