

Join us for a free
virtual conference!

Saturday, October 23, 2021
8:30 am to 12:30 pm

ABOUT

This event brings together individuals in the BRCA community, and their families, to learn from renowned experts in the field about updates in the management of BRCA-related cancer risk. We are thrilled to be able to bring this fantastic educational opportunity to you in a virtual format to ensure safety and make it more widely available.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

DATE: Saturday, October 23, 2021

TIME: 8:30 am to 12:30 pm

COST: Free!

LOCATION: Virtual

REGISTER ONLINE: massgeneral.org/lbff2021

QUESTIONS?: Call: (617) 733-9312

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8:30 am **Welcome**
Leif Ellisen, MD, PhD

8:40 –9:10 am **Targeted Therapies in BRCA1 and BRCA2 Associated Cancer**
Douglas Micalizzi, MD, PhD: Instructor of Medicine, Massachusetts General Hospital

9:10 –9:40 am **Improving Early Detection for Ovarian Cancer: The MiDE Study**
Dipanjan Chowdhury, PhD: Chief of the Division of Radiation and Genome Stability, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

9:40 –9:50 am **Break**

9:50 –10:20 am **Improving Outcomes in Breast Reconstruction**
Dhruv Singhal, MD: Plastic Surgeon, Associate Professor of Surgery, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

10:20 –10:50 am **Psychosocial Accommodation to New Genetic Information**
Cary Meyer, PsyD: Clinical Psychologist and Behavioral Oncologist, Lahey Hospital and Medical Center

10:50 –11:00 am **Break**

11:00-11:40 am **Physician Q&A Session**
Leif Ellisen, MD, PhD: Program Director, Breast Medical Oncology, Clinical Director, Breast and Ovarian Cancer Genetics, Massachusetts General Hospital

Judy Garber, MD, MPH: Susan F. Smith Chair, Chief, Division of Cancer Genetics and Prevention, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Nadine Tung, MD: Director of the Cancer Genetics and Prevention Program and Medical Oncologist, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

11:45 am - 12:30 pm **Breakout Sessions**
Choose 1 Option Below

Sexual Health: What Doesn't Get Talked About but What Everyone Needs to Know
Sharon Bober, PhD: Director, Sexual Health Program; Attending Psychologist, Division of Cancer Genetics and Prevention, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

More Than a Female Breast Cancer Gene - Why Men Should Also Know Their BRCA1 and BRCA2 Status
Neelam V. Desai, MD: Medical Oncologist, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Psychosocial Implications of Cancer Genetic Testing, Practical Suggestions to Enhance Resiliency and Improve Coping
April Hirschberg, MD: Staff Psychiatrist; Certified SMART provider by the Benson-Henry Institute for Mind Body Medicine, Massachusetts General Hospital

Optimal Nutrition For Cancer Prevention and Survivorship
Mae Reilly, MS, RD, LDN: Senior Nutritionist, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

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