The Breast Center of Excellence – Naef K. Basile Cancer Institute and the Continuing Medical Education (CME) Office at the American University of Beirut Medical Center (AUBMC) present the

AUBMC Breast Cancer Conference 2

Advances and Updates from San Antonio, ABC2, ESMO, ASCO, St. Gallen and Literature

February 14 - 15, 2014
Gefinor Rotana Hotel & AUBMC Issam Fares Hall
Beirut, Lebanon

In Collaboration with:
Lebanese Order of Physicians
Lebanese Order of Nurses
&
Lebanese Society of Medical Oncology
Lebanese Society for General Surgery
American College of Surgeons - Lebanon Chapter
Lebanese Society of Radiation Oncology
Lebanese Society of Radiology
Lebanese Society of Obstetrics & Gynecology
Lebanese Breast Cancer Foundation
Arab Medical Association Against Cancer
GENERAL INFORMATION

Program Overview
This activity is the 2nd AUBMC Breast Cancer Conference that will discuss advances in breast cancer management and updates from ASCO, St. Gallen, ESMO, ABC2, San Antonio and major literature publications.

Objectives
Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:
1. Describe new advances in epidemiology and chemoprevention of breast cancer
2. Discuss new recommendations for screening, mammography and MRI, surgery for the axilla, neoadjuvant chemotherapy and dual targeted therapy
3. Review summary of St Gallen guidelines for early breast cancer
4. Discuss radiation therapy new techniques for the breast management of lymphedema
5. Identify predictive factors for choices of adjuvant chemo or hormonal therapy
6. Review ABC2 guidelines for advanced breast cancer
7. Report new advances in hormonal therapy and management of advanced disease

Target Audience
This annual scientific meeting has been designed for oncologists, hematology oncologists, nurses, residents and students.

Venue
This symposium is held at the Gefinor Rotana Hotel and Issam Fares Hall at AUBMC, Beirut, Lebanon.

Accreditation
This symposium complies with the Lebanese Order of Physicians Continuing Medical Education and the Order of Nurses Continuing Education guidelines.

Registration Fees:
Registration fees to the conference include syllabus material, coffee breaks and lunches:
- Non-LOP registered physicians: USD 250 (Including Gala dinner)
- LOP registered physicians: USD 100 (Including Gala dinner)
- Nurses, Residents and students: Free (Excluding Gala Dinner)

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PROGRAM

Friday, February 14, 2014 – Gefinor Rotana Hotel and Issam Fares Hall, AUB

Gefinor Rotana Hotel
07:30    Registration

08:25 - 08:30    Welcome address
                 Dr. Nagi El Saghir

Session I: Breast Cancer Overview and Supportive Care

08:30 - 09:00    Overview of diagnosis and management of patients with breast cancer
                 Dr. Nagi El-Saghir

09:00 - 09:20    Supportive care of patients with breast cancer starting day one of diagnosis
                 Ms. Rebecca El-Asmar

09:20 - 09:40    Lymphedema management: New approaches
                 Dr. Alphonse Taghian

09:40 - 10:00    Pain management and palliative care in Lebanon
                 Dr. Hibah Osman

10:00 - 10:30    Coffee Break

Session II: Support Groups and Patient Advocacy in Lebanon

10:30 - 10:50    Oncology nursing: Collaboration is the way to go
                 Dr. Helen Nuwayhed

10:50 – 11:00    Patient support groups at the American University of Beirut Medical Center
                 Ms. Saydeh Hammouche
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**Session III: New Advances in Screening, Chemoprevention and Bisphosphonate Therapy for Breast Cancer**

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**Session IV: New Advances in Loco-Regional Assessment and Management**

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14:45 - 15:00  Imaging and tissue assessment of the axilla  
Dr. Ghina Berjawi

15:00 - 15:20  Management of the axilla  
Dr. Mahmoud El-Tamer

15:20 - 15:35  Atypia and DCIS: Imaging and the expanding role of MRI  
Dr. Nagi Khouri

