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Regional Cancer Program Updates:

- Did You Know? We are on social media. Follow along as we share great information for community members. Feel free to re-share any of our content:
[f facebook.com](#) [i instagram.com](#) [in linkedin.com](#)
- October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month (BCAM). This month aims to promote screening and the prevention of the disease. To help spread awareness, promotional material has been developed and can be shared broadly. If you require a different format, please email centraleast.csp@lh.ca



OH-CCO Updates:

- **Provincial Webinar: Expansion of the OBSP to People Ages 40 to 49**
Ontario Health (Cancer Care Ontario) is pleased to announce that on October 8, 2024, the OBSP will be expanding to offer breast cancer screening to people ages 40 to 49.

Primary care providers are invited to learn more about the OBSP expansion to people ages 40 to 49 through the following virtual webinars:

- Thursday, October 10, 2024 from 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.: Register [here](#)
Invitations will be sent via email following registration.

Another opportunity to learn about OBSP expansion will be through the Ontario College of Family Physicians' Community of Practice virtual meeting on October 18. Details on this session will be confirmed separately.

The webinars will be hosted by the Provincial Primary Care Lead, Dr. Jonathan Isenberg, and provincial clinical and/or scientific leadership from the OBSP. The webinars will cover:

- An overview of OBSP expansion and program recommendations
- A walkthrough of informed decision-making discussions for people ages 40 to 49
- Additional support resources and next steps
- Opportunity for Q&A

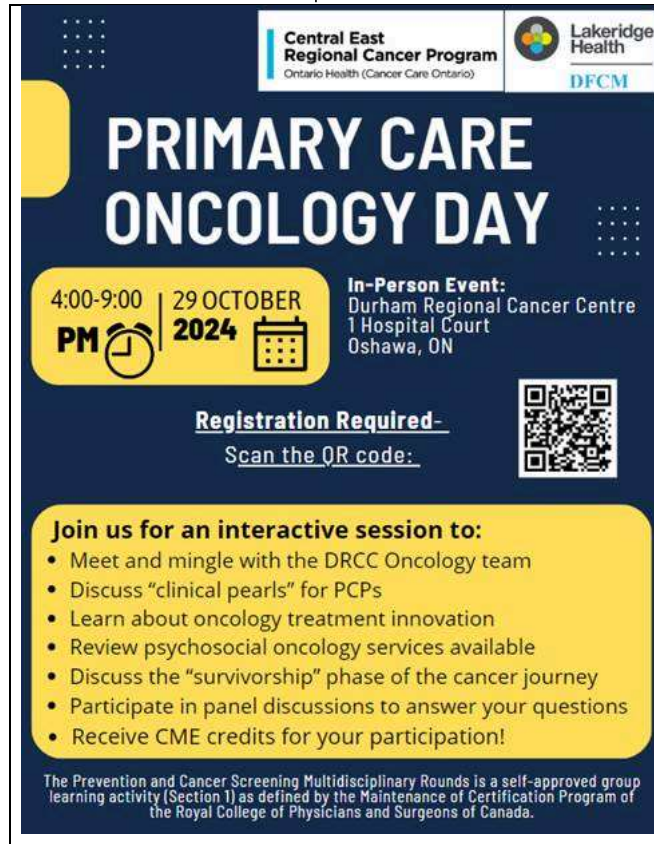
Education Opportunities (Webinars/Workshops/Event Recordings) & Journal Articles:

Upcoming Education Opportunities:

1) Primary Care Oncology Day

To register: Primary Care Oncology Day: [Click Here](#) or scan the QR code

Bonus: Dinner and DRCC Tours will be provided



Central East Regional Cancer Program
Ontario Health (Cancer Care Ontario)

Lakeridge Health
DFCM

PRIMARY CARE ONCOLOGY DAY

4:00-9:00 PM | 29 OCTOBER 2024

In-Person Event:
Durham Regional Cancer Centre
1 Hospital Court
Oshawa, ON

Registration Required -
Scan the QR code:

Join us for an interactive session to:

- Meet and mingle with the DRCC Oncology team
- Discuss "clinical pearls" for PCPs
- Learn about oncology treatment innovation
- Review psychosocial oncology services available
- Discuss the "survivorship" phase of the cancer journey
- Participate in panel discussions to answer your questions
- Receive CME credits for your participation!

