## How do you keep abreast of medicine?

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Nothing to disclose

## Learning Objectives

- Discuss ways of keeping up-to-date with oncology/hematology literature
- Identify resources available to incorporate into your current practice to increase efficiency of continuing education
- Create and implement a realistic goal for reviewing new data in your area of practice

## Get/Stay Involved

- Become a member of professional organizations
  - New Mexico Society of Clinical Oncology (NMSCO)
  - American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO)
  - Hematology/Oncology Pharmacy Association (HOPA)
  - Oncology Nursing Society (ONS)

#### Welcome to NMSCO, the premier community for oncology professionals in New Mexico.

The New Mexico Society of Clinical Oncology (NMSCO) represents the common interest of all care providers involved in the treatment of patients with cancer throughout New Mexico. We provide educational programs, networking opportunities, and robust advocacy support to help practices stay ahead of the shifting healthcare landscape and meet the challenges that directly impact how they care for their patients.









## Use Screen Time Wisely

- How to sort through all the noise
  - Schedule time to read emails
  - Appropriately utilize social media
- Prioritize relevant articles
  - Identify if you are more likely to read an article electronically or hardcopy
- Select high impact journals

Journal of Clinical Oncology	Blood
The Lancet Oncology	Journal of Hematology & Oncology
Annals of Oncology	The Lancet Hematology
Clinical Cancer Research	Leukemia

### Engage with Colleagues

- Prioritize continuing education in the office
  - Schedule learning sessions for staff
  - Encourage all staff members to engage in continuing education
- Small group discussions
  - Monthly journal clubs
  - Topic discussions
  - Weekly or Monthly newsletter/update
- Accountability buddy

#### Resources

#### ASCO

- Practice guidelines by clinical area
- Guidelines published within the last 3 years
- Recommendations are current, accurate and valid based on available data
- National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN)
  - Access using log in (free)
  - Practice guidelines disease state and supportive care
  - Updates/changes summarized
  - Recommendations are current, accurate and valid based on data and professional consensus

#### FDA

- Oncology (Cancer) / Hematologic Malignancies Approval Notifications
- Withdrawn | Cancer Accelerated Approvals

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