

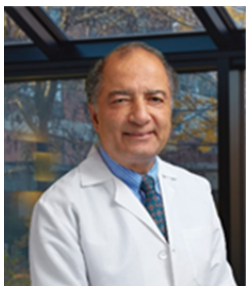
## Save the Date – December 5, 2019

Community oncology clinics are an essential part of Connecticut’s cancer care system, but many have closed, and the survival of others is threatened. We need your voice in advocating for local, quality cancer care.

Eastern Connecticut Hematology Oncology Associates (ECHO) is excited to team up with the Community Oncology Alliance’s (COA) Patient Advocacy Network, or CPAN, to launch a local chapter. Patients, survivors, family members, caregivers, and others like yourself can help protect community cancer centers.

Topics will include how to get involved with local cancer advocacy through COA and CPAN, how physicians advocate for patients, why now is the right time for advocacy efforts, how national policy issues impact local patient care, and much more.

### Guest Speakers:



Dinesh Kapur, MD  
Director of Clinical Research



Anne Slam, CMOM  
Practice Administrator



Cynthia Przekop, RN, BSN  
CPAN Chapter Advocacy Leader



Rose Gerber  
Community Oncology Alliance



## CPAN Chapter Launch Event

**December 5, 2019**  
**5:30 – 7:00 PM**

**Eastern Connecticut Hematology Oncology Associates**  
**330 Washington St**  
**Suite 220**  
**Norwich, CT 06360**

**For questions and/or to RSVP:**  
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### To Learn more about:

**COA’s Patient Advocacy Network (CPAN):** [www.COAdvocacy.org](http://www.COAdvocacy.org)

**Community Oncology Alliance (COA):** [www.communityoncology.org](http://www.communityoncology.org)

**Eastern CT Hematology Oncology Associates (ECHO):**  
[www.echoassociates.org](http://www.echoassociates.org)