

International Chordoma Community Conference

July 14-15, 2023 | Cambridge, MA

Friday, July 14

4:00 PM Registration opens

4:30-6:00 PM **Welcome sessions: Meet fellow attendees**

- Skull base patients and caregivers
- Mobile spine + sacral patients and caregivers

6:30 PM Welcome reception

7:30 PM Uncommon Awards Dinner

Saturday, July 15

7:00 AM Registration and breakfast

8:00 AM **Welcome**
Survivorship Initiative updates

Shannon Lozinsky
Chordoma Foundation

8:20 AM **A survivor's story: Chordoma as a
manageable chronic condition**

Susie Rinehart
Cervical chordoma survivor

8:40 AM **Research updates**

Josh Sommer and Dan Freed
Chordoma Foundation

TBD

9:30 AM **BREAK**

10:00 AM **Ask the Experts panel**

Shaan Raza, MD
MD Anderson Cancer Center
Shannon MacDonald, MD
Mass General Cancer Center
Yen-Lin Chen, MD
Mass General Cancer Center
Shreyas Patel, MD
MD Anderson Cancer Center

11:30 AM	Group photo + lunch	
Breakout Sessions		
12:45 PM	Session 1: Managing side effects (choose one session)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clival and upper cervical • Mobile spine and sacral 	
2:00 PM	Session 2	Choose one session during each time block:
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be your own advocate Nancy Forte and Megan Stewart • Nutrition and cancer TBD
2:45 PM	Session 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dealing with pain TBD
3:30 PM	Break	
3:45 PM	Session 4: Supporting one another (choose one session)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patients and survivors • Caregivers and co-survivors • Adolescents and young adults 	Jennifer Bires, LCSW Megan Whetstone, LCSW Kaitlin Slepian
5:00 PM	Closing: Community conversation	
		TBD