



## Canadian Society of Surgical Oncology Post-Graduate Course: Multidisciplinary Management of Breast Diseases

**Co-Chair:** Dr. Shaila Merchant and Dr. Elaine McKeivitt

This 1/2-day course will review the current management of selected benign and malignant conditions of the breast.

**Target Audience:** General Surgeons, Surgical Oncologists, Breast Surgeons, Residents, and Fellows who have an interest in or participate in the management of patients with malignant and benign breast disease.

### Learning Objectives:

- To understand the current management of the breast and axilla in patients after receipt of neoadjuvant chemotherapy.
- To understand the current management of inflammatory breast cancer, pregnancy-associated breast cancer and locoregional options for patients with Stage 4 breast cancer.
- To understand the current management of a variety of benign conditions of the breast.

### Agenda:

Breast cancer:

- Management of the axilla and breast after neoadjuvant chemotherapy - Dr. Pam Meiers, Saskatoon
- Mastectomy versus lumpectomy – outcomes, role of radiation/accelerated radiation/omission of radiation, QOL considerations - Dr. Alexandra Easson
- Special Considerations: pregnancy associated, inflammatory, Stage 4 - Dr. Pam Hebbard
- Survivorship issues- lymphedema, chronic pain, body image - Dr. Melina Deban
- Genetics of breast cancer, referral criteria - Dr. Rona Cheifetz

Break: 20 minutes

Benign breast disease:

- Symptomatic benign breast disease - granulomatous mastitis, abscess, mammary fistula, Zuska's disease, cysts, fibroadenoma, discharge – Dr. Anise Barton
- High risk lesions – ALH, ADH, papillary lesions, spindle cell lesions, benign phyllodes - Dr. Ashley Drohan
- Ductal Carcinoma in Situ - Dr. Jieun Newman-Bremang
- Management of axilla – SLNB indications, ALND indications, targeted axillary dissection, lymphatic reconstruction - Dr. May-Lynn Quan

**Date:** Wednesday, September 20, 2023

**Location:** Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V6C 2R7

**Time:** 08:00 -12:30

**Cost:**

- \$250; Member
- \$250; Non-Member
- \$150; Resident and Fellow Member
- \$175; Residents and Fellow Non-Member
- \$100; Respiratory Therapists, Nurses, Retirees, Medical Students

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