

Learn How the Lab Can Save Your Life

ASCP Patient Champions Education and Networking Event at ASCP Annual Meeting 2018

Where: Baltimore Convention Center, Hall A

When: Wednesday, October 3, 2018, 5:30–7:00 PM

Receiving a serious diagnosis can be life changing. Patients and their advocates can take better control of their treatment and care options by learning everything they can about their diagnosis, including understanding their laboratory and pathology results.

Empowered patients are essential to creating optimal health care. The *Learn How the Lab Can Save Your Life* event focuses on empowering patients and patient advocates by educating these groups about the laboratory in order to discern their available treatment options and choose the plan that work best for them.

The American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP) will host this inaugural event during their Annual Meeting 2018 in Baltimore, MD at the Baltimore Convention Center. The event will be during the opening reception, from 5:30-7:00 PM. Patients and patient advocates are welcome to attend the entire first day of the conference free of charge. **To register, visit www.ascp.org/patients.**

Program

6:00 PM – 6:15 PM	Meet and Greet with Shannon Miller, Olympic Gold Medalist and Ovarