



Presenters

Dr. Pippa Hawley

Pippa Hawley is Head of the UBC Division of Palliative Care and Clinical Associate Professor in the Divisions of Palliative Care and General Internal Medicine. Originally from England and New Zealand, Pippa started the BC Cancer Agency's Pain & Symptom Management Palliative Care Program in 1997 and is the Program's Medical Leader. Pippa's research interests include assessment & management of symptoms such as pain and constipation. She is also leading the drive for early integration of Palliative Care into Oncology in BC.

Dr. Nikki Apostle

Nikki Apostle is a lead Palliative Care Physician with Providence Health Care where she currently maintains a clinical and teaching appointment. Dr. Apostle graduated from the University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario. She continued her medical training in Vancouver, completing a Family Practice Residency and a Fellowship year of added training in Palliative Medicine. Her area of interest is in the continued growth of academic palliative care and in building capacity within non-palliative medical departments to deliver the highest standard of palliative care to those in need.

Dr. Moe Yeung

Moe Yeung is an ex-Albertan and recently converted Vancouverite. He completed medical school at the University of Alberta and a family Practice Residency at UBC, and then stayed in Vancouver for a fellowship in Palliative Care. Moe is currently working at Palliative Care Units in several Vancouver area hospitals. He has a special interest in teaching.

Dr. Gil Kimel

Gil Kimel is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Division of General Internal Medicine. His clinical practice is focused on palliative medicine at St. Paul's Hospital. He has undertaken subspecialty training in medical oncology and completed a fellowship in Palliative Care at UBC. His area of interest is supportive care of patients with heart failure, and has established, along with the heart transplant team, a multidisciplinary clinic specializing in the care of patients with advanced heart failure. He is the UBC principal investigator for the CIHR-funded qualitative study assessing the experience of patients being treated for heart failure.

Dr. Dave Willisroft

Dave Willisroft is a Clinical Assistant Professor for the Department of Emergency Medicine at UBC. He has been an Emergency Physician at Lions Gate Hospital for the last 10 years and has recently completed a fellowship in Hospice and Palliative Medicine at Stanford University, USA.

Dr. Amy Mabie

Amy is a UBC Medicine graduate and completed her Family Practice residency in the Chilliwack program. After practicing family medicine in White Rock for 2 years she completed the fellowship in Palliative Care at UBC. Since that time, she has been working full time in Palliative Care with both adults and children. She is currently a staff physician at Canuck Place Children's Hospice and does locums for various adult palliative programs around the Lower Mainland.

Dr. Shalini Nayar

Shalini completed undergraduate medical training and internal medicine residency at McMaster University. She then did fellowships in Respiriology and Palliative Care at UBC. She is currently working at VGH and at the BCCA in palliative care and internal medicine. Shalini is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Division of GIM and an Associate Member of the Division of Palliative Care.



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Exciting Academic Half Day presented by UBC Interdepartmental Division of Palliative Care...

Learn strategies to care for patients living with organ failure or cancer.
Featuring keynote speaker Dr. Jaco Fourie, and local experts.

Monday, December 8, 2014 11:30am-4:30pm
Paetzold Theatre, Vancouver General Hospital
Videoconferencing available throughout BC!

Attendance without CME credits is free.
CME 4.5 credits available, cost is \$120
Tickets available on Eventbrite. Contact: ksinman@mail.ubc.ca

“Palliative Care Everywhere”



UBC Division of Palliative Care is excited to present
Dr. Jaco Fourie!



Dr. Jaco Fourie is the Medical Lead for Oncology for Northern Health. He is also the Chair of NH MAC, Medical Advisor for the BC Ambulance Service for the NW region and Civil Aviation Examiner for Northwest BC.

He is a GPO (General Practitioner in Oncology) and Emergency Room Physician at Mills Memorial Hospital in Terrace.

His research interests are cancer surveillance and survivorship as part of a continuous cancer patient journey and models of care and electronic platforms to support these fields.

Other interests are models and platforms of care supporting rapid cancer diagnosis and staging.

Hobbies: Fly fishing, motorcycling and boating.

Schedule of Events

11:30am – 12:00pm Introduction and background

– Dr. Hawley

12:00-1:00pm Palliative Care and Oncology

– Dr. Fourie

1:00-1:15pm Break

1:15-1:45pm Renal Failure and Discontinuation of Dialysis

– Dr. Apostle

1:45-2:15pm Liver Failure – Dr. Yeung

2:15-2:45pm Cardiac Failure and Pacemaker Deactivation

– Dr. Kimel

2:45-3:00pm Break

3:00-3:30pm Emergency Room Palliative Care

– Dr. Williscroft

3:30-4:00pm Neurological Failure

– Dr. Mabie

4:00-4:30pm Respiratory Failure and Discontinuation of Ventilation

– Dr. Nayar

*****All sessions will allow 1/3 of their time for discussion.**