
AVAHO PROGRAM

SEPTEMBER 24-26, 2021 (DENVER)



The Association of VA Hematology is excited to host its annual meeting in Denver. One of the important lessons we learned last year from the pandemic was that while virtual events certainly have their benefits, live events will always be an important part of any robust program. We recognize that there may be individuals who otherwise would not be able to attend due to health concerns or travel constraints so the flexibility to attend virtually and still interact with other attendees will be quite beneficial. Our goal is to offer our members options to remain engaged however they may be participating.

**Hyatt Regency Denver at
Colorado Convention
Center**

**650 15th St, Denver, CO
80202**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2021

EVENT TIMES	SESSIONS	SPEAKERS/MODERATORS
7:00 AM - 5:00 PM	REGISTRATION/INFO DESK	
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	NON-CE SYMPOSIA/LUNCH	
1:00 PM - 1:15 PM	WELCOME REMARKS	Tony Quang, MD, JD (President), William Wachsman, MD, PhD (Program Co-Chair), Janice Schwartz, RN (Program Co-Chair)
1:15 PM - 1:30 PM	BUSINESS MEETING	Julie Lawson, Executive Director
1:30 PM - 3:30 PM	INTEREST GROUPS	
	1. Cancer Registrars (VIRTUAL ONLY)	RayeAnn Dorn, CTR
	2. Pharmacy	Paige May, PharmD
	3. Nursing	Cindy Bowman, RN
	4. Nutrition	Dianne Piepenburg
	5. Radiation Oncology	Tony Quang, MD, JD
	6. Research	Drew Moghanaki, MD
	7. Psychosocial	Ana DeVage, LICSW OSW-C
	8. Advanced Practice Providers	Lakedia Banks, NP
	9. Care Navigation	Cindy Bowman, RN
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	BREAK/VISIT EXHIBITS	
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	e-POSTERS	Mary Thomas, CNS
6:00 PM - 6:30 PM	NEW MEMBERS WELCOME	Tina Gill
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM	WELCOME RECEPTION	Sponsored by Takeda Oncology

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2021

EVENT TIMES	SESSIONS	SPEAKERS/MODERATORS
7:00 AM - 5:00 PM	REGISTRATION/INFO DESK	
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Non-CE Symposia	
9:00 AM - 9:15 AM	Welcome and Introductions	Tony Quang, MD, JD (President), William Wachsman, MD, PhD (Program Co-Chair), Janice Schwartz, RN (Co-Chair)

9:15 AM - 10:30 AM	Keynote Address	Michael Levin, Congressman
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	Break/Visit Exhibits	
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	General Session I: Digital Health	
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Non-CE Symposia	
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Breakout Sessions	
	1. Cancer Registrars: Colon Cancer	Jim Hofferkamp and Lois Dickie
	2. Hematology: Thombosis, Lymphoma, Clinical Trials, Erythrocytosis and Polycythemia	Ang Li, MD, Solomon Graf, MD, Daphne Friedman, MD, Josef Prchal, MD
	3. Care Coordination: Reaching the Hard to Reach	Michael Ott, PsyD, Katherine Faricy-Anderson, MD, Julie Beck
	4. Psycho-social Care: Population Disparities in Oncology Care	Lauren Cliffl, LCSW, Christina Williams, Gina McWhirter
	5. Radiation Therapy	Tony Quang, MD, JD
	6. Nutrition: Cancer & Food Insecurity, Nutrition & Immunotherapy	Mikayla Cupp, RDN, LD, Matthew Grant
4:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Break/Visit Exhibits	
4:30 PM - 7:00 PM	Ward 5B Presentation/Discussion	Mary Thomas, CNS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2021

6:00 AM - 7:00 AM	5K Fun Run/Walk	
7:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Registration/Information Desk	
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Non-CE Symposia	
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Keynote Address	Arthur Caplan, PhD
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Break/Visit Exhibits	
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	General Session II: Equity/Diversity	
12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	Presidential Comments/Awards	Tony Quang, MD, JD (President), William Wachsman, MD, PhD (Program Co-Chair), Janice Schwartz, RN (Program Co-Chair)
12:30 PM	Adjourn	Bernadette Heron, PharmD (President 2022)