The Prevention and Cancer Screening Multidisciplinary Rounds is a self-approved group learning activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.

Registration Required - Scan the QR code:		
PRIMARY CARE ONCOLOGY DAY AGENDA		
Time	Topic	Learning Objectives
4:00	Registration	
4:20	Opening Remarks and Patient Story	
4:30	Bringing the Lens of Primary Care to Cancer Care with Dr. Rebecca Wray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduce tools and mechanisms to improve Primary Care integration in cancer care • Describe recent and upcoming changes to cancer screening guidelines • Understand how to improve cancer screening in primary care practice through innovative strategies and future directions
4:50	Panel 1: A Collaborative Approach to Cancer Care: Delivering the Best Possible Care to Patients with DRCC Physician Leads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand practical and relevant information about the application of cancer treatments • Identify the decision-making processes regarding surgical management, radiation therapy, and systemic therapy of cancers • Highlight the PCP's role in identifying and managing acute oncologic complications • Discuss opportunities for shared care and collaboration between PCPs and Oncology along the patient's journey
6:00	Dinner and Networking	
6:45	Panel 2: Building Bridges, Strengthening Care with the DRCC Psychosocial Oncology Team, Pharmacy, Indigenous Navigator, Patient Experience Lead	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the importance of multidisciplinary care during a cancer diagnosis • Review and understand the latest interprofessional treatment practices in oncology • Explore how to address the physical, mental and social care needs that may affect treatment compliance • Learn about the importance of culturally appropriate care and the supports available through the cancer program for Indigenous patients and their families • Understand the breadth of patient resources available to support oncology patients through their cancer journey
7:45	Panel 3: Enhancing Shared Care Models After Cancer Treatment with Dr. Caroline McAllister and Dr. Peter Dixon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognize shared models of care as it relates to PCPs and post-treatment care (palliative care or survivorship) • Discuss the role of Primary Care in supporting palliative care approaches in the community • Review the Oncology discharge process, Oncologists' communication to PCPs, and access to follow-up support or direct re-referral
8:15	Closing Remarks & Tour of DRCC	

2) HPV and Pap Competency Workshop

When: December 6, 2024 – morning

Location: TBD (Scarborough / Durham Region)

Facilitator: Dr. Nathan Roth

Cost: \$100

For more information: <https://cercp.ca/upcoming-events/>

If interested, please email: centraleast.csp@lh.ca

3) The Canadian Partnership Against Cancer is pleased to invite you to a panel discussion with leaders in post treatment cancer care, *Life after cancer: A webinar for health system innovators*. [Register for the event here](#).

- On **October 17** at 1pm EDT, panelists share how communities across Canada are supporting patients after cancer treatment, through strategic navigation, enriched community supports, improved and deliberate primary care engagement, and more.
- The session will be moderated by Dr. Sian Shuel, General Practitioner in Oncology (GPO) at Abbotsford.

4) Indigenous Cultural Safety Training:


(All sessions are 2 days from 10:00am-4:00pm)

To register: email Carter Sehn Csehn@lh.ca

Date	Location
November 28 & 29	Lakeridge Health Corporate Whitby
December 19 & 20	Lakeridge Health – Ajax Pickering

INDIGENOUS CULTURAL SAFETY TRAINING



Developed by the Central East Regional Indigenous Cancer Program



Training designed for healthcare professional to provide more culturally appropriate care

- Training sessions are available every month
- In-person training sessions
- Admission is FREE

Contact Carter Sehn to register: csehn@lh.ca

Past Webinar Recordings:

Referring Patients to Oncology: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yE2H6VC0Zpo>

Presented by: Durham Regional Cancer Program: Dr. Orit Freedman, Dr. Anthony Naassan, Dr Medhat El-Mallah, and Lynn Faltl
Presented On: June 20, 2024

The Role of Adult HPV Vaccination to Prevent Disease: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jXnlTYV5Ph0>

Presented by: Dr. Nancy Durand
Presented On: September 9, 2024

Print/Promotional Materials/Community Engagement:

*Provided Free of Charge

*** Please share the below events broadly with community members**

Topic: Scarborough Virtual Community Town Hall

Audience: Community Members/General Public

Presented by: Dr. Rola Shaheen & Dr. Rebecca Wray

When: October 28, 2024; 7:00-8:00pm

Available in: English, French, Spanish, Filipino, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Arabic

To register: <https://forms.office.com/r/TDb77WPuyZ>

Central East Regional Cancer Program
Ontario Health (Cancer Care Ontario)

SCARBOROUGH COMMUNITY TOWN HALL

VIRTUAL
Join us to learn about important upcoming changes to breast cancer screening.

