

## **Commission on Cancer (CoC) State Chair Quarterly Town Hall**

**Saturday, October 4, 2025**

**10:15 am to Noon CT**

Hyatt Regency McCormick Place  
Regency Ballroom A, Second Floor  
2233 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., Chicago

**Welcome and CoC Update** – Maria Castaldi, MD, FACS, Chair, Committee on Cancer Liaison and Quan Ly, MD, FACS, Committee on Cancer Liaison Vice-Chair

- Welcome to new CoC State Chairs
- State Chair Outstanding Performance Award
- Cancer Liaison Physicians Outstanding Performance Award
- CoC Research Paper Competition
- 2026 ACS Quality, Safety & Cancer Conference
  - July 30 – August 2 in Orlando, FL

**CoC State Chair Resources** – Dr. Castaldi

**CoC Standards Update** – Aaron Bleznak, MD, FACS, Chair, CoC Accreditation Committee

**American Cancer Society Update** – Kim Kinner, Senior Director, Cancer Center Partnerships, American Cancer Society

**Quality Improvement Update** – Anthony Yang, MD, MS, FACS, Vice Chair, Cancer Programs Quality Improvement Committee

**Open Forum**

**Adjourn**

*The Cancer Liaison Program of the Commission on Cancer is made possible through the generous support of the American Cancer Society.*