



# MDS Patient & Family/Caregiver Forum Chicago, Illinois

#### This FREE Event is sponsored by:

The MDS Foundation, Inc.

#### When:

Saturday, July 25, 2020



9:00am - 2:30pm

#### Where:

Chicago Marriott Downtown
Magnificent Mile
540 Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL 60611
Kane/McHenry Conference Room
(4th Floor)

#### **Presenters:**

**Jamile Shammo, MD**Rush University Medical Center

Jean A. Ridgeway, DNP, APN, NP-C, AOCN MDS Foundation Nurse Leadership Board

#### **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

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### **A**GENDA

9:00 am – 9:30 am	Patient Arrival and Registration  Continental Breakfast
9:30 am – 9:50 am	Welcome
9:50 am – 11:15 am	Therapies and Patient Treatment Options With Question and Answer Segment Jamile Shammo, MD Rush University Medical Center
11:15 am – 12:15 pm	Becoming a Partner in Your Care - Building Blocks of Hope™  Jean A. Ridgeway, DNP, APN, NP-C, AOCN  MDS Foundation Nurse Leadership Board
12:15 pm – 1:15 pm	Lunch
1:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Nurse Led Open Discussion - Patients and Caregivers Breakout Quality-of-Life Sessions for Patients and Caregivers (optional)

**Parking:** Please valet park and make sure to mention that you are attending our event in order to receive complimentary parking.

**Register Now**