

AHN Cancer Institute

Pancreatic Cancer Symposium

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George J. Magovern, MD Conference Center
Allegheny General Hospital
320 East North Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15212



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Conference overview

Practicing oncologists, gastroenterologists, primary care physicians, radiation oncologists, registered nurses, surgeons, advanced practice providers, and radiologists can keep up with the latest advances in pancreatic cancer diagnosis, treatment, and research. Pancreatic cancer patients and their loved ones interested in the latest information and treatments are also welcome to attend.

Conference objectives

- Learn about innovations in endoscopic and surgical management of pancreatic cancer
- Become knowledgeable of novel treatments and available clinical trials
- Develop networking collaborations for pancreatic cancer
- Learn about sequencing therapies in metastatic PNET

CME accreditation

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Program agenda

7 – 7:45 a.m.	Registration, continental breakfast, and visit exhibits
7:45 – 8 a.m.	Welcome and overview
8 – 8:30 a.m.	Diagnostic and therapeutic endoscopic management of pancreatic cancer Neil R. Sharma, MD
8:40 – 9:10 a.m.	Early detection of pancreas cancer Anirban Maitra, MBBS
9:20 – 10:05 a.m.	Keynote speaker: Emerging opportunities for immunotherapy in pancreas cancer Gregory L. Beatty, MD, PhD
10:15 a.m.	Break
10:30 – 11 a.m.	Applications of MRI-Linac in the treatment of pancreatic cancer William A. Hall, MD
11:10 – 11:40 a.m.	Prescribing exercise in the cancer setting – dose matters Colin E. Champ, MD
11:50 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.	Palliative care and hospice: initiating the conversation in pancreas cancer patients Mellar Davis, MD
12:20 – 1 p.m.	Lunch and visit exhibits
1 – 1:30 p.m.	Nutrition optimization for pancreatic cancer patients Sabrina Toledano, MS, RD, CSO, CDN
1:40 – 2:10 p.m.	The pathology of pancreatic neuroendocrine neoplasms Aatur D. Singhi, MD, PhD
2:20 – 2:50 p.m.	Novel therapies in the management of pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors Thorvardur R. Halfdanarson, MD, PhD
3 – 3:30 p.m.	Perioperative immunonutrition in pancreatic cancer Prejesh Philips, MD, MBBS
3:40 p.m.	Wrap-up and adjourn

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Registration

Online registration can be accessed at cme.ahn.org:

Click on **Courses**, then type or scroll down to find **Pancreatic Cancer Symposium** and click on **Register**. The registration fee includes the course materials, continental breakfast, lunch, and break refreshments.

Fees

Physicians: \$50

Other health care professionals: \$25

Virtual Attendee: \$15

Fellows and residents: free

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Questions?

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