ASTCT Pharmacy Special Interest Group (SIG) Update 2019-2020

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Disclosures

• Advisory board participation:
  — Genentech
  — Incyte
  — Omeros
Objectives

• Identify the benefits of joining the Pharmacy SIG and working committees
• Recognize the accomplishments of the Pharmacy SIG members and committees during the past year
Committee Structure of the Pharmacy SIG 2019-2020

Steering Committee
Advocacy
Communication
Education
Membership & Awards
Program Planning
Research
ASTCT Pharmacy SIG Steering Committee

• Chair: Zahra Mahmoudjafari
• Members
  — Kamakshi Rao (immediate past-chair)
  — Maurice Alexander (chair-elect)
  — Colleen Timlin
  — Dragos Plesca
  — Teresa Kam
  — Katie Culos
Membership & Awards

• Chair: Amanda Seddon

• Members:
  — Alex Shillingburg (immediate past chair)
  — Amanda Brahim (chair elect)
  — Justin Arnall
  — Jamie Shapiro
  — Chelsea Minor
  — Kelsey Konrardy
  — Allison Martin
  — Scott Lanum

• Steering Committee Liaison – Dragos Plesca
Membership & Awards Committee

• Solicitation for membership through website and listserv
  — Welcome letters for new SIG members
• Communication with residency program directors to highlight the benefits of membership
  — Reduced rates for resident attendees
• Update to Fast Facts for each working committee
• Awards
  — Call out for and vetted nominations for annual awards:
    • New Practitioner
    • Excellence in Advocacy
    • Lifetime Achievement Awards
Pharmacy SIG Membership Growth

We continue to have opportunities to engage new practitioners and to reach those who have not joined or renewed their memberships.
Membership & Awards

• What’s in store?
  — Plan to align working committee with Communication
  — Potential for virtual rotation collaboration to engage resident learners
Program Planning Committee

• Chair: Nicole Watts
• Members
  — Terri Lynn Shigle (immediate past chair)
  — Tatjana Grgic (chair-elect)
  — Ekaterina Kachur
  — Breana Gosicki
  — Kathy Hogan Edwards
  — Nicole Watts
  — Amy Bryk
  — Craig Freyer
  — Rebecca Gonzalez
  — Diwura Owolabi
  — Jamie Rouch
  — Victoria Handy
• Steering Committee Liaison: Colleen Timlin
Program Planning Committee

- Responsible for content of the TCT Pharmacy conference
  - Vetting and evaluating speakers, slides, and submissions for quality content
- Successful mentor/mentee presentations beginning in 2019
- Approximately 290 attendees during 2019 conference

2019 TCT Pharmacist Conference Attendance

- Pharmacists: 52%
- MD/PhD: 21%
- NP/RN: 27%
Program Planning Committee

• Planning and execution of the 2020 TCT Pharmacists Conference
  —13.75 hours of accredited CE

• NEW
  —2 ASH updates-45 minutes each
  —Roundtables during lunch to discuss pertinent HCT topics

• To look forward to next year!
  —BCOP credit for some sessions

ASH: American Society of Hematology
HCT: hematopoietic cell transplantation
BCOP: Board Certified Oncology Pharmacists
Advocacy and Policy Committee

• Chair: Ben Andrick
• Members
  — Susanne Liewer (immediate past chair)
  — Alison Gulbis
  — Lauren Ice
  — Monank Patel
  — Theresa Urban
• Steering Committee Liaison: Maurice Alexander
Advocacy and Policy Committee

• Explore most impactful opportunities to demonstrate the value of HCT pharmacists, promote the contributions of pharmacists to HCT research, education, and clinical practice
• Keep the SIG abreast of legislative issues of interest to the HCT field
• Aligning with the newly formed Government Relations Committee of ASTCT
• Send annual letters to supervisors to acknowledge contributions of members to the SIG
Communications Committee

• Chair: Brandi Anders

• Members
  — Ryan Shaw (immediate past chair)
  — Kathryn Maples (chair-elect)
  — Eileen Chen
  — Jason Jared
  — Tiene Bauters
  — Meg Taylor
  — Amanda Peffer
  — Jamie Elsner Ziggas
  — Telyssa Anderson

• Steering Committee Liaison: Teresa Kam
Communications Committee

• Literature Updates
  — Published monthly to SIG and ASTCT membership
  — Provides brief summaries of relevant literature from a number of journals

• Biannual SIG newsletter
  — Informs membership of activities and accomplishments, including relevant or notable publications

• Communication to the SIG as a whole on behalf of each of the working committees
Communications

• What’s in store?
  — Plan to align working committees with Membership and Awards—more to come on this!
Research Committee

• Chair: Ashley Teusink-Cross
• Members
  — Angela Hsieh (immediate past chair)
  — Katie Gatwood (chair elect)
  — Jigar Trivedi
  — Andrew Lin
  — Valkal Bhatt
  — Megan Dillaman
  — Aaron Cumpston
  — Anne McDonnell
  — Lily Yan
  — Arpita Gandhi
• Steering Committee Liaison: Katie Culos
Research Committee

