MDS Patient & Family/Caregiver Forum
Omaha, Nebraska

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

When:
Friday, October 30, 2020

9:00am – 2:30pm

Where:
Omaha Marriott Regency
10220 Regency Circle
Omaha, NE 68114
Regency Ballroom (Main Level)

Presenters:
Vijaya R. Bhatt, MD; Zaid Al-Kadhimi, MD; Robbe Peetz, PA-C; and Rachael Schmidt, DNP, APRN, AOCNP
University of Nebraska Medical Center

Jean A. Ridgeway, DNP, APN, NP-C, AOCN
MDSF International 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
For more information and to register, please contact:
Janice Butchko 1-800-637-0839 or jbutchko@mds-foundation.org

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AGENDA  

9:00 am – 10:00 am  Patient Arrival and Registration/Welcome  
Continental Breakfast  

10:00 am – 10:40 am  Diagnosis and Management of Low-Risk and High-Risk MDS  
Vijaya R. Bhatt, MD  
University of Nebraska Medical Center  

10:40 am – 11:00 am  Role of Allogeneic Stem Cell Transplantation for MDS  
Zaid Al-Kadhimi, MD  

11:00 am – 11:30 am  Living with MDS Panel Discussion  
Moderated by Robbe Peetz, PA-C  

11:30 am – 12:00 pm  Survivorship Care  
Rachael Schmidt, DNP, APRN, AOCNP  

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm  Lunch  

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm  Becoming a Partner in Your Care - Building Blocks of Hope™  
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Parking: Complimentary parking is available.