

Schedule

All times are in NDT

Time (NDT)	Topic / Speaker
9:30 - 9:40 am	Welcome remarks Jennifer Coish (NL), Organizing committee member
9:40 - 10:40 am	Keynote patient panel Cara MacInnis (NS), Marcelo Martinez (PEI), Gilles LeBlanc (NB), Tracy Slaney (NL), Facilitator: Sevtap Savas, PhD, (NL)
10:40 - 11:05 am	Why this conference? Dr. Sevtap Savas, PhD (NL)
11:05 - 11:20 am	Break
11:20 - 12:10 pm (Concurrent session)	Precision oncology Dr. Tony Reiman, MD, SM, FRCPC (NB) Débloquer la résistance: exploiter la biopsie liquide des patients et l'IA pour améliorer les résultats de l'immunothérapie Dr. Rodney Ouellette, MD, PhD (NB) <i>(in French)</i>
12:10 - 1:00 pm	Lunch Break
1:00 - 1:30 pm	Hereditary cancer and genetic counselling in the Maritimes Kathleen Buckley, MSc, CGC, CCGC, BCMAS (NS)
1:30 - 2:00 pm	Cancer – My Story Derrick Bishop (NL), Facilitator: Sevtap Savas, PhD (NL)
2:00 - 2:35 pm (Concurrent session)	Cancer risk factors, screening programs, and early detection Dr. Angela Hyde, MD, PhD, FRCPC (NL) Cancer clinical trials in an Atlantic Canada province (pre-recorded) Dr. Ravi Ramjeesingh, MD, PhD, FRCPC (NS)

2:35 - 3:10 pm
(Concurrent session)

Panel discussion: **Services and support available through the cancer patient navigator program in the Atlantic Provinces** Jocelyn Farrell (NL), Nicole Cardoulis (NL), Chantal Boudreau, RN (NS), Facilitator: Sevtap Savas, PhD (NL)

Cancer patient navigator service (NB) Olivier Savoie, RN (NB) *(in French)*

3:10 - 3:30 pm

Break & **Cancer patient navigator service (PEI)** – Michelle Barton, BA, LPN *(pre-recorded)*

3:30 - 4:00 pm
(Concurrent session)

Empowering Indigenous voices: Self-advocacy in cancer diagnosis and recovery Lianne Mantla-Look, BSN, RN (NWT), Facilitator: Sevtap Savas, PhD (NL)

Advocacy for 2SLGBTQIA+ community members affected by cancer and their leadership at the Queering Cancer organization Dr. Amanda Bolderston, Educator, Researcher, Queering Cancer, EdD (NS)

4:00 - 4:30 pm
(Concurrent session)

Psychosocial Oncology – What it is, why it matters and how we can help Marianne Arab, MSW/RSW (NS)

Psychosocial oncology and family counselling Kimberley Thibodeau, MSW, couple and family therapist, psychotherapist (QC) *(in French)*

4:30 - 4:45 pm

Break

4:45 - 5:30 pm

Advocating on behalf of individuals affected by cancer in Atlantic Canada Heather Mulligan (NS), Jennifer Coish (NL), Tracy Slaney (NL), Facilitator: Sevtap Savas, PhD (NL)

5:30 - 5:50 pm

Today is the day it all begins - Terry Fox, April 12, 1980 Darrell Fox (BC)

5:50 - 6:00 pm

Closing remarks Georgia Skardasi, Organizing committee co-chair (NL)