15:35 - 15:50  Cardiac toxicity to radiation therapy: The policy of zero tolerance  
Dr. Alphonse Taghian

16:00 – 16:30  Opening Ceremony  
(Under the auspices of the LOP President Prof. Antoine Boustany)
Nagi El Saghir, MD, Director, Breast Center NKBCI, AUBMC
Hassan El Solh, MD, Director, Naef K. Basile Cancer Institute, AUBMC
Sami Khatib, MD, President, Arab Medical Association Against Cancer
Helen Nuwayhid, RN, President, Order of Nurses in Lebanon
Antoine Boustany, MD, President, Lebanese Order of Physicians

16:30 – 17:00  Coffee Break and move to Issam Fares Hall, AUB

**Session V: Case Discussions with Panel of International Guests and Local Experts**  
(Issam Fares Hall, AUB)
17:00 - 18:00  Case discussions  
Drs.: Georges Chahine, Assem Hajj, Fadi Farhat, Naji Atallah, Elie Nasr, Ghazi Nsouli, Ghassan Ramadan, Joseph Makdessi, Rami Chemali, David Atallah and Sami Khatib

**Session VI: Advances and Guidelines in Neoadjuvant and Adjuvant Therapy**  
(Issam Fares Hall, AUB)
18:00 - 18:30  Advances in neo-adjuvant and targeted therapy from San Antonio/ESMO/ASCO  
Drs.: Clifford Hudis and Nagi El Saghir
Early breast cancer: From guidelines to personalized cancer medicine
Dr. PierFranco Conte

**Satellite Symposium (Supported by Novartis – NON-CME)**
**(Issam Fares Hall, AUB)**

19:00 – 19:25  Combination therapy for resistant HR+ advanced breast cancer: For whom?
Dr. PierFranco Conte

19:25 – 19:45  Proactive management of adverse events with everolimus
Dr. Nagi El Saghir

19:45 – 20:00  Discussion and close

20:00  **Gala Dinner (Venue TBA)**

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**Saturday, February 15, 2014 - Gefinor Rotana Hotel**

**Session VII: Neo-Adjuvant Multidisciplinary Management in 2014**

09:00 - 09:20  Imaging of the patient before and after neo-adjuvant therapy
Dr. Nagi Khouri

09:20 - 09:40  Surgery for breast cancer after neo-adjuvant therapy
Dr. Mahmoud El-Tamer

09:40 - 10:00  Surgery for the primary in metastatic breast cancer: Results from San Antonio and perspectives
Dr. Jaber Abbas

10:00 - 10:30  Radiation treatment after neoadjuvant chemotherapy: Indications
Dr. Alphonse Taghian

10:30 - 11:00  **Coffee Break**
**Session VIII: Case Presentations with Panel of International Guests and Local Experts**

11:00 - 12:00  
Drs. Faek Jamali, George Aftimos, Marwan Ghosn, Selim Chammas, Nagib Geahchan, Yousef El-Zein, Khaled Ibrahim, Fayez Bitar and Cyril Tohme

**Satellite Symposium (Sponsored by Roche – NON-CME)**

12:00 - 13:00  
Tuning treatment to patient needs in HER2-positive breast cancer  
Dr. Nagi El Saghir

13:00 - 14:00  
**Lunch break**

**Session IX: Advances in Multidisciplinary Management**

14:00 - 14:30  
All what surgeons and medical oncologists need to know about de-escalation and hypofractionation in breast radiation therapy  
Dr. Fady Geara

14:30 - 15:00  
Young age, pregnancy and management of breast cancer  
Dr. Hamdy Azim

15:00 - 15:30  
Prediction of benefit of chemotherapy versus hormonal therapy in early breast cancer  
Dr. Clifford Hudis and Nagi El Saghir, MD

15:30 – 16:00  
New ABC2 guidelines for locally advanced breast cancer  
Dr. Nagi El-Saghir

16:00  
Adjourn
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