



# 2021 POGO SYMPOSIUM ON CHILDHOOD CANCER

ADVANCING CARE IN A  
POST-COVID WORLD



FOR KIDS WITH CANCER  
FOR NOW, FOR LIFE.

## Program at a Glance

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021

TIME	SESSION DETAILS
8:30 am – 8:35 am	<b>Opening Remarks</b>
8:35 am – 8:50 am	<b>In Their Own Words: Caregivers Share Their Stories</b>
8:50 am – 9:15 am	<b>Caregiver Resilience – What Makes the Difference?</b> Lamia Barakat   Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia
9:15 am – 9:25 am	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
9:25 am – 9:40 am	<b>Rapid Fire Research – The Psychosocial Edition</b> Good things come in small packages! Four bite-sized, three minute presentations highlighting the latest research on aspects of psychosocial care for children and adolescents with cancer.
9:40 am – 10:10 am	<b>Break/Poster Viewing</b>
10:10 am – 11:05 am <b>INTERACTIVE BREAKOUTS</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Caregiver Mental Health: A Three-Tiered Model of Supports</b> Dr. D. Andrew Elliott; Dr. Kendra Parris   St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital</li> <li><b>Meaning-Making in Children Living with Advanced Cancer and their Parents</b> Dr. Cynthia Gerhardt   Nationwide Children’s Hospital Megan Schaefer   St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital</li> <li><b>Teen Mental Health</b> Dr. Chana Korenblum   The Hospital for Sick Children</li> </ol>
11:05 am – 11:10 am	<i>“Travel Time” – from virtual breakout sessions</i>
11:10 am – 11:50 am	<b>Current and Future Directions in Models of Aftercare</b> Emily Browne   St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital Dr. Paul Nathan   The Hospital for Sick Children
11:50 am – 12:00 pm	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	<b>Pediatric Palliative Care – What Have we Learned During the Pandemic?</b> Dr. Adam Rapoport   The Hospital for Sick Children
12:30 pm – 12:40 pm	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
12:40 pm – 1:10 pm	<b>Break/Poster Viewing</b>
1:10 pm – 2:25 pm	<b>Stemming the Burnout Tide: Mindful Medical Practice for Pediatric Oncology Health Professionals</b> Dr. Stephen Liben   Montreal Children’s Hospital



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2:25 pm – 2:30 pm	Closing Remarks
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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2021

TIME	SESSION DETAILS
8:00 am – 8:05 am	<b>Opening Remarks</b>
8:05 am – 8:55 am	<b>Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors: Current Status and Future Directions</b> Brain Tumours - Dr. Chantel Cacciotti   Children’s Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre Transplant - Dr. Joerg Kruger   The Hospital for Sick Children Hodgkin Lymphoma - Dr. Angela Punnett   The Hospital for Sick Children Solid Tumours - Dr. Alexandra Zorzi   Children’s Hospital, London Health Sciences Centre
8:55 am – 9:05 am	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
9:05 am – 9:45 am	<b>New Indications for CAR-T Cell Therapy</b> Dr. Lia Gore   Children’s Hospital Colorado Dr. Sarah Tasian   Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia
9:45 am – 9:55 am	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
9:55 am – 10:15 am	<b>Liquid Biopsy: A New Way to Diagnose Pediatric Brain Tumours?</b> Dr. Cynthia Hawkins   The Hospital for Sick Children
10:15 am – 10:25 am	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
10:25 am – 10:55 am	<b>Break/Poster Viewing</b>
10:55 am – 11:30 am	<b>Supportive Care for Better Outcomes: Innovative Methods of Infection Control and Prevention</b> Dr. Sarah Alexander   The Hospital for Sick Children Dr. Lillian Sung   The Hospital for Sick Children Wendy Landier   University of Alabama at Birmingham
11:30 am – 11:40 am	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
11:40 am – 11:55 am	<b>Rapid Fire Research – The Innovation Edition</b> Four short and sweet, three minute presentations highlighting innovative research projects that are moving the field of pediatric oncology forward.
11:55 am – 12:25 pm	<b>Break/Poster Viewing</b>
12:25 pm – 12:30 pm INNOVATION BUNDLE SESSION	<b>Barriers to Clinical Trial Access: A Parent’s Perspective</b> <i>Speaker TBD</i>



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1:05 pm – 1:40 pm INNOVATION BUNDLE SESSION	<b>Innovation in Canada: Strategies for a Small Population in a Big Country</b> Prof. Dan Breznitz   Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy
1:40 pm – 2:15 pm INNOVATION BUNDLE SESSION	<b>Adopting Healthcare Innovations: Lessons from the UK's National Health Service</b> Prof. James Barlow   Imperial College London
2:15 pm – 2:55 pm INNOVATION BUNDLE SESSION	<b>From Patients to Policy: Innovation Strategy in Oncology – Live Panel Discussion</b> Dr. James Whitlock   The Hospital for Sick Children Prof. Dan Breznitz   Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy Prof. James Barlow   Imperial College London
2:55 pm – 3:00 pm	<b>Closing Remarks</b>

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