



## Coming up! 2016 GASCO Annual Meeting and Best of ASCO® and the Cancer Patient Navigators Annual Meeting on September 9-10!



Plan to attend **GASCO's Annual Meeting & Best of ASCO®** on September 9-10, 2016, in Atlanta, GA! Topics include prostate, renal cell, lung, gastroenterology, gynecological, breast and hematology cancers. They will also be a discussion on biologic therapies. The world class speakers come from **ASCO, the Medical College of Wisconsin, Augusta University, Memorial Sloan Kettering, Duke, Georgetown and the**



**Winship Cancer Institute.** The **Cancer Patient Navigators Annual Meeting** will also be held concurrently on Friday, September 9. CMEs will be available for those that attend. In addition, registration is free for all GASCO and CPNG members. Learn more about the GASCO meeting [here](#) and the CPNG meeting [here](#)!

### Cancer Coalition of South Georgia Announces New Name and Broadened Mission

On August 1, 2016, the **Cancer Coalition**



**HORIZONS COMMUNITY SOLUTIONS**

**of South Georgia** officially became **Horizons Community Solutions**. Built upon the Cancer Coalition's strong foundation, Horizons will continue the fight against cancer, but also will do even more to strengthen local communities toward greater health and productivity. Read more [here](#).

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **2016 Casting for Confidence: Introducing the Sport of Fly Fishing to Female Cancer Survivors by the Georgia Women Fly Fishers**

Saturday, September 3, 2016  
Frog Hollow, Georgia

#### **Braves' Childhood Cancer Awareness Day**

Saturday, September 10, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

#### **8th Annual Boat People SOS Community Health Fair**

Saturday, September 17, 2016  
Norcross, Georgia

### Inaugural Annual Lectureship and Award Honoring the Leadership, Scholarship and Service of Thomas E. Seay, MD, PhD

During the **GASCO** meeting at the Westin Buckhead on Saturday, September 10, 2016, the inaugural lectureship and award honoring the leadership, scholarship and service of **Thomas E. Seay, MD, PhD** will be held.



Established by the Board of Directors of Georgia CORE, this program was created to honor Dr. Seay, a leading and greatly admired medical oncologist who was President of **Atlanta Cancer Care**, a member of the medical staff of **Northside Hospital**, and a **founding member and chairman of the Georgia CORE Board**.

**Dr. Douglas B. Evans**, the Donald C. Ausman Family Foundation Professor of Surgery and Chair of the Department of Surgery at the Medical College of Wisconsin has been selected to present the inaugural lecture. He will discuss **"Personalized Medicine for Localized Pancreatic Cancer."** Dr. Evans' research interests focus on translational laboratory research in the biology of pancreatic cancer and in clinical trial development for patients with localized disease. Sponsors include **Innovator: Northside Hospital; Explorers: the Lisa Slay Street Foundation and Atlanta Cancer Care; Champion: Schnell Family Trust; and Advocates: Georgia CORE, Nancy M. Paris and Paul C. Prebble and H. A. Zaren, MD, FACS.** Learn more [here](#).

### Save the Date for Cancer Survivorship Connection: Up Close and Personal!

**Cancer Survivorship:**

Up Close & Personal

On Thursday, November 3, 2016, **Georgia CORE** is proud to present **Cancer Survivorship: Up Close and Personal**. This one-day statewide dialogue at the **Carter Center** will explore the unmet needs and unseen challenges of Georgia's cancer survivors. It will address survivors' physical, emotional, practical and spiritual needs. It will also discuss issues faced by

**Health Connect South 2016**

Wednesday, September 21, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

**Gwinnett Medical's Paint  
Gwinnett Pink 5K Walk**

Saturday, October 1, 2016  
Lawrenceville, Georgia

**2016 Boat People SOS Morrow  
Community Health Fair**

Saturday, October 1, 2016  
Morrow, Georgia

**6th Annual Winship 5K  
Run/Walk**

Saturday, October 1, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

**Braves' Breast Cancer  
Awareness Day**

Saturday, October 1, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

**Breast Cancer Survivors'  
Network 7th Annual Breast  
Cancer 1-Day Walk/Run**

Saturday, October 8, 2016  
Peachtree City, Georgia

**West Central Georgia Cancer  
Coalition's 7th Paint the Town  
Pink Fun Run/Walk**

Friday, October 21, 2016  
Columbus, Georgia

**Lighthouse Lymphedema  
Network's 9th State of Georgia  
Lymphedema Education &  
Awareness Program**

Saturday, October 22, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

**United in Pink's  
Flamingo Fest 5K**

Saturday, October 22, 2016  
Macon, Georgia

**10th Atlanta Lung Cancer  
Symposium 2016 Presented by  
SynAptiv & Phillips Gilmore  
Oncology Communications**

Saturday, October 29, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

**Georgia CORE's Cancer  
Survivorship:  
Up Close & Personal**

Thursday, November 3, 2016  
Atlanta, Georgia

survivors of different cultures, best practices, national cancer survivorship guidelines and evidence-based research. Learn more [here](#).

**Winship Partners with Navicent Health**

**Winship Cancer Institute of Emory University** announced today that the **Peyton Anderson Cancer Center, Navicent Health** in Macon, Georgia, has joined the Winship Cancer Network. Navicent Health, an 830 bed health system, includes The Medical Center, Navicent Health, a tertiary Level 1 trauma center and teaching hospital, and the second largest hospital in the state. Read more [here](#).



**CORE Bits**

**Is GeorgiaCancerInfo.org helpful to you? Let the NCI know!** They are looking for ideas to redesign the way patients and oncologists learn about and find information about cancer clinical trials. They are asking for interesting ideas by August 30, 2016. Learn more [here](#).

**New National Guidelines:** The American Society of Clinical Oncology has released new guidelines on Chronic Pain Management in adult cancer survivors. Read about them [here](#).

Do you know about the **National Cancer Institute's Cancer Information Service**? You can call them at **1-800-4-CANCER** or go online to <http://www.cancer.gov/contact>. You can learn more [here](#).

[Have you read Survivors' Voices?  
A new tale from Mary Ann Hodnett had just been added.](#)



**CANCER SURVIVORSHIP CONNECTION**  
*An initiative of Georgia CORE*

**Georgia CORE** is a public-private partnership designed to bring higher quality, better organized and more cost-effective care to cancer patients and survivors. The organization's Board of Directors is composed of cancer experts from leading cancer centers and academic institutions. CORE's network develops innovative tools and resources for cancer patients, survivors, caregivers, healthcare providers and researchers. Our collective vision is to contribute to the state's distinction as a national leader in cancer care and research and to better health for all Georgians. CORE's flagship resource, [www.GeorgiaCancerInfo.org](http://www.GeorgiaCancerInfo.org) is the only statewide online information center of its kind, where details can be found on oncologists, clinical trials and treatment centers throughout the state.

**Our Sponsors**

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