

## Patient and Caregiver Oncology Quality Council (POQC): Meeting #1: Agenda

## 5 pm - 5:45 pm 888-330-1716

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Attendance (in alpha order): Diane Drago, Mike Harrison, Cynthia Koch, Erika Lojko, Barbara Rau, Sam Schadel, Shanna Simpson-Singleton, Derek Singleton, Deborah Stocking, Peggy Taylor-Albaugh

MOQC: Louise Bedard, Jennifer Yanchula

Regrets: Mary Duncan, Marilyn Gilin, William Polkinghorne

**Absent:** Johanna Mabry

AGENDA ITEM	TIME	MINUTES
Welcome and Introductions	5:05 – 5:20	<ul> <li>Louise Bedard, Program Manager of MOQC welcomed everyone as did Jennifer Yanchula, Outreach Manager for MOQC</li> <li>Jennifer Yanchula is the leader for this group</li> <li>Both Louise &amp; Jennifer shared that they are cancer survivors</li> <li>MOQC thanked all for their willingness to assist us with making oncology care better across all oncology practices</li> <li>All individuals that were on the call where asked to share something about themselves as a means of introduction to the group</li> <li>Everyone was made aware that the council is composed of both cancer patients and their caregivers so that all perspectives can be captured</li> </ul>
Overview of MOQC Goals of POQC	5:20 - 5:35	<ul> <li>Louise Bedard used presentation that was sent to all members of POQC as basis for review</li> <li>Reviewed possible ways of engagement</li> <li>Indicated that individuals' interests would be respected</li> <li>Louise shared that all current and new quality projects launched by MOQC would need a patient and caregiver perspective and that MOQC was looking forward to using this group for this information</li> </ul>
Levels of Engagement & Brainstorm Ideas	5:35 – 5:45	<ul> <li>Jennifer Yanchula facilitated this discussion</li> <li>Members were asked what about their care would they like improved?</li> <li>Several members shared their experiences:</li> </ul>

Next Steps	5:45	<ul> <li>Sam indicated that communication between providers is a challenge; she references the use of her PORT and she had to continually remind individuals that she had it</li> <li>Peggy referenced her experience in hospital and that she was discharged on Naproxen but that teaching did not highlight that she was to use for only 2 weeks; as a result of her use, she was admitted to hospital and had an adverse event that was not necessary if she had been made aware of the medication timeline</li> <li>Peggy advocated that a member of the family should be present for any teaching since being in hospital – it is difficult to remember and process all information that is being shared</li> <li>Jennifer indicated that minutes would be sent to everyone and that a short survey would be sent to assist MOQC with knowing what members' preferences are</li> <li>As part of the survey, people are to indicate if they want their contact information shared among the group</li> <li>Jennifer asked everyone to take a look at the mocq.org website</li> <li>Jennifer invited members to the June 23 Biannual meeting in Mt. Pleasant MI &amp; that registration link was on the website</li> <li>Jennifer thanked everyone for their time and MOQC is looking forward to working with all</li> <li>Next meeting will be announced following the survey results.</li> </ul>
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Attachment: Introduction to MOQC (pdf)