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# BAPHON Newsletter

## MEMBERSHIP CORNER

BAPHON membership is currently **194** members, which is our highest ever membership! Thank you for your ongoing support of BAPHON!

#### **SAVE THE DATE!**

BAPHON is currently planning its fall educational event, which will be held on Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at Merkado Restaurant in San Francisco. More details available soon!

## **Management of the Cardio-Oncology Patient**

Dr. Ranjan Ray Center of Advanced Heart Failure Therapies California Pacific Medical Center, Sutter Health



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Dr. Ranjan Ray received his medical degree and Doctor of Philosophy degree at Georgetown University, Washington, D.C. While in graduate school, Dr. Ray's research in vascular biology led to his interest in cardiovascular medicine and subsequent internship and residency in Internal Medicine at the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center (Harvard Medical School Teaching Hospital) in Boston, MA. Following residency training, Dr. Ray completed his fellowship in Cardiovascular Disease at Stanford University and pursued further subspecialty training in Advanced Heart Failure and Transplantation under the direction of Dr. Sharon Hunt.

After his fellowship, Dr. Ray was recruited to the faculty at Stanford with a clinical focus in managing advanced heart failure patients and post-heart transplant care. During his tenure at Stanford, Dr. Ray served as the director for heart failure outreach as well as medical director of Heart Failure and Transplantation for the Department of Veterans Affairs' regional advanced heart failure and transplant program in Palo Alto. While at Stanford and the VA, Dr. Ray was involved in several clinical trials that investigated the use of novel drug treatments for acute heart failure patients and efficacy of remote monitoring.

Since 2016, Dr. Ray has brought his expertise in advanced heart failure to the Sutter Health network through the Center of Advanced Heart Failure Therapies at CPMC.





September 1<sup>st</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023

The 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Million Mile is a virtual fitness challenge that funds researchers so they can find better treatments and more cures for childhood cancer.

Whether you're a casual walker, an avid cyclist, or a triathlete, YOU can make a difference in the lives of children fighting cancer from anywhere by logging your miles during this virtual event. To show support for and bring awareness to Childhood Cancer Awareness Month, participants of all ages log as many active miles as possible all month long while raising money to help kids with cancer. Our goal is to collectively move millions of miles in September.



Please join BAPHON for our TENTH year supporting this amazing organization! With your prior support, BAPHON has donated \$16,000 and logged over 13,000 miles in support of childhood cancer awareness.

BAPHON will be sending out reminders during the month of August, or you can register today at:

https://www.alexslemonade.org/mypage/3423179





Crissy Field, San Francisco Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023 @ 10am



Join Team BAPHON as we meet for our annual walk in celebration of Childhood Cancer Awareness Month and Alex's Million Mile as we log some miles for this important cause! We are planning to walk from Crissy Field Promenade to Fort Point and back (~4.6 miles round trip). We will meet for coffee and complimentary Johnny Doughnuts at 10am, then start our walk at 10:30am. Parking is free and available along the Marina Green, or in parking lots near the St. Francis Yacht Club or the East Beach Crissy Field Lot. The site is also accessible by public transit (Muni Bus #30). Remember to dress for the weather!

Please RSVP if you plan to attend!





#### **Dylan's Brickshop**

If you have any gently used or new LEGO® sets or random loose LEGO® pieces, please consider:

- Bringing them with you to any BAPHON event
- Having a colleague attending a BAPHON event donate on your behalf
- Donate a gift directly to Dylan's Brick Shop

All donations will be sold and 100% of the proceeds will be donated to the Dylan Toma Osteosarcoma Research Fund. For more information, visit http://dylansbrickshop.com



## **Upcoming Educational Events**

August 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>, 2023: APHON Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Provider Course Lucile Packard Children's Hospital, Virtual https://www.stanfordchildrens.org/en/classes



**September 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>, 2023:** Children's Oncology Group Fall Meeting Atlanta, GA

https://cogmembers.org/apps/mtg/default.aspx



**September 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, 2023:** Cancer Center Survivorship Research Forum Stanford, CA & Virtual

https://stanford.cloud-cme.com/course/courseoverview?P=5&EID=42843



October 11<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>, 2023: International Society of Paediatric Oncology (SIOP) Congress Ottawa, Canada

https://siop-congress.org/



October 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>, 2023: 5<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Childhood Adolescent & Young Adult Hodgkin Lymphoma (CAYAHL) Memphis, TN

https://www.stjude.org/education-training/advanced-training/seminars-symposia/iscayahl.html

October 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>, 2023: American Society for Transplantation & Cellular Therapy Clinical Education Conference for APPs, Nurses, and Fellows Virtual

https://www.astct.org/attend/clinical-education-conference



**December 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, 2023:** American Society of Hematology (ASH) Annual Meeting & Exposition San Diego, CA

https://www.hematology.org/meetings/annual-meeting





## CURRENT BAPHON BOARD MEMBERS

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## **APHON's 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference & Exhibit**

There's still time to register for APHON's annual conference in Cleveland, Ohio on September 21<sup>st</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> at the Huntington Convention Center. BAPHON hopes to see many familiar faces in the City of Rock & Roll! Visit <a href="https://www.aphon.org/meetings-events/annual-conference/">https://www.aphon.org/meetings-events/annual-conference/</a> for more information.





### **BAPHON Board Elections**

BAPHON board elections will be coming in November! If you are interested in becoming more active in BAPHON or in holding a formal board, please email <a href="mailto:baphon2012@gmail.org">baphon2012@gmail.org</a> for more information on board roles and responsibilities. More information will be available this fall.



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