

NATIONAL CANCER PREVENTION WORKSHOP

February 2 - 4, 2022, 9:00 AM

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Welcome

[William U. "Bill" Couzens](#), Founder and President, Less Cancer

[Miles O'Brien](#), Chairman, Less Cancer Board of Directors; Science Correspondent, PBS NewsHour

Program and Continuing Education Information

[Wendy Sewack](#), Program Manager, Continuing Medical Education, University of Virginia

Role of Continuing Education in Healthcare

[Dr. Jann Balmer, PhD, RN, FACEHP](#), Vice President, Less Cancer Board of Directors; Director, Continuing Medical Education, University of Virginia

Introduction and Discussion of [PFAS](#)

[Rep. Debbie Dingell](#) (Michigan, 12th District), U.S. House of Representatives; Sponsor, The National Cancer Prevention Caucus; Co-sponsor, [PFAS Action Act](#)

[Rep. Fred Upton](#) (Michigan, 6th District), U.S. House of Representatives; Co-sponsor, [PFAS Action Act](#)

Policymakers' Efforts in Cancer Prevention

[Rep. Paul D. Tonko](#) (New York, 20th District), U.S. House of Representatives

Environmental Exposure Factors and Cancer

[Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha, MD, MPH, FAAP](#), Founder and Director, Michigan State University and Hurley Children's Hospital Pediatric Public Health Initiative; Author, *What the Eyes Don't See*

[Robert Bilott, JD](#), Board Member, Less Cancer Board of Directors; Partner, Taft, Stettinius & Hollister LLP; Author, *Exposure: Poisoned Water, Corporate Greed, and One Lawyer's Twenty-Year Battle against DuPont* (feature film, *Dark Waters*)

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[Rep. Dan Kildee](#) (Michigan, 5th District), U.S. House of Representatives

[Rep. Ro Khanna](#) (California, 17th District), U.S. House of Representatives

The Role of the Environment in Human Health

Introduction

[Erik D. Olson](#), Senior Strategic Director, Health and Food, Healthy People & Thriving Communities Program, National Resources Defense Council (NRDC)

Panel Discussion

[Dr. Veena Singla](#), Senior Scientist, Healthy People & Thriving Communities Program, NRDC

[Wilma Subra](#), President, Subra Company; Scientist, Louisiana Environmental Action Network

[Sherri White-Williamson](#), Environmental Justice Policy Director, North Carolina Conservation Network

[Dr. Ami R. Zota, ScD, MS](#), Associate Professor, George Washington University, Washington, DC

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[Emily Donovan](#), Clean Cape Fear, Wilmington NC

[Anthony M. Spaniola](#), Co-founder and attorney, Ufer, Spaniola & Frost P.C.; Founding Member, Need Our Water (NOW), Oscoda, MI

Updates in Public Policy with [Rep. Don Beyer](#) (Virginia, 8th District), U.S. House of Representatives and [Donna Eacho, MBA](#), Treasurer, Less Cancer Board of Directors

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[Rep. Cathy McMorris Rodgers](#) (Washington, 5th District), U.S. House of Representatives

Updates in Public Health Work with [Nsedu Witherspoon MPH](#), Executive Director, Children's Environmental Health Network and [Polly Hoppin](#), Research Professor, Program Director, University of Massachusetts, Lowell Center for Sustainable Production

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Community Solutions: Lifestyle, Nutrition, and Prevention Strategies

Primary Care in Cancer Prevention

[Dr. Kathryn Reid, PhD, RN, FNP-C, CNL](#), Associate Professor of Nursing and Lead Nurse Planner, School of Nursing Continuing Education, University of Virginia

[Kathleen Haden, MSN, RN, ANP](#), Nurse, Surgical Oncology, University of Virginia and [Martha Thomas, MS](#), Genetic Counseling and Cancer Screening, UVAHealth

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[Rep. Chris Pappas](#) (New Hampshire, 1st District), U.S. House of Representatives

Aileen O'Brien Graef Panel: The Relationship Between Alcohol and Breast Cancer

Moderated by [Dr. Priscilla Martinez, MPhil, PhD](#), Principal Investigator, Alcohol Research Group and Co-founder, [Drink Less for Your Breasts](#)

[Dr. Raime Eck, PhD, MPH, MPA, CPH](#), Former Cancer Research Training Award Fellow, National Cancer Institute; Past President & Advocacy Committee Co-chair, Maryland Public Health Association; Founder and Principal, Sonrisa Solutions

[Dr. Sharima Rasanayagam, PhD](#), Director of Science, Breast Cancer Prevention Partners

[Dr. Peggy Reynolds, PhD, MPH](#), Professor, Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of California at San Francisco

[Dr. Ritu Aneja, PhD](#), Professor, Department of Biology and Director, Molecular Basis of Disease (MBD) Program, Georgia State University

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[Senator John Cornyn](#), Texas, U.S. Senate

[Rep. Michael C. Burgess, MD](#) (Texas, 26th District), U.S. House of Representatives

Lowering One's Cancer Risk with [Dr. John Whyte, MD, MPH](#), Medical Director, WebMD and Author, *Take Control of Your Cancer Risk* and [Dr. Jann Balmer, PhD, RN, FACEHP](#), Vice President, Less Cancer Board of Directors; Director, Continuing Medical Education, University of Virginia

Colon Cancer with [Dr. Vanessa Shami, MD](#), Professor of Medicine and Director of Endoscopic Ultrasound, Gastroenterology and Hepatology, University of Virginia Medical Center

Food and Healthy Choices in the Prevention of Cancer with [Tabitha Brown](#), Actress and Vegan Lifestyle Leader

