

## **MDS Patient & Family Forum Agenda**

**Saturday, November 2, 2024**

**University of Alabama at Birmingham**  
Wallace Tumor Institute, Conference Room 101  
1824 6th Avenue South  
Birmingham, AL 35233

9:00 am - 10:00 am	<b>Patient Arrival and Registration</b> <i>Continental Breakfast</i>
10:00 am - 10:30 am	<b>What is MDS?</b> With Q&A Session <i>Kimo Bachiashvili, MD</i> <i>UAB Medicine</i>
10:30 am - 11:00 am	<b>How Do We Treat MDS in 2024?</b> With Q&A Session <i>Omer Jamy, MD</i> <i>UAB Medicine</i>
11:00 am - 11:30 am	<b>Bone Marrow Transplants for MDS</b> With Q&A Session <i>Manuel Espinoza Gutarra, MD</i> <i>UAB Medicine</i>
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	<b>MDS Clinical Trials at UAB</b> With Q&A Session <i>Pankit Vachani, MD</i> <i>UAB Medicine</i>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	<b>Becoming a Partner in Your Care - Building Blocks of Hope</b> Ashley Moncrief, RN, BSN MDS Foundation, Inc.

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