

Living with BRCA

October 14, 2009, Montréal, Québec

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Programme

9:00 to 9:20 – Welcoming Address
 Joanne Eisman, Co-Founder, Hereditary Breast and Ovarian Cancer Foundation

SESSION 1: ABCs of BRCA
 Moderators: Nora Wong and Shenela Lakhani

9:20 to 9:40 – BRCA1 and BRCA2: Past, Present and Future
 Jacques Simard, PhD, Canada Research Chair in Oncogenetics, Université Laval, Québec City, QC, Canada

9:40 to 10:00 – Managing the BRCA Patient: Surveillance and Risk Modifiers
 Dr. Steven Narod, MD, Canada Research Chair in Breast Cancer, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, Canada

10:00 to 10:20 – Navigating the Road Ahead: So Now What?
 Karen Panabaker, Genetic Counsellor, Cancer Genetics, London Regional Cancer Program, London, ON, Canada
 June A. Peters, Genetic Counsellor, National Cancer Institute (NIH), Bethesda, MD, USA

10:20 to 10:40 – Question Period

10:40 to 11:00 – Break

SESSION 2: The Psychological Impact of BRCA Across the Lifespan
 Moderators: Laura Palma and Nadine Dumas

11:00 to 11:30 – The Psychological Impact of Living with BRCA
 Andrea F. Patenaude, Assistant Professor of Psychology, Harvard Medical School - Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MS, USA

11:30 to 12:00 – To Tell or Not to Tell: Communicating Genetic Risk
 Holly Etchegary, Clinical Research Scientist, Eastern Health, St. John's, NL, Canada

12:00 to 12:10 – Question Period

12:10 to 13:30 – Lunch

SESSION 3: I'm Still Me: What you can do after risk reducing surgery
 Moderators: Laura Hayes, Nora Wong, and Shenela Lakhani

13:30 to 14:05 – Managing Menopausal Symptoms in a Young Patient
 Dr. Jennifer Blake, MD, Chief of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, Toronto, ON, Canada

14:05 to 14:40 – Breast Reconstruction: An Overview
 Dr. Babak J. Mehrara, Associate Professor of Surgery, Cornell University Medical Center, New York, NY, USA

14:40 to 15:00 – Question Period

15:00 to 15:20 – Break

SESSION 4: Living with BRCA
 Moderator: Laura Palma

15:20 to 17:00 – Practicing Mindfulness and Whole Person Care
 Sonia Osorio, Certified Yoga and Massage Therapist, Montréal, QC, Canada
 June A. Peters, Genetic Counsellor, National Cancer Institute (NIH), Bethesda, MD, USA

17:00 – Closing Words
 Nora Wong, Chair

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Living with BRCA

A full day conference, held in conjunction with the **Third International Symposium on Hereditary Breast and Ovarian Cancer.**

Don't miss this opportunity to:

- Obtain the most current information about cancer risks, surveillance, and risk reduction options for BRCA1 and BRCA2 carriers;
- Receive valuable advice on how to communicate high-risk status to family members;
- Learn about the management of surgical menopause in the young patient;
- Address world experts in hereditary breast and ovarian cancer working in both clinical and research settings;
- Meet and share experiences with others living with BRCA.

Organizing Committee

Nora Wong, MS, CCGC, Jewish General Hospital, Montréal, QC, Canada (Chair)

Karlene Australie, MS, CGC, Hôpital Charles LeMoine, Centre intégré de lutte contre le cancer en Montérégie, Greenfield Park, Québec, Canada

Nadine Dumas, MSc, CCGC, Centre hospitalier de l'Université de Montréal, Montréal, QC, Canada

Laura Hayes, Clinical Care Coordinator, McGill University Health Centre and Jewish General Hospital, Montréal, QC, Canada

Shenela Lakhani, BSc, MSc (year 1), McGill University, Montréal, QC, Canada

Laura Palma, MSc, CGC, CCGC, McGill University Health Centre, Montréal, QC, Canada

SPECIAL one-day conference for the public

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A Conference on Hereditary Breast and Ovarian Cancer for Gene Carriers, At-Risk Individuals, and Their Families



Wednesday, October 14, 2009

9:00 – 17:00
 Centre Mont-Royal
 2200 Mansfield Street
 Montréal, Québec, Canada

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