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**4th Biennial International IPOS/AORTIC Academy on
Psychosocial and Behavioral Aspects of Cancer Care in Africa
Special Issues for Children, Adolescents and Young Adults
19 November 2015 Marrakech, Morocco**



Academy sponsored by the International Psycho-Oncology Society.

The IPOS mission is to improve global psychosocial care of patients and families affected by cancer through education and research, with special attention to Low-Middle Income countries with fewer material and professional resources. See www.ipos-society.org

Academy Convenors

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Faculty

Speakers

Chioma Asuzu, Martha Grootenhuis, Mark Lazenby, Andrea Patenaude, Joan Marston, Sokhna Ndiaye, Philip Odiyo, Maggie Watson.

Session Chairs

Jimmie Holland, Joan Marston, Kevin Stein

Discussants

Elizabeth Harvey, Mark Lazenby, Joan Marston, Sokhna Ndiaye

Round Table Guest Panelists

Felicia Knaul, Scott Nichols, Folakemi Odedina, Cristina Stefan

Opening Session: 9.00 – 9.30

9.00 - 9.15 Welcome: Ahmed Elzawawy AORTIC President and Cristina Stefan , AORTIC Representative in Pediatrics

Opening Remarks: Mr.Yves Soutyrand - WHO Country Representative

9.15 - 9.30 Introduction: Academy Convenors - Dr Asuzu, Dr Holland, Dr Watson

Session 1: 9.30 - 10.30

When a Child or Adolescent has Cancer:

Chairs: Jimmie Holland, Joan Marston

Discussants: Mark Lazenby, Sokhna Ndiaye

9.30 - 10.00 Communication with Children and Young Adults with Cancer and their Siblings. *Speakers – Andrea Patenaude, Chioma Asuzu*

10.00 - 10.30 Supporting Patients and Families where a Child has Cancer - Even at a Distance. *Speakers - Martha Grootenhuis, Philip Odiyo,*

Break

Session 1[Cont]: 11.00 - 13.00

When a Child or Adolescent has Cancer:

11.00 - 11.45 Emotion-Focussed Therapy, Play Therapy and other Psycho-Oncology Techniques. *Speaker - Andrea Patenaude*

11.45 - 12.30 Pain, Emotional and Physical: How Palliative Care Can Help Children Cope with Cancer. *Speakers - Joan Marston, Philip Odiyo*

12.30 - 13.00 Surviving and Thriving. *Speakers - Martha Grootenhuis, Sokhna Ndiaye*

Break

Afternoon:

Session 2: 14.30 -15.45

Dependent Children of Parents with Cancer:

Chairs: Jimmie Holland and Kevin Stein

Discussants: Elizabeth Harvey, Joan Marston

14.30 - 15.00 Impact of Parental Illness on Children, Adolescents and Young Adults.

Speakers - Andrea Patenaude, Maggie Watson

15.00 - 15.45 Supportive Services for Children and Families when a Parent has

Cancer. *Speakers - Chioma Asuzu, Mark Lazenby, Philip Odiyo,*

Break

Session 3: 16.00 – 17.30

Discussant Summaries: *Elizabeth Harvey, Mark Lazenby, Joan Marston, Sokhna Ndiaye*

Round Table of Faculty and Participants: Formulating action plans for the future of training, services, education, research & collaborative efforts

Chair: Jimmie Holland

Panel: *Chioma Asuzu, Martha Grootenhuis, Felicia Knaul, Scott Nichols, Andrea Patenaude, Folakemi Odedina, Philip Odiyo, Cristina Stefan, Kevin Stein*

Closing Remarks: Jimmie Holland and Maggie Watson

End

We plan to meet informally over lunch each day of the Congress.

Find Drs. Watson, Asuzu or Holland to participate daily.

Informal evening meetings are also encouraged.

All associated workshop materials¹ will be available free to participants.

As with previous years IPOS will provide travel scholarships to enable a number of LMI country participants to attend the workshop.

Enquiries about scholarship applications to:

Info@ipos-society.org

[Ref: 2015 IPOS - AORTIC Academy Scholarship Applications](#)

IPOS expects to obtain official WHO endorsement for the workshop.

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