



Joint symposium of EAPC and ESMO
“Integration of oncology and palliative care”
at the EAPC World Congress in Berlin in May 2019

Program for EAPC-ESMO Joint Symposium on Friday 24th May 2019
at EAPC 2019 in Berlin

08:00-08.45 Meet the Expert

**The rapidly moving field of Cancer Immunotherapy -
Indications, response prediction and management of side effects**
Norbert Frickhofen, Germany
Stein Kaasa, Norway

09:00-10:30 Parallel Session: **“Global developments in Integration of Oncology and Palliative Care”**

Chairs: Karin Jordan, Germany & Anne Letsch Germany

09:00-09:05

Welcome
Anne Letsch, Germany & Karin Jordan, Germany

09:05-09:30

Global Palliative Oncology: developments, milestones and transsectoral challenges
Andreas Ullrich, MD, former WHO

09:30-09:50

Global reach of ESMO Designated Centers for Integrated Palliative Cancer Care
Gudrun Kreye, Austria

09:50-10:10

The new WHO Guideline for the management of cancer pain in adults and adolescents and findings of the WHO country capacity survey
Eduardo Bruera

10:10-10:30

ESMO clinical practice guidelines in supportive and palliative care – how to ensure global implementation ?
Karin Jordan, Germany

11:15-12:45 Plenary Session: Integration of oncology and palliative care

Chairs: Stein Kaasa, Norway & Christoph Ostgathe, Germany

- 11:15-11:35 Introduction to the Lancet Oncology Commission Paper - how to organize and integrate palliative care ?
Stein Kaasa, Norway
- 11:35- 11:55 The need for training and education
Per Sjøgren, Denmark
- 11:55-12:15 Barriers of Integration of Palliative Care into Oncology
Jan Gärtner, Switzerland
- 12:15-12:30 The Effect of Early and Systematic Integration of Palliative Care in Oncology on Quality of Life and Health Care Use at the End of Life: A Randomized Controlled Trial
Gaëlle Vanbutsele, Belgium
- 12:30-12:45 Discussion

14:30- 16:00 Free Communication Session: Palliative Care for People with Cancer

Chairs: Josep Porta-Sales, Eduardo Bruera

- 14:30- 14:45 Efficacy and Safety of Parental Nutrition on Quality of Life Deterioration-free Survival among Palliative Cancer Patients: A Prospective Multicenter Randomized Control Trial (ALIM-K)
Caorle Bouleuc, France
- 14:45- 15:00 Where Do Oncological Patients Die?
Raquel Gómez Bravo, Spain
- 15:00- 15:15 Effects of Corticosteroids on Quality of Life in Cancer Patients with Advanced Disease and Short Life Expectancy
Ørnulf Paulsen, Norway
- 15:15- 15:30 Assessment of Symptom Burden and Palliative Care Needs of Cancer Patients of Diagnosis of Incurability and during the Course of Cancer Treatment – Final Results of a Prospective Longitudinal Multicenter Cohort Study of the Arbeitsgemeinschaft Palliativmedizin (APM)
Jeannette Vogt, Germany
- 15:30- 15:45 Emotion and Symptom-focused Engagement (EASE): A Randomized Phase II Trial of an Integrated Psychological and Palliative Care Intervention for Patients with Acute Leukemia
Gary Rodin, Canada
- 15:45- 16:00 Quality of Life, Symptom Burden and Needs of Newly Diagnosed Incurable Advanced Cancer Outpatients of Comprehensive Cancer Centers (EVI Project) – Baseline Data from a Prospective, Multicenter, Mixed-methods, Sequential Control Group Study
Waldemar Siemens, Germany
- 16:45-18:15 Plenary How does Integration of Oncology and Palliative Care change in the light of a new Era in Oncology - a multiprofessional challenge