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BAPHON'S Inaugural Educational Symposium:

Leading the Way Across the Bay

WELCOME

The Bay Area Association of Pediatric Hematology Oncology Nurses (BAPHON) is pleased to present our inaugural educational symposium. Our organization is dedicated to providing ongoing educational opportunities to all our members, as well as nurses and allied health professionals who are passionate about providing compassionate and high quality care to children, adolescents, and young adults with cancer and blood disorders. We are so pleased to have over 55 Northern California nurses join us today to help make this event a success. Many thanks to our speakers and sponsors who join us today!

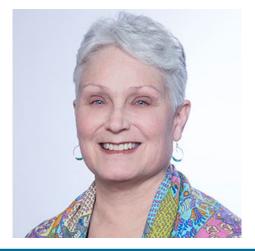
MEMBERSHIP CORNER

BAPHON Membership is currently at its highest level. We now have over 86 members, which is our largest number to date! We thank you all for your support. BAPHON hopes to continue to expand its membership in order to provide greater access to networking and educational opportunities to its members. Please spread the word to your friends and colleagues about the benefits of BAPHON membership and help us grow and improve our organization.



SAVE THE DATE August 1st, 2017

BAPHON is hosting our next educational dinner on August 1st at Buca di Beppo in San Francisco. Dr. Joan Fisher, Clinical Associate Professor of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology at Stanford Children's Health and Medical Director of the George Mark House, will be giving a talk on Pediatric Palliative Care. Mark your calendars to join us!





BAPHON is proud to partner with Alex's Million Mile for the fourth year in a row in September 2017 for Childhood Cancer month.

Last fall, BAPHON raised \$3165 for this amazing organization. Thank you to all of those who participated in this event! In September BAPHON will be hosting hikes in the Bay Area to log miles and raise money for Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation. We look forward to what we can all achieve together this year!

Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation's mission is to raise money and awareness of childhood cancer causes, primarily for research into new treatments and cures, and to encourage and empower others, especially children, to get involved and make a difference for children with cancer.



BAPHON is proud to sponsor:

UCSF Mission Bay Blood Drive & Luau

> Friday, May 12th 10 am - 3 pm

UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Auditorium

Help us collect 55 units of blood products to reach 200 total blood products for the year!

To sign up, visit **www.bloodhearoes.com** and enter sponsor code: **UCSFMB**

Sign up! Recruit friends! Save lives!

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