

Call to Action! Your Chance to Participate in Innovative Solutions to the Oncology Workforce Shortage

The Association of Community Cancer Centers plans to examine real-world solutions to the oncology workforce shortage. In fall 2010 ACCC will publish a series of articles in *Oncology Issues* that explores how programs and practices are working to stem this shortage. We need your participation in this project!

Many ACCC programs are already creating innovative programs to recruit, retain, and engage their staff. For example, Moses Cone Health System, a five-hospital health system in Greensboro, N.C., developed a program to identify, develop, and mentor nursing leaders (*Oncology Issues*, March/April 2009). Lehigh Valley Hospital and Health

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Network in Allentown, Pa., implemented a successful RT recruitment and retention program (*Oncology Issues*, July/August 2006).

ACCC's membership is a valuable resource in helping address the oncol-

ogy workforce shortage. Does your program have a success story about recruiting, retaining, and/or mentoring staff? If you'd like to share your innovations with your colleagues, email apatton@acc-cancer.org.

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