

CYNTHIA CHAUHAN



EDUCATION

M.S.W., Louisiana State University, (b)(6)
B.A., Valparaiso University, (b)(6)

CAREER SUMMARY

Clinical Social Work

Retired, (b)(6)
Private Practice, Wichita, KS 1995-2009 (part-time)
Hospice, Inc., Wichita, KS 3/1989-6/2000
Wichita/Sedgwick Cty Dept of Health, Wichita, KS 11/1984-3/1989
Private Practice, Albuquerque, NM 9/1982-6/1984
Booth Memorial Residence, Wichita, KS 6/1979-7/1982
Parenting Guidance Center, Fort Worth, TX 3/1979-6/1980
Edna Gladney Home, Fort Worth, TX 11/1977-3/1979
Chartres Mental Health Treatment Center, New Orleans, LA 9/1972-11/1977
Louisiana State Division of Family Services, Baton Rouge & New Orleans, LA 6/1970-9/1972
Graduate and undergraduate field instruction at various universities, 8/1974-5/1982

CURRENT ACTIVITIES/AFFILIATIONS

Chair, Mayo Clinic Breast Cancer Specialized Program of Research Excellence (SPORE)
Advocacy Advisory Committee
Co-chair, Patient Advocate Working Group of Translational Breast Cancer Research Consortium
Co-chair, Midwest Melanoma Partnership (MMP) Patient Advocate Committee
Member, National Cancer Institute (NCI) Symptom Management and Quality of Life Steering
Committee (reimbursed position)
Patient Representative, Food and Drug Administration Oncologic Drugs Advisor Committee
(FDA ODAC) (reimbursed position)
Consumer Representative, FDA National Mammography Quality Assurance Advisory Committee
(reimbursed position)
Member, Patient-Centered Involvement in Evaluating the Effectiveness of Treatments
(PATIENTS) External Advisory Committee
Member, Mayo Clinic InterSPORE (Specialized Program of Research Excellence) Patient
Advocate Group
Patient Advocate, Academic and Community Research United (ACCRU)
Patient Advocate, Hoosier Oncology Group
Member, NCI Patient Advocate Steering Committee (reimbursed position)
Member, Colon Cancer Solutions Board
Member, Research Advocacy Network Board
Volunteer, Victory in the Valley Cancer Support Program
Facilitator, Kidney Cancer Support Group; Individual consultations with kidney cancer patients

RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

- Chauhan, C. *What Lies Within--A Breast Cancer Journal*. Tallgrass Books. 2002 (not peer-reviewed)
- Chauhan C, Eppard W et al The patient advocate perspective on assessing the clinical significance for quality-of-life measures. *Journal of Cancer Integrative Medicine*. 2004: Vol 2, No. 4, 155-157.
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- Chauhan, C. Optimists Doing Something Different: A Patient's View of GeneQoL Research. *Quality of Life Research*, epubaheadofprint, Feb 4, 2010.
- Chauhan, C; Eppard W.; Smith, M. L. Education and Utilization of Volunteer Patient Advocates for Cancer Clinical Trial Information Dissemination at NCCTG and HOG Community Sites. Poster, NCI/ASCO Cancer Trial Accrual Symposium, April 29-30, 2010.
- Chauhan, C. The Mayo Clinic Breast Cancer Advocacy Advisory Committee, Poster, 2010 Breast SPORE Roundtable Meeting, May 20-22, 2010.
- Chauhan, C. A Day Like Any Other. Newsletter of the Foundation for Peripheral Neuropathy, Summer, 2010.
- Chauhan, C. A Gift of Unique Beauty. *This I Believe: On Love* {edited by} Dan Gediman with John Gregory and Mary Jo Gediman; Pages 121-123. John Wiley and Sons, 2011.
- Chauhan, C. et al Assessment of patient satisfaction with participation in phase II/III NCCTG clinical trials: was it worth it? (N0392). ASCO Poster, 2012. Available for viewing at www.asco.org
- Smith, M. and Chauhan, C. Connectors, Translators, Facilitators: Research Advocacy Today *J Natl Compr Canc Netw* 2012;10:1183-1187.
- Basch, E et al Recommendations for incorporating patient-reported outcomes (pros) into clinical comparative effectiveness research in adult oncology. *Journal of Clinical Oncology*, December 1, 2012: Vol 30, No. 34. Epub 2012 Oct 15.
- Chauhan, C. and Smith, M. Closing an on-going clinical trial: when is it betrayal of participants? *Breast Cancer Research and Treatment: Volume 142, Issue 2 (2013), Page 461-462*