

MAY IS MELANOMA AND SKIN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

Please join us for a free community presentation:

Skin Cancer Mindfulness

Guest speakers: Johanna Moore, MD, and Ben Wilkinson, MD

Wednesday, May 25 • 5:00 p.m.

Mission Hope Cancer Center, Conference Room

1325 East Church Street, Santa Maria

Seating is limited and reservations are required.

Please call Mission Hope Cancer Center at 805.219.HOPE (4673)

If not identified at an early stage, melanoma has a high rate of morbidity and mortality. Skin cancer mindfulness begins with knowing your risk factors and how to avoid them—especially here on the sunny Central Coast!

Johanna B. Moore, MD, is a physician pathologist with subspecialty training in dermatopathology. She will share her expertise on melanoma and explain how her work as a dermatopathologist helps treating physicians decide on the best course of treatment for a melanoma diagnosis.

Ben Wilkinson, MD, is a board-certified radiation oncologist who specializes in the treatment of all cancers. Radiation therapy is often used to relieve symptoms caused by the spread of the melanoma, especially to the brain or bones. Radiation Oncology technology and techniques are more sophisticated than ever before as Dr. Wilkinson will highlight. Question and answer session included.

Did you know?

According to the California Cancer Registry, the average rate of invasive melanoma in Santa Barbara County is **one and a half times as high** as the rest of the state, and in San Luis Obispo County it is almost **twice as high**.



Johanna B. Moore, MD

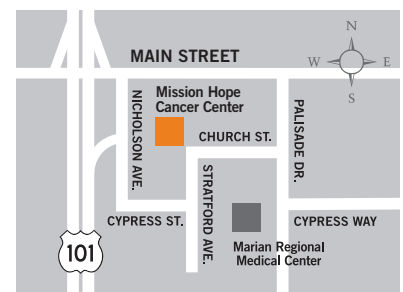
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