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## American Cancer Society Innovations in Colorectal Cancer Treatment ECHO Clinic Schedule

Schedule	ECHO Session Topics	Description
November 18, 2019	Clinical Conversations: Developing biomarker tissue sampling protocols	Discuss the cost and value in biomarker testing, targeted therapies and immunotherapies.
December 2, 2019	Diagnosis/Pathologic staging (genetic profiling)/prognostic and predictive biomarkers	Outline the operational issues in delivering population-based biomarker testing. Highlight guidelines and promising practices for systemic biomarker protocol development
December 16, 2019	Clinical Conversations: Enhancing communication within the oncologist-pathologist team for better care outcomes	Share best practices related to ensuring that communication between the oncologist and pathologist occurs so that appropriate tests and samples are collected in order to make treatment decisions. Discuss timing of result and how they should be read and utilized in care.
January 13, 2020	Clinical Conversations: Referring patients for genetic counseling	Provide guidelines and recommendations when patients should be referred to genetic counseling. Outline the evidence and value add
February 17, 2020	Treatment: Changes in CRC incidence in under 45 age group	Discuss what we know about treatment implications in this group
March 16, 2020	Quality of Life: Ensuring the best quality of life: managing comorbid conditions, providing and paying for supportive care	Discuss strategies for managing common comorbid conditions that impact patient health and wellbeing. What impact does this have on survival/outcomes and quality of life. Reimbursement/payment challenges.
April 20, 2020	Treatment Current (by stage): Surgery (advances), chemo, radiation	Review the basics of CRC Treatment. Highlight recent treatment innovations in chemotherapy, radiation and surgery
May 18, 2020	Treatment: Emerging (including clinical trials) (targeted, immunotherapies, vaccines)/how to build patient's treatment continuum	Overview current CRC clinical trials and future directions for research/clinical trials on the horizon
June 15, 2020	Treatment: Management of recurrent/metastatic disease/liver resections in mCRC-potential for cure	Share guidelines for treating patients with metastatic disease including the need for additional tissue sampling and bio-marker testing.
July 20, 2020	Promising practices: therapeutic prevention of CRC	Discuss evidence and latest advances in prevention and early detection including new screening tests and aspirin, metformin, and vitamin D as potential therapeutic preventive tools in CRC
August 17, 2020	Access to Care: Understanding and addressing disparities in treatment access (medical neighborhoods)/role of biosimilars as increasing parity?	Highlight current disparities in colorectal cancer treatment and discuss the role of system changes and biosimilars in increasing equity.
September 21, 2020	Clinical Conversations: Surveillance/Survivorship	Highlight multidisciplinary approaches to survivorship and surveillance. Discuss the roles that a variety of health care providers can play to increase patient empowerment and engagement.