



## MDS Patient & Family/Caregiver Forum Palo Alto, California

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

**When:**  
Saturday, August 8, 2020



9:00am – 2:30pm

### Where:

**Sheraton Palo Alto Hotel**  
625 El Camino Real  
Palo Alto, CA 94301  
**Reception Conference Rm (Main Level)**

### Presenters:

**Jason Gotlib, MD, MS**  
Stanford University Medical Center

**Lenn Fechter, RN**  
Stanford Hospital and Clinics

### 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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| 9:00 am – 9:30 am   | Patient Arrival and Registration<br><i>Continental Breakfast</i>  |
| 9:30 am – 9:50 am   | Welcome   |
| 9:50 am – 11:15 am  | Therapies and Patient Treatment Options<br>With Question and Answer Segment<br><b>Jason Gotlib, MD, MS</b><br><b>Stanford University Medical Center</b> |
| 11:15 am – 12:15 pm | Becoming a Partner in Your Care - Building Blocks of Hope™<br><b>Lenn Fechter, RN</b><br><b>Stanford Hospital and Clinics</b>                           |
| 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm  | Lunch   |
| 1:15 pm – 2:30 pm   | Nurse Led Open Discussion - Patients and Caregivers<br>Breakout Quality-of-Life Sessions for Patients and Caregivers (optional)                         |

**Parking:** We will provide you with complimentary parking. **Please note: Bring your parking ticket to the forum and we will provide you with a paid sticker so that you receive complimentary parking.**

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