

## General Information

This conference will be held in the James T. Dove, MD Conference Center, Prairie Heart Institute at St. John's Hospital, 619 E. Mason St., Springfield, IL. For general information regarding the course, please call (217) 545-7711.

## Intended Audience

This program has been designed for primary care physicians. Mid-level providers, nurses and other allied health professionals are welcome to attend.

## Course Objectives

At the conclusion of this program, participants will be able to:

- Recognize common cancers as they present in the office setting.
- Describe how common cancers progress.
- Manage conditions caused by new targeted oral agents.
- Manage cancer as a chronic illness.
- Manage acute side effects of cancer therapy appropriately.
- Advise patients on a plan of action for prostate cancer.
- Recommend appropriate colorectal cancer screening procedures.
- Advocate for effective cancer-reducing public policy.
- Enable patients to identify and manage reproductive cancer issues.
- Conduct an open dialogue with patients about their prognosis.

## Sponsorship

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the ACCME through the joint sponsorship of SIU School of Medicine and St. John's Cancer Institute.

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# On the Front Line:

## Dealing with Cancer in the Primary Care Office

Friday, October 9, 2009

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Prairie Heart Institute at St. John's Hospital  
619 E. Mason Street  
Springfield, Illinois



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Professor and Chief, Division of Gastroenterology  
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## Agenda

- 8:15 a.m. Registration and breakfast
- 8:45 a.m. Opening Remarks  
Robert P. Ritz, CEO  
St. John's Hospital
- 8:50 a.m. Welcome  
John E. Godwin, MD
- 9 a.m. How Do Common Cancers Present and Behave?  
Edem Agamah, MD
- 9:45 a.m. New Oral Targeted Agents: What Your Patients are Taking and What it Might Do To Them  
John E. Godwin, MD
- 10:30 a.m. Break
- 10:45 a.m. Helping Your Patients Manage Side Effects of Treatment  
Catherine A. Kefer, MSN, APRN-BC, ANP
- 11:15 a.m. PSA: The Debate Continues  
Thomas H. Tarter, MD, PhD
- 11:45 p.m. Colorectal Screening Update  
Russell D. Yang, MD, PhD
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 1 p.m. Society and Cancer: Can We Prevent Cancer through Public Policy?  
Garth H. Rauscher, PhD
- 1:45 p.m. Evaluation and Treatment of Women for Reproductive Cancers: The Role of the Primary Care Provider  
Gary Johnson, MD
- 2:15 p.m. Break
- 2:30 p.m. "What's My Prognosis, Doc?" – Talking to Your Patients about Cancer  
Mary Bretscher, MD, Moderator  
Christopher L. Gleason, MD; Gary Johnson, MD; Rhonda Johnson, PhD
- 3:30 p.m. CME Evaluation and Adjournment  
John Godwin, MD

## Credits

The SIU School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 5.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP). Determination of credit is pending.

This continuing nursing education activity was approved for 5.2 contact hours by the Illinois Nurses Association, an accredited approved by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

SIU School of Medicine is a licensed provider for continuing education for nursing home administrators (license number 139-000027), social workers (license number 159-000106) and professional counselors/clinical counselors (license number 197-000073).

## Accreditation

SIU School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians.

St. John's Hospital is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Illinois Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

## Registration

Please complete the registration form and return it with the appropriate fee. Registration the day of the conference will begin at 8:15 a.m. Registration fee includes meals, breaks and conference materials.

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