



AGENDA
**ACS Cancer Conference: Where
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March 1 – 4, 2023
Hilton Atlanta
255 Courtland Ave NE
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All conference activities will be held on the 2nd Level of the Hilton Atlanta

Schedule	March 1, 2023: NAPBC Workshop	Location
7:00 am– 5:00 pm	Registration	Pre-function South
7:00– 8:00 am	Breakfast	Salon West
8:00 – 8:05 am	Welcome Katharine Yao, MD, FACS, Chair, National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers, Evanston, IL	Salon East
8:05 – 8:30 am	The Patient Journey Jill Dietz, MD, MHCM, FACS, Vice-Chair, National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers, Bentleyville, OH	Salon East
8:30– 10:15 am	Chapter 5: Patient Care Expectations and Protocols Moderator: Jill Dietz, MD, MHCM, FACS <i>The Patient Journey: One Patient’s Experience</i> Jennifer Kawwass, Atlanta, GA <i>Chapter 5 Diagnosis: Standards 5.1 - 5.2</i> Toan T. Nguyen, MD, FACS, Lakeland, FL Richard Reitherman, MD, PhD, Fountain Valley, CA <i>Chapter 5 Evaluation and Decision Making: Standards 5.3 - 5.8</i> Kathryn Schmitz, PhD, MPH, Pittsburgh, PA Q and A panel	Salon East
10:15 – 10:30 am	Morning Break	Salon West
10:30 am – 12:00 Noon	Chapter 5: Patient Care Expectations and Protocols (continued) Moderator: Denise Mammolito, MD, FACS, Peoria, IL <i>Chapter 5 Treatment: Standards 5.9 - 5.14</i> Paul Baron, MD, FACS, New York, NY Randy Stevens, MD, White Plains, NY Jane Meisel, MD, Atlanta, GA <i>Chapter 5 After-Treatment, Survivorship and Surveillance: Standards 5.15 - 5.16</i> Kathryn Schmitz, PhD, MPH Q and A Panel	Salon East
12:00 Noon – 1:00 pm	Lunch	Salon West

1:00 – 1:45 pm	<p>NAPBC Chapter 1 – 4: Standards of Commitment, Scope, and Governance; Facility and Personnel Services Moderator: Katharine Yao, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Chapter 1 Institutional and Administrative Commitment: Standard 1.1 and</i> <i>Chapter 2 Program Scope and Governance: Standards 2.1 – 2.4</i> Katharine Yao, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Chapter 3 Facilities and Equipment Resources: Standards 3.1 – 3.5</i> Paul Jeffers, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>Chapter 4 Personnel and Equipment Resources: Standards 4.1 – 4.5</i> Katharine Yao, MD, FACS</p>	Salon East
1:45 – 2:30 pm	<p>NAPBC Chapters 7-9: Quality Improvement and the Path to Excellence Moderator: Richard Bleicher, MD, FACS, Philadelphia, PA</p> <p><i>Chapter 7 Quality Improvement: Standards 7.1 - 7.2</i> Richard Bleicher, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Chapter 8 Education, Professional and Community Outreach: Standards 8.1 - 8.2</i> Lee Gravatt Wilke, MD, FACS, Madison, WI</p> <p><i>Chapter 9 Research: Standard 9.1</i> Paul Jeffers</p>	Salon East
2:30 – 2:45 pm	Afternoon Break	Salon West
2:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Exhibit Set-up	Salon West
2:45 – 3:15 pm	<p>PROMPT Study Review Katharine Yao, MD, FACS</p>	Salon East
3:15 – 3:45 pm	<p>The New Standards: Timeline, Pilots, and Implementation Moderator: Mehra Golshan, MD, MBA, FACS, New Haven, CT</p> <p>Katharine Yao, MD, FACS Jill Dietz, MD, MHCM, FACS</p>	Salon East



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<p>3:45 – 5:00 pm</p>	<p>Q & A Panel Moderator: Mehra Golshan, MD, MBA, FACS</p> <p>Katharine Yao, MD, FACS Jill Dietz, MD, MHCM, FACS Paul Baron, MD, FACS Richard Bleicher, MD, FACS Jane Meisel, MD Toan Nguyen, MD, FACS Richard Reitherman, MD, PhD Kathryn Schmitz, PhD, MPH Randy Stevens, MD Lee Wilke, MD, FACS Paul Jeffers</p>	<p>Salon East</p>
<p>5:00 pm</p>	<p>Adjourn</p>	