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Lifestyle and Cancer Prevention with [Dr. Aaliya Yaqub](#), Medical Director, Thrive Global

Nutrition and Cancer Prevention with [Dr. Tricia Petzold, MD, IFMCP](#), University of Utah and [Dr. Mary C. Playdon, PhD](#), Chronic Disease Epidemiology, Huntsman Cancer Institute, University of Utah

Community Efforts to Affect Change in Children's Health and Well Being with [Dr. Jeffrey Gander, MD](#), Pediatric Surgery, University of Virginia and [Tegan Medico, MS, MPH, RDN, CNSC](#), Pediatric Dietitian/Nutritionist, University of Virginia

Healthy Town Initiatives Panel, Culpeper, VA (Spanish translation provided by UVA Community Health)

Moderated by [Dede McClure](#), Program Officer, Northern Piedmont Community Foundation

[Chris Forsten](#), Performance Coach and Program Director, Old Town Athletic Club

[Kim Golanski](#), Director Community Engagement, UVA Community Health

[Tammy LaGraffe](#), Director, Free Clinic of Culpeper, Culpeper Wellness Foundation

[Eugene Triplett](#), Board Member, Northern Piedmont Community Foundation; Secretary, Minority and Veterans Farmers of the Piedmont

Veronique Pittman Speaker on Assessing the Effect of COVID on Cancer Prevention

Nick Krant, Medical Student, Larner College of Medicine, University of Vermont

Introduced by [Dr. Jan Carney, MD, MPH](#), Professor of Medicine and Associate Dean for Public Health, Larner College of Medicine, University of Vermont; Member, Less Cancer Board of Directors

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[Rep. Jaime Herrera Beutler](#), (Washington, 3rd District), U.S. House of Representatives

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Health Disparities and Health Equity

Ronald B. Herberman, MD Speaker on Contaminants in Food

[Dr. Margo Wootan](#), Director of Nutrition Policy, Center for Science in the Public Interest

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[Rep. Annie McLane Kuster](#) (New Hampshire, 2nd District), U.S. House of Representatives

Disparities in Access and Health Care with [Dr. Karen Winkfield](#), Executive Director, Meharry-Vanderbilt Alliance

John Dingell Disparities and Inequities in Cancer Panel

Moderated by [Jolynn Gardner, PhD, CHES](#), Director, Public Health Program, American University

[Tremayne Robertson](#), Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, Virginia Commonwealth University Massey Cancer Center

[Camille Burnett, PhD, MPA, APHN-BC, RN, BScN, DSW, FAAN](#), Associate Vice President of Education and Health Equity, Office of Institutional Equity, Effectiveness and Success, Virginia Commonwealth University

[Rob Marino](#), Executive Director, Fauquier Free Clinic, Warrenton, VA

[Kathy LaRaia](#), Executive Director, MNC Oncology Services, Munson Healthcare

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[Rep. Madeleine Dean](#) (Pennsylvania, 4th District), U.S. House of Representatives

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Current Topics in Cancer Prevention

Cancer Survivorship with [Dr. Miklos C Fogarasi, MD](#), Professor, Frank H. Netter School of Medicine, Quinnipiac University and [Lance Gould](#), Founder, Brooklyn Story Lab

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[Rep. Buddy Carter](#) (Georgia, 1st District), U.S. House of Representatives

Risks Associated with Infections with [Dr. Vikrant Sahasrabudde, MBBS, MPH, DrPH](#), Program Director, Division of Cancer Prevention, National Cancer Institute and [Dr. Tom Uldrick, MD, MS](#), Deputy Head of the Global Oncology Program; Associate Professor, Vaccine and Infectious Disease Division; Associate Professor, Clinical Research Division, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center; Member, Less Cancer Board of Directors

Caring for Caregivers Panel

Nursing in the Time of Covid: University of Kentucky Initiatives

Moderated by [Dr. Janie Heath, PhD, APRN-BC, FAAN, FNAP, FAANP](#), Dean, Warwick Professor of Nursing, University of Kentucky; Member, Less Cancer Board of Directors

[Rev. Joe Alverson, MA](#), Director, Chaplain Services, University of Kentucky HealthCare

[Kent Brouwer, BSN, RN, BA](#), Cardiovascular PCU Nurse, Clinical Instructor, University of Kentucky

[Dr. Connie W. Jennings, MD](#), Assistant Professor and Director of the Integrative Health Clinic, University of Kentucky

[Emily Jordan, BSN](#), BSN Student, University of Kentucky; Co-Author, *War of Queens*

[Lynn Kelso, APRN-BC, FAANP](#), Assistant Professor, College of Nursing, University of Kentucky

[Dr. Evelyn Parrish, PhD, APRN-BC, FAANP](#), Associate Professor, College of Nursing, University of Kentucky

[Dr. Lee Anne Walmsley, PhD, EdS, MSN, RN](#), Associate Professor and Director of Student Wellness, College of Nursing, University of Kentucky

[Marc Woods, MSN, RN](#), Chief Nursing Officer for Behavioral Health, University of Kentucky HealthCare

Lung Cancer Screening in Southwest Virginia with [Lauren Carbo](#), Project Manager, University of Virginia and [Aimee Strong, DNP, AG-ACNP-BC](#), UVAHealth

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[Rep. Brian Fitzpatrick](#) (Pennsylvania, 1st District), U.S. House of Representatives

The Continuing Fight Against Asbestos in the Prevention of Cancer with [Linda Reinstein](#), President/CEO and Co-founder, Asbestos Disease Awareness Organization

Closing — [Bill Couzens](#), *Founder and President of Less Cancer*