



Florida Cancer Liaison Physician Newsletter



Fall, 2008

Dear Florida CLP,

Thanks to everyone who attended the Annual CLP Breakfast during the American College of Surgeons Annual Meeting in San Francisco.

Much important information was discussed, including an update on the CoCa Standards related to staging.

Dr. David Winchester also gave an update on the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers.

I have requested copies of the slides used in these interesting talks, and will post them on the Florida ACoS website as soon as I receive them. They will make interesting presentations for future cancer committee meetings at your cancer program.

Check www.floridaacs.org in the coming week for these slide-sets.

Welcome to New CLP

Welcome to Dr. Shalin Shah, the new liaison physician for Univeristy Community Hospital in Tampa.

CLP Focus Area: American Cancer Society Partnership

Invite ACS Staff to the Cancer Committee Table. Facilitate ACS Interaction with the Cancer Program staff. CoC Approved Programs rely heavily on the ACS relationship for information delivery and supportive care.

FLASCO to Host CLP Meeting

The leadership of the Florida Society of clinical Oncology has kindly provided an opportunity for us to host a Cancer Liaison Physician program during their fall meeting, to be held November 7-8 at the Tampa Airport Marriott. Approximately one-half of CLPs are medical oncologists, and this will provide an opportunity to discuss CLP related issues during an annual medical oncology meeting. FLASCO has generously offered complimentary registration for non-members who wish to attend this part of their meeting. Write me for more details (proland@rtsx.com)

Cancer Liaison Physician Program
Saturday November 8, 2009
2:30 to 3:30 pm
Tampa Airport Marriott Hotel

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