- Responsible for developing and maintaining infrastructure to support the conduct and dissemination of HCT related research on behalf of the Pharmacy SIG

- Review and select best abstracts from submissions to the annual meeting for oral presentation-4 this year!
  - 32 abstracts accepted for 2019

- Oversee the third year of executing the application and selection of the ASTCT Pharmacy SIG New Investigator Research Award Program
  - 3 letters of intent submitted in 2019
  - Unfortunately none selected due to concern for feasibility
Education Committee

- Chair:
  - Education: Eric Chow
  - Fundamentals: Laura Whited

- Steering Committee Liaison: Kamakshi Rao

- Members
  - Education
    - Julianna Roddy (immediate past chair)
    - Mariana Lucena (chair elect)
    - Amanda Edwards
    - Lauren Curry
    - Cameron Ninos
    - Kelly Valla
    - Jeanne McCarthy-Kaiser
    - Morgan Gwynn
  - Fundamentals
    - Cynthia Herrera
    - Cathryn Jennissen
    - Suzanne Gettys
    - Elizabeth DiMaggio
    - Susie Long
    - Jason Yeh
Education Committee

• Develop and Coordinate ongoing educational programming for SIG members
  —Survey membership for interest and needs

• Development and maintenance of Fundamentals of HCT and Beyond Fundamentals coursework

• 2019 Beyond Fundamentals of HCT
  —February 20-21: 15 sessions
  —CE certified for pharmacists, nurses, allied health professionals and physicians

• Delivery of Online Journal Clubs-May, September and November
Education Committee

• What’s next?
  — Education and Fundamentals to become their own working committee to better align with strategic initiatives
  — Education to focus on content for all members both seasoned and new practitioner
  — Fundamentals to focus on educational content potentially breakaway bundles, streaming webinars and potential for stand alone certification program
ASTCT Committees
Pharmacy Representation

• Committee on Education – Kamakshi Rao
• Scientific Planning Committee – Terri Lynn Shigle
• Transplant ID: Joe Bubalo
• Cord Blood SIG: Valkal Bhatt
• Working to increase pharmacy participation in other working committees!
  Pediatric SIG
    —Survivorship SIG
    —Palliative/Supportive Care SIG
    —Women and Under-represented minorities SIG
    —Cellular therapies SIG
Continued Standardizations and Accomplishments

• Call for content experts
• Moved all working committee files from DropBox to Community page
• Streamlined all communications to be completed by one working committee
• Defined conflict of interest policy for leadership on our working committees
• Support the busulfan harmonization project
  — Newsletter spotlight
  — Online journal club
  — TCT Pharmacy presentation
What to Expect in 2020-2021?
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- Research

Communication & Membership Recognition
- Education
- Fundamentals
- Program Planning
- Research
Working Committees

• New in 2020-2021
  —Membership and Awards & Communication → Communication and Membership Recognition
    • Biannual newsletter
    • SIG communication
    • Membership maintenance and recruitment
    • Annual pharmacy recognition awards at TCT conference
  —Research
    • Monthly literature updates
  —Advocacy redesigned → Pharmacy representation on the ASTCT government relations committee
    • Immediate past-chair of steering committee: Zahra Mahmoudjafari
  —Independent Fundamentals working committee
    • Allows for focus on strategic initiatives such as potential for stand alone training certification
How Can You Get Involved?
How to Get Involved

• Sign up as a content reviewer
  —https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfWFN-0U6cpAJi3VQ58-pum5siVCh25-vQnUjDW2bqJ4spzA/viewform
  —Should be completed annually

• Ask questions and reply on the community page!
  —Our strength lies in being able to network with one another about difficult scenarios

• Join a working committee!!
  —Call for working committee involvement is usually in the late Fall

We need all the support we can get to ensure we can continue to deliver high quality support to our SIG members and grow our impact.

ASTCT Pharmacy SIG Content Reviewer Application

The ASTCT Pharmacy SIG’s mission is supported by the work of a Steering Committee and 6 individual working committees. Over the course of each year, the working committees are frequently in need of content reviewers. Individuals who identify as content reviewers may be asked to review slides, manuscripts, abstracts, grant applications, chapters, and other materials. To better engage our membership, we would like to invite all SIG members to consider volunteering their expertise as content reviewers. Please indicate which form above.

DISCUSSION FORUM

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Reflection

- THANK YOU to all working committee members who continue to advocate for the role of the pharmacist within HCT and ASTCT
- It has been a honor to lead such a phenomenal group
Question #1

How can a HCT pharmacist stay involved with the ASTCT Pharmacy SIG?

— A. Sign up as a content reviewer
— B. Serve on a working committee
— C. Post and reply on the ASTCT community page
— D. All of the above
Question #2

- The purpose of the Pharmacy SIG of ASTCT is to
  - A. promote a sense of community amongst SIG members/HCT pharmacists
  - B. coordinate the membership to advocate for professional involvement and representation
  - C. support research and scholarship efforts of SIG members
  - D. All of the above