

## MDS Patient & Family/Caregiver Forum Albuquerque, New Mexico

**This FREE Event is sponsored by:  
The MDS Foundation, Inc.**

**When:  
Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018**



**9:30am – 2:00pm**

### **Where:**

Embassy Suites Albuquerque Hotel & Spa  
1000 Woodward Place, NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87102  
Ocotillo Meeting Room (First Floor)

### **Presenters:**

**Cecilia Arana Yi, MD**  
UNM Comprehensive Cancer Center

**Emily A. Knight, MSN, FNP-BC**  
Mayo Clinic, Scottsdale, Arizona

### **Event Summary:**

Whether you are a newly diagnosed patient, a long-term survivor, or a caregiver this event will give you the opportunity to learn from experts about treatment therapies and strategies for patients and caregivers **LIVING** with MDS.

### **Topics to be covered:**

- > Defining MDS
- > Treatment Options, Bone Marrow Transplant & Clinical Trials
- > Patient & Caregiver Discussions
- > Quality of Life and Quick Tips for Patients and Caregivers

## **Registration is required**

**For more information and to register, please contact:**  
Janice Butchko 1-800-637-0839 or [jbutchko@mds-foundation.org](mailto:jbutchko@mds-foundation.org)

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## AGENDA

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| 9:30 am - 10:00 am  | Patient Arrival and Welcome/Registration<br><i>Continental Breakfast</i>   |
| 10:00 am – 11:00 am | Therapies and Patient Treatment Options<br>With Question and Answer Segment<br><b>Cecilia Arana Yi, MD</b><br><b>UNM Comprehensive Cancer Center</b>   |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | Quality-of-Life Session with Open Discussion<br>The MDS Foundation's Building Blocks of Hope<br> <b>Emily A. Knight, MSN, FNP-BC</b><br><b>Mayo Clinic, Scottsdale, Arizona</b> |
| 12:00 am – 1:00 pm  | Lunch  |
| 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm   | Patient Support Group Open Discussion<br>Quick Tips for Patients and Caregivers Nurse Led<br>Discussion  |

**Parking:** *Parking is complimentary.*

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