

2025 PATIENT & CAREGIVER CONFERENCE

Nova Scotia

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

8:30-9:00 AM	BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION
9:00-10:00 AM	MYELOMA 101 AND TREATMENTS Dr Curtis Marcoux, MD, FRCPC Assistant Professor, Division of Hematology, Department of Medicine, Dalhousie University
10:00-10:20 AM	BREAK
10:20-11:20 AM	HOW NK CELLS ARE THE IMMUNOTHERAPY OF THE FUTURE Dr Jeanette Boudreau, PhD Scientific Director, Beatrice Hunter Cancer Research Institute Associate Professor, Department of Microbiology & Immunology, Department of Pathology, Dalhousie University
11:20 AM-12:05 PM	WHO IS MYELOMA CANADA? HOW DO WE HELP? Michelle Oana Chief Mission Officer, Myeloma Canada
12:05-1:05 PM	LUNCH
1:05-1:50 PM	SIDE EFFECTS MANAGEMENT Stephanie Valkenier, B.Sc. Biochem Nutrition, B.Sc. Pharm, RPh Myeloma Information Specialist, Myeloma Canada
1:50-2:20 PM	MAKING AN IMPACT: VOLUNTEERING FOR MYELOMA CANADA Sophia Mendoza Fundraising and Events Coordinator, Myeloma Canada
2:20-2:40 PM	BREAK
2:40-3:40 PM	UNDERSTANDING PATIENT SUPPORT PROGRAMS Moderator: Karine Gravel , Regional Manager, Education and Community Engagement, Myeloma Canada <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kayla Ross, Drug Access Navigator, Provincial Assistant Manager, NSH Cancer Care • Patricia Hrynyk, Patient Support Lead – Hematology Oncology, Enterprise Planning & Operations, GSK
3:40-4:40 PM	THE COMPLETE GUIDE TO THE ANTI-CANCER DIET Dr. Rob Rutledge, MD, FRCPC Radiation Oncologist, Nova Scotia Cancer Centre Associate Professor, Faculty of Medicine, Dalhousie University
4:40 PM	CLOSING REMARKS

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