

## MDS Patient & Family/Caregiver Forum Short Hills, New Jersey

**This FREE Event is co-sponsored by:**  
The MDS Foundation, Inc. and The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

**When:**  
Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018



**9:30am – 2:00pm**

### **Where:**

Hilton Short Hills  
41 John F. Kennedy Parkway  
Short Hills, NJ 07078  
The Pavillion Room (Conference Level)

### **Presenters:**

**Stuart Goldberg, MD;** John Theurer Cancer Center at  
Hackensack University Medical Center  
**Dale G. Schaar, MD, PhD;**  
Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey  
**Sara Tinsley, PhD, ARNP, AOCN**  
Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL

### **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:  
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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 | What is MDS? What are the Treatment Options?<br><b>Dale Schaar, MD, PhD</b><br><b>Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey</b>   |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | Bone Marrow Transplantation and MDS Clinical Trials<br><b>Stuart Goldberg, MD</b><br><b>John Theurer Cancer Center at Hackensack</b><br><b>University Medical Center</b>                 |
| 12:00 am – 1:00 pm  | Lunch  |
| 1:00 pm – 1:50 pm   | Quality-of-Life Session with Open Discussion<br>The MDS Foundation's Building Blocks of Hope<br><b>Sara Tinsley, PhD, ARNP, AOCN</b><br><b>Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL</b>          |
| 1:50 pm – 2:00 pm   | Closing and sharing of support resources, both locally<br>and nationally through LLS<br><b>Stacy Kreizman, Senior Patient Access Manager</b><br><b>The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society</b> |



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

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