## CONQUERING CANCER III: Let's Fight Cancer Together Presentation Schedule

9:30 am - 9:55 am	Presentations Pediatric Brain Cancer: The ABC's of Diagnosing CNS Tumors Dr. James Akinwunmi, MBBS, FRCS Chrissie Tomlinson Memorial Hospital
10:00 am - 10:25 am	Women's Health and Cancer Prevention Tips Dr. Joseph Ostroski, MD Baptist Health International
10:30 am - 10:55 am	Screening Diagnosis and the Importance of Early Detection of Colon Cancer Dr. Vikesh Singh, MD Johns Hopkins
11:00 am – 11:25 am	All You Need to Know About GI Cancers Dr. Hayder Al-Azzawi, MD Tenet
11:30 am - 11:55 am	Ovarian & Cervical Cancers: What You Need to Know Dr. Zoyla Almeida, MD ORNOA
12:00 pm - 12:25pm	Prostate & Kidney Cancers: Modern Day Management in the 21st Century Dr. David Taub, M.D., M.B.A. Holy Cross
12:30 pm - 12:55 pm	BRCA Gene & Breast Cancer Dr. Judith Hurley, MD University of Miami
1:00 pm - 1:25 pm	The HPV Connection Dr. Darley Solomon, MD Chrissie Tomlinson Memorial Hospital

## **About Our Presenters**



**Dr. James Akinwunmi,** a neurologist & neurosurgeon at Chrissie Tomlinson Memorial Hospital, completed his training in Cambridge, London and Birmingham, U.K. He graduated from medical school in 1987, and is a fellow of both the General Surgical and Surgical Neurology Royal Colleagues. He has an extensive experience in minimally invasive spinal surgery, brain and spinal tumour surgery and pain management. He is on staff at CTMH and consults with the Health Services Authority as well.



**Dr. Hayder Al-Azzawi** graduated from Baghdad University, College of Medicine, Baghdad, Iraq. He then attended Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN where he completed his internship and residency training. Additionally, Dr. Al-Azzawi completed his fellowship at Cleveland Florida ClinicHis areas of interest are Colon and Rectal Cancer, Diverticulitis, Inflammatory Bowel Disease (Crohn's and Ulcerative Colitis), Rectal Prolapse, Fecal Incontinence and Anorectal Diseases (Hemorrhoids, Anal Fistula). He is a Diplomat of the American Board of Surgery and a Member of the American Society of Colon and Rectal Surgery.



**Dr. Zoyla Almeida** graduated from Swarthmore College and attended Hahnemann University Medical School. She then attended the University of Miami, where she completed residency and fellowship training. After residency training, she held a position as Assistant Professor in Obstetrics and Gynecology before returning for fellowship training. She has a special interest in minimally invasive surgery, robotic and SILS surgery. In addition, she has vast experience with gynecologic cancers and complex gynecologic problems.



**Dr. Judith Hurley** graduated from Yale University and then attended medical school at SUNY-Syracuse. She completed her Hematology fellowship and NYU and her Oncology fellowship at University of Miami. She has been an attending in the Division of Hematology/Oncology at the University of Miami since 1991. She is the Medical Director of the Hematology/Oncology Clinics at Jackson Memorial Hospital and hte Medical Oncology Consultant for the Taylor Breast Center at Jackson Memorial Hospital.



**Dr. Darley Solomon** is an attending general surgeon at Chrissie Tomlinson Memorial Hospital. He earned his Bachelor of Science in Chemistry and Doctor of Medicine degrees at Howard University in Washington, DC. He completed an internship in Internal Medicine at Jacobi Medical Center in Bronx, NY and a residency in General Surgery at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson Mississippi. He is a member of the Mississippi State Medical Association, the American Medical Association and the American Society of General Surgeons. He specializes in surgical relief for abdominal pain, hernias, gall bladder problems, colon problems and breast cancer. He was born in the Cayman Islands.



**Dr. Joseph Ostroski** graduated from Tufts Medical School in 1959. He completed his surgical training at Harvard Surgical Services and his Surgical Fellowship at Lahey Clinic in Boston. Joe is a United States Retired Navy Captain and since his retirement from the Navy he has been in private practice. He is presently senior consultant liaison at Baptist Health South Florida, serving the Foundation and the International Department. He is a Life Member of the American Medical Association, College of Surgeons, and Life Member of the Royal Society of Medicine as well as other military and medical organizations. He is married to Josephine and lives in Key Biscayne, Florida.



**Dr. Vikesh Singh** graduated with a B.S. in Applied Mathemattics-Biology from Brown University in 1995. He graduated with a M.D. from Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in 2001. Dr. Singh completed his fellowship in gastroenterology from Brigham & Women's Hospital and a MSc. In epidemiology from the Harvard School of Public Health in 2008. Dr. Singh completed his advanced endoscopy fellowship at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in 2010. Since 2010 Dr. Singh is an Assistant Professor of Medicine in the Division of Gastroenterology at Johns Hopkins Hospital. He also serves as the Director of the Pancreatitis Center & the Medical Director of the Pancreatic Islet Cell Autotransplantation Program.



**Dr David A. Taub**, of the Holy Cross Medical Group, is a Board Certified Urologist specializing in the treatment of prostate cancer and daVinci robotic-assisted surgeries. He received his medical degree from Wayne State University School of Medicine. Dr. Taub has developed a niche in the minimally invasive treatment of urologic malignancies, has significant experience performing robotic prostatectomies, and has taught these techniques to urologists-in-training at the University of Toledo. Robotic surgery allows for minimally invasive procedures that reduce the risks and pain involved with surgery and is linked with faster recovery and excellent clinical outcomes.