



Cancer Coalition Circular



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As a [training and technical assistance provider](#) for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP), the American Cancer Society (ACS) is pleased to share a newsletter highlighting ACS events and resources from across the enterprise that may be of interest to CDC NCCCP recipients! For more resources and technical support for your coalition, visit our [ACS CCC website](#) and [sign up for our ACS Cancer Coalition Circular e-newsletter](#).



ACS Webinar Series for Cancer Coalitions

JUN 13
1-2 PM EST

Advancing HPV Vaccination Equity

Coalitions will learn about health equity and access regarding HPV vaccination within special populations.

Register Today! bit.ly/3yhwgbA



Accessing Cancer Care Across the Continuum: Resources for Your Coalition

The three webinars in this series will give you and your cancer coalition partners new best practices, innovative approaches, and quality resources to enhance your ability to increase access to cancer care across the continuum.

Register for one or more of these webinars: [HERE](#)

Advancing HPV Vaccination Equity

- In partnership with the [ACS National HPV Vaccination Roundtable](#)
- June 13, 2024 (1-2 PM EST)

Speakers: Dr. Jennifer Cunningham-Erves, PhD, MPH, MAED, MS, CHES (Vanderbilt University) and Jennifer Singleterry Hoque (ACS CAN).

Overcoming Stigma as a Barrier to Equitable Lung Cancer Care

- In partnership with the [ACS National Lung Cancer Roundtable](#)
- July 10, 2024 (1-2 PM EST)

Promoting Non-Invasive CRC Screening

- In partnership with the [ACS National Colorectal Cancer Roundtable](#)
- August 14, 2024 (1-2 PM EST)

[Please share and promote](#) this opportunity with your coalition partners. We look forward to your participation in these sessions.

**CCCNP
COALITION
CHECK-IN**

**SEPT. 10, 2024
4:00-4:30 PM EST**



Join the conversation! CCCNP Coalition Check-in Meetings

ACS is a proud member of the [Comprehensive Cancer Control National Partnership](#)! CCCNP hosts quarterly "Coalition Check-Ins" -- informal, 30-minute video calls on a topic of interest to cancer coalition leaders. Join your cancer coalition colleagues for an interactive discussion facilitated by a member of the Comprehensive Cancer Control National Partnership.

Quarterly Tuesdays at 4:00 PM EST

- September 10, 2024
- December 3, 2024
- Download your "Save the Dates" [HERE](#)



Increasing Health Equity: Navigating for Equitable Outcomes and Building Resources to Address the Needs of Diverse Populations

This ACS webinar series will provide a foundation of understanding around the issue of health equity and how to elevate best practices in patient navigation programs to become more patient-centric, culturally sensitive, and focused on addressing the unique needs of the diverse community and individuals.

Register for one or more of these 3 webinars: [HERE](#)

"Cancer Disparities and Delivering Person-Centered Care to Diverse Communities - Centric Care to Diverse Communities"

- June 18, 2024 (2-3 PM EST)
- Speaker: Ife Lenard, MSW, Ed.M.

"Adapting Navigation Practices, Policies, and Resources to Address Cultural Disparities and Barriers to Cancer Care"

- June 25, 2024 (2-3 PM EST)
- Speaker: Ludmila Svoboda, RN, MSN, MA, OCN -Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

"Voices from the Field-Panel Discussion"

- July 10, 2024 (2-3 PM EST)

By registering you will have access to a recording of the session even if you are unable to attend which will be emailed following the session. Please direct questions to navigation@cancer.org



Promoting Colorectal Cancer Screening in the African Methodist Episcopal (AME) Church Community

Join the American Cancer Society (ACS), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Kaiser Permanente Center for Health Research (KPCHR) and members of the [African Methodist Episcopal \(AME\) church](#) for a webinar to learn more about how to promote colorectal cancer screening in the AME church community.

- July 17, 2024 (1-2 PM EST)
- Register Today [HERE](#)

During the webinar you'll learn about ACS's pilot project to develop and disseminate tailored colorectal cancer screening messaging in partnership with African American faith leaders from the Atlanta East District of the AME church.

NEW! The [Resource Guide: Promoting Screening for Colorectal Cancer in the AME Church Community](#), shares quick start steps for developing and implementing your own community action plan using community-based colorectal cancer screening messages.

Timely Resources

Increasing Food Security Efforts Across the Cancer Continuum: A Toolkit for Comprehensive Cancer Control Coalitions

This helpful food security toolkit for CCC coalitions contains resources and recommendations that are aligned with the Whitehouse National Strategy for improving food access and affordability and integrating nutrition into disease management. The prevalence of low food security among people with cancer and their caregivers is much higher than the prevalence in the general population.



[See the Food Security Toolkit](#)

Advocacy & Policy

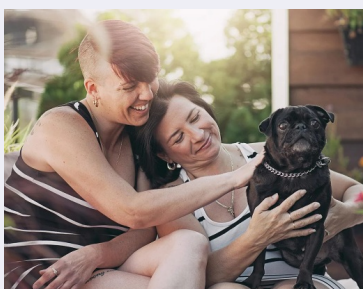
Cancer Survivors' Views
Make a Difference

[ACS CAN's Cancer Survivors' View](#) is a groundbreaking program designed to further engage cancer survivors in the important policy issues that are part of [ACS CAN's](#) fight against cancer. Over 3,000 cancer survivors have agreed to participate in Survivor Views by responding to regular surveys on policy issues that support the prevention, detection and treatment of cancer and promote survivors' quality of life.



[Learn More Here](#)

ACS Research



Cancer in People who identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, or Gender-nonconforming

In a first-of-its-kind study, the American Cancer Society on May 31 released [“Cancer in People who Identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer or Gender-nonconforming \(LGBTQ+\)”](#). The article provides the latest statistics on the prevalence of cancer screening and modifiable risk factors in LGBTQ+ populations, as well as a review of literature on cancer occurrence and obstacles to cancer prevention and treatment.

These important findings are published in the journal *Cancer*, alongside its consumer-friendly companion, [Cancer Facts & Figures 2024 Special Section: Cancer in People Who Identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, or Gender-nonconforming](#), to coincide with the start of Pride month in June.

NEW! [Download today: ACS National Colorectal Cancer Roundtable's Brief: Increasing Colorectal Cancer Screening Among LGBTQ Communities](#)

Thank-you!

Thank you for your efforts to reduce the burden of cancer through health equity, prevention, risk reduction, early detection and screening.

For cancer coalition questions, information and support, email [Katie Bathje](#), ACS Strategic Director, Comprehensive Cancer Control Initiatives.





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