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# Living with Cancer: From Diagnosis to Survivor

The Grand Summit Hotel  
Summit, NJ  
Saturday, November 15, 2008  
9:00 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

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## Agenda

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| 9:00 a.m.  | - | 9:30 a.m.  | <b>Continental Breakfast and Exhibits</b>  |
| 9:30 a.m.  | - | 9:40 a.m.  | <b>Welcome and Introductions</b><br>Michael D. Devine, Ph.D., <i>Executive Director</i><br>SynCure Cancer Research Foundation<br>Deborah Halpern, MSW, ACSW, <i>Patient Services Manager</i><br>The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, NNJ Chapter           |
| 9:40 a.m.  | - | 9:45 a.m.  | <b>New Jersey Senator Tom Kean</b><br>The Role of NJ's State Government in Supporting Cancer Research  |
| 9:45 a.m.  | - | 10:05 a.m. | <b>Advances in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Solid Tumor Cancers (Lung, Breast, Prostate, etc.)</b><br>John Morris, M.D., <i>Co-Director, Clinical Trials, Metabolism Branch</i><br>Center for Cancer Research, National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, MD |
| 10:05 a.m. | - | 10:30 a.m. | <b>Dealing with the Psycho-Social Stresses of Cancer</b><br>Jon Levenson, M.D., <i>Associate Clinical Professor of Psychiatry</i><br>Columbia University Medical Center, NY  |
| 10:30 a.m. | - | 10:55 a.m. | <b>New Developments in Research and Treatment of Blood Cancers</b><br>Scott Rowley, M.D., <i>Director, Adult Blood &amp; Marrow Transplantation Program</i> , Hackensack University Medical Center, Hackensack, NJ                                       |
| 10:55 a.m. | - | 11:15 a.m. | <b>Break</b>   |
| 11:15 a.m. | - | 11:40 a.m. | <b>Genetic Risk and Cancer Prevention</b><br>Michael Hall, M.D., <i>Associate Member, Risk Assessment Program</i><br>Fox Chase Cancer Center, Philadelphia, PA   |
| 11:40 a.m. | - | 12:05 p.m. | <b>Improving Clinician-Patient Communication</b><br>Carma Bylund, Ph.D., <i>Assistant Attending, Dept. of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science</i> , Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, NY   |
| 12:05 p.m. | - | 12:45 p.m. | <b>Q&amp;A Panel Discussion, Evaluations</b>   |