Date: October 28, 2024
Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

REGISTER NOW



SCAN ME

bit.ly/scarboroughtownhall



Dr. Raka Shahreen
Radiologist



Dr. Rebecca Wray
Primary Care Physician

The presentation will be available in the following languages:

- English
- French
- Spanish
- Arabic
- Simplified Chinese
- Traditional Chinese
- Filipino

Prizes can also be won!

Partnering Organizations:



If you are interested in receiving any free cancer screening and prevention promotional materials (i.e., posters, brochures, etc), please complete:

<https://forms.office.com/r/0GGFL7FNp3>

- All copies are also available in electronic format for waiting room screens, etc. Downloadable versions are available on <https://cercp.ca/healthcare-provider-resources/#health-promotion>.

Data / Reports:

- Updated data can be found on our website: <https://cercp.ca/healthcare-provider-resources/>
- If you have suggestions on how we could improve cancer screening in our region, please email centraleast.csp@lh.ca

Central East RCP: Dashboard

All data are current as of June 30, 2024

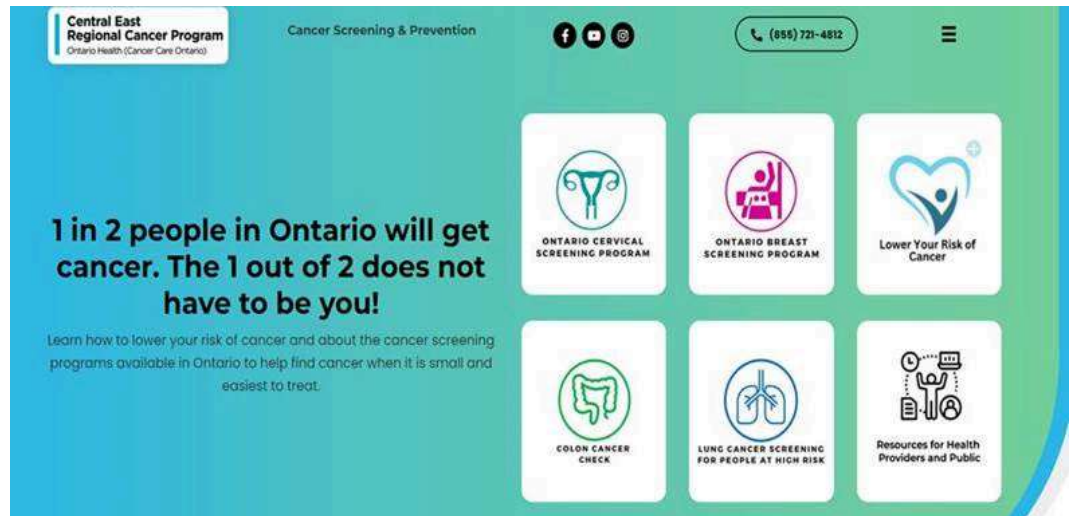
Regional Statistics			
Enrolled / Eligible Patient Population:	Regional Cancer Program (RCP)		Ontario
	Breast Screening	204,517	1,892,831
Cervical Screening	376,739	3,612,118	
Colorectal Screening	404,457	3,764,157	
	Ontario Rate:	RCP Rate:	Percentage Point Change in the Previous 12 Months (RCP)
PEM Physicians (Breast Screening Rate):	64%	63%	-0.66
PEM Physicians (Cervical Screening Rate):	62%	60%	1.42
PEM Physicians (Up-to-Date with Colorectal Tests):	68%	67%	0.31

Additional:

- **REMINDER:** The Central East Regional Cancer Program Screening & Prevention Team's website is now live: <https://cercp.ca/>

Website highlights include:

- o Information on cancer screening & prevention
- o Mammography site wait times and option of online self-referral
- o Cervical screening (pap) locations
- o Information for people without a Primary Care Provider
- o Printable/downloadable handouts
- o Patient story video testimonials
- o Resources for healthcare providers
- o Upcoming presentation dates and locations
- o Previous issues of the Regional Cancer Program Updates communique
- o And so much more!



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