Since the 2006 Institute of Medicine report on survivorship care, strides have been made in providing survivors with recommended care plans and information about post-therapy surveillance. Unfortunately, research suggests that barriers to implementation still exist. Explore these barriers and discover innovative approaches to overcome them.

Target Audience: Registered Nurses, Advanced Practice Nurses, Advanced Nurse Researchers

Level of Content: Intermediate/Advanced

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Objectives:
At the end of this session, participants will be able to:
1. Summarize current and projected cancer survivorship trends.
2. Discuss models of survivorship care.
3. Identify unmet needs of survivors.
4. Identify resources for cancer survivorship care.
5. Discuss future directions for survivorship care and research.

Content Outline:
I. A brief history of cancer survivorship: How did we get here?
   A. Cancer survival improvements
   B. National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship
   C. Institute of Medicine reports
II. Current and projected survivorship trends
    A. Definitions
III. Who delivers survivorship care and where is it delivered?
    A. Oncology team
    B. Primary care
    C. Survivorship consultation clinics
    D. Survivorship follow-up clinics
    E. Shared-care
IV. What have we learned about survivorship?
V. Role of survivorship care plans
VI. Unmet needs of survivors
VII. What are the resources to support survivorship care?
VIII. Future directions in survivorship care and research
IX. A conversation about our role in fostering cancer survivorship care