

MGfC Family-Centered Care Series

Adolescent and Young Adult (AYA) Cancer: Optimizing Care, Outcomes and Experiences for AYAs with Cancer

Date: Wednesday, September 13, 2023

Time: 12-1 pm (Eastern Time)



Adolescent and young adult (AYA) patients with cancer face unique challenges and have specific needs. Historically, cancer care has been divided between pediatric and older adult patients. This creates additional challenges for AYAs as they navigate their cancer care while also balancing their mental health, financial wellbeing, educational and career development goals, fertility, and social connection. This talk will address the unique needs of our AYA population as well as discuss the clinical and psychosocial frameworks and social opportunities being developed for our AYA patients.

Featured Speaker: Annah N. Abrams, MD

Dr. Abrams is a child, adolescent, and adult psychiatrist. She is also the Director of the Adolescent and Young Adult Cancer Program, Chief of the Division of Pediatric Psycho-Oncology, and an attending physician on the Child Psychiatry consultation service at Mass General. Her work focuses on the emotional health and well-being of children, adolescents, and young adults with cancer.

- This program is free and open to Mass General patients, families, staff, and the general public.
- To attend this program, click on this link: https://partners.zoom.us/j/86843738426
- Please submit questions you may have about the topic before the program to: PFLC@partners.org so that the speaker may address them during the session.

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