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Schedule	March 2, 2023	Location
7:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration	Pre-Function South
7:00 -8:00 am	Breakfast Exhibits Open	Salon West
8:15 – 10:30 am	Poster Set up	Salon West
8:00 – 8:15 am	Welcome Laurie Kirstein, MD, FACS, ACS Cancer Conference Chair Westfield, NJ	Salon East
8:15-9:00 am	Keynote Address: What Does it Mean to be Part of a Cancer Team? Arif Kamal, MD, MBA, MHS, FACP, FAAHPM, FASCO, Chief Patient Officer, American Cancer Society, Atlanta, GA	Salon East
9:00- 10:15 am	NCDB The Power of Real-Time Data Moderator: Sharon Lum, MD, FACS, Loma Linda, CA <i>The Effect of the Pandemic on Cancer and Your Program Reports From NCDB</i> Sharon Lum, MD, FACS <i>CoC Quality Measure Expansion for 2023 and Beyond</i> Daniel Boffa, MD, MBA, FACS, New Haven, CT <i>NCDB Program Reports: Revisiting the Need for Timely Reporting Tools</i> Ryan McCabe, PhD, Chicago, IL Q and A panel	Salon East
10:15 – 10:45 am	Networking Break Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West
10:45 -12:00 Noon	Quality Improvement: National Projects Moderator: Anthony D. Yang, MD, MS, FACS, Indianapolis, IN <i>Beyond ASK: A Continuation of Success</i> Anthony Yang, MD, MS, FACS <i>Breaking Barriers to Care: Introduction to a New Quality Improvement Project</i> Laurie Kirstein, MD, FACS <i>PROMPT Update</i> Katharine Yao, MD, FACS Q and A panel	Salon East

Noon – 1:00 pm	Lunch Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West
1:00-2:15 pm	<p>Moving From Quality Measurement to Local Quality Improvement: Walking Through the Steps of a Project Moderator: Elizabeth Wick, MD, FACS, San Francisco, CA</p> <p><i>The Importance of Teamwork in Quality Improvement</i> Daniel Boffa, MD, MBA, FACS</p> <p><i>Interpreting NCDB Reports to Identify Areas of Need and Drafting a Problem Statement</i> Eileen Reilly, MSW, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>Creating a Plan for Intervention</i> Katharine Yao, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Carrying Out the Plan</i> Elizabeth Wick, MD, FACS</p> <p>Q and A panel</p>	Salon East
2:15 – 2:30 pm	Break Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West
2:30-4:00 pm	<p>Case Studies. Turning Difficult Standards into Successful Quality Improvement Efforts Moderator: Anthony Yang, MD, MS, FACS</p> <p><i>Case #1 Challenges of CoC Standard 5.8</i> Daniel Boffa, MD, MBA, FACS</p> <p><i>Case #1: Building a Problem Statement and Root Cause Analysis for CoC Standard 5.8</i> Anthony Yang, MD, MS, FACS</p> <p>Case #1 Panel Discussion</p> <p><i>Case #2: Difficulties Associated with Implementing Synoptic Operative Reports</i> Timothy Vreeland, MD, FACS, San Antonio, TX</p> <p><i>Case #2: Building a Problem Statement and Root Cause Analysis to Overcome the Barriers to Synoptic Reporting</i> Ryan Merkow, MD, MS, FACS, Winnetka, IL</p> <p>Case #2 Panel Discussion</p>	Salon East
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Time	March 3, 2023	Location
7:00 am – 5:00 pm	Registration	Pre-Function South
7:00 am	Breakfast Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West
8:00 – 10:00 am	<p>Operative Standards and Synoptic Reports: How Are We Doing So Far? Moderator: Timothy Vreeland, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Stakeholder Engagement: Surgeons, Pathologists, Registrars, and More</i> Crystal L. English, MBA, CTR, New York, NY</p> <p><i>Synoptic Operative Reports: Success Stories and Teamwork</i> Arden Morris, MD, MPH, FACS, Stanford, CA</p> <p><i>Synoptic Operative Reports: Challenges We Still Face</i> Maria Castaldi, MD, FACS, Manhasset, NY</p> <p><i>Operative Standards Published Protocols- What's Inside and How to Use Them</i> William R. Burns, MD, FACS, Baltimore, MD</p> <p>Q and A Panel</p>	Salon East
10:00- 10:30 am	Break Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West
10:30 – 11:45 am	<p>Challenges and Solutions Associated with Specialty Accreditation Programs Moderator: Kimberly Yee, MD, FACS, White Plains, NY</p> <p><i>Addressing Challenging NAPRC Standards</i> Kimberly Yee, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Achieving Specialist Teamwork</i> David Dietz, MD, FACS, Vice-Chair, National Accreditation Program for Rectal Cancer, Bentley, OH</p> <p><i>Getting the Support You Need to Start and Run Your Program</i> Linda Farkas, MD, FACS, Augusta, GA</p> <p>Q and A panel</p>	Salon East
11:45- 1:00 pm	Networking Lunch Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West

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1:00 – 2:15 pm	<p>Promoting Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Cancer Care Moderator: Susan Hedlund, MSW, LCSW, OSW-C, Portland, OR</p> <p><i>Increasing DEI Using the Standards</i> Susan Hedlund, MSW, LCSW, OSW-C</p> <p><i>DEI and Quality</i> Bonnie Simpson Mason, MD, FAAOS, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>How Diverse Representation Improves the Effectiveness of Teams</i> Rebecca Snyder, MD, MPH, FACS, FSSO, Houston, TX</p> <p>Q and A panel</p>	Salon East
2:15- 2:45 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Networking Break Exhibits and Posters Open</p>	Salon West
2:45- 4:00 pm	<p>AJCC Staging: New Disease Site Protocols Moderators: Alex Olawaiye, MD, FACS, Pittsburgh, PA</p> <p><i>What's Inside the Protocols- A User Guide</i> Martin Madera, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>A Deeper Dive into Tumor-Specific Rules, Tables, and Survival Curves</i> Donna Gress, RHIT, CTR, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>Disease Sites 2023-2024: Anus, Appendix, Brain, Cervix</i> Alexander Olawaiye, MD, FACS</p> <p>Q and A panel</p>	Salon East
4:00 – 5:30 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Poster Tour Reception</p>	Salon West



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7:00 am – 12:00 Noon	Registration	Pre-Function South
7:00 – 8:00 am	Breakfast Exhibits and Posters Open	Salon West
8:00 – 9:15 am	<p>What is the Future Role of Research in Cancer Programs Moderator: Judy Boughey, MBBCh, FACS, Chair, ACS Cancer Research Program, Rochester, MN</p> <p><i>Refocusing Our Efforts to Improve Ourselves</i> Judy Boughey, MBBCh, FACS</p> <p><i>Survivorship: Next-Generation Opportunities</i> David Freyer, DO, MS, Los Angeles, CA</p> <p><i>Cancer Survival Risk Calculator</i> Lauren Janczewski, MD</p> <p>Q and A Panel</p>	Salon East
9:15 – 9:45 am	Networking Break	Salon West
9:45 am	Exhibits and Posters Close	
9:45 – 11:00	<p>How Best to Prepare for a Site Visit: Who, What, When, and How Moderator: Linda Farkas, MD, FACS</p> <p><i>Operative Standards at a Site Visit</i> Mediget Teshome, MD, MPH, FACS, Houston, TX</p> <p><i>How to Get Organized for a Site Visit</i> Erin Reuter, JD, MS, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>Avoiding Common Site Visit Pitfalls</i> Linda Farkas, MD, FACS</p> <p>Q and A panel</p>	Salon East



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<p>11:00 – 11:45 am</p>	<p>Wrap-Up: Where are We Going in 2024? Moderator: Heidi Nelson, MD, FACS, Medical Director, ACS Cancer Programs, Chicago, IL</p> <p><i>New Directions for Accreditation</i> Timothy W. Mullett, MD, MBA, FACS, Chair, Commission on Cancer, Lexington, KY</p> <p><i>What's Next in Quality Improvement?</i> Anthony Yang, MD, MS, FACS</p> <p><i>Wrap-Up</i> Heidi Nelson, MD, FACS</p>	<p>Salon East</p>
<p>12:00 Noon</p>	<p>Adjourn</p>	