

University of Illinois Cancer Center Winter CME Series – 2025

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Target Audience

The series' target audience includes medical oncologists, hematologists, pathologists, oncology nurses, fellows, residents, advanced practice providers, family practitioners, primary care practitioners, allied health professionals, and other providers interested in the care of patients with cancer.

SESSION 1 DETAILS:

JANUARY 15, 2025 – HEMATOLOGIC MALIGNANCIES – UPDATE FROM ASH

Statement of Need/Program Overview

Clinicians face significant challenges in staying abreast of emerging immunotherapies and precision medicine approaches for hematologic malignancies, particularly in complex cases of relapsed or refractory disease. Advancements in bispecific T-cell engagers and CAR T-cell therapies offer promising outcomes for patients with non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL), leukemias, and multiple myeloma (MM); however, gaps in knowledge about treatment selection, adverse event management, and patient access hinder their optimal use. The integration of minimal residual disease (MRD) as a decision-making tool in MM requires further guidance to maximize its potential across various stages of disease progression. Additionally, a lack of understanding of evolving treatment protocols for Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML) limits the ability of clinicians to incorporate novel therapies into personalized treatment plans, underscoring the urgent need for targeted education.

Educational Objectives

After completing this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- Discuss advancements and optimal strategies for bispecific T-cell engagers and novel therapies in Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma (NHL).
- Review novel advancements in CAR T-cell therapy for NHL and leukemias.
- Explain how to optimize treatment selection in Multiple Myeloma (MM), including the use of minimal residual disease (MRD) in the therapeutic setting.
- Review the latest treatment approaches in Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML).

Faculty

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Program Agenda

1:00 PM	2:00 PM	Registration, Exhibits and Lunch
2:00 PM	2:05 PM	Introduction
2:05 PM	2:50 PM	Update on novel treatment strategies including bispecific T-Cell engagers in Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma (Paul Rubinstein, MD – University of Illinois Cancer Center)
2:50 PM	3:35 PM	Review the advances in cellular therapy for the treatment of Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma and Leukemias (Carlos Galvez, MD – University of Illinois Cancer Center)
3:35 PM	4:35 PM	Break, Exhibits, Non-CME Ancillary Event, Afternoon Pick Me Up
4:35 PM	5:20 PM	Updates on Myeloma treatment including the use of Minimal Residual Disease (Matias Sanchez, MD – University of Illinois Cancer Center)
5:20 PM	6:05 PM	OPEN FORUM: Latest treatments in ALL and AML (Noah Birch, MD – University of Illinois Cancer Center and Harry Sequeira, MD – Cook County Health)
6:05 PM	7:00 PM	Exhibits

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Android	Android 5.0 (Lollipop) or later	N/A	N/A	1.5 Mbps (up/down) for HD	Smartphone or tablet. Zoom app from Google Play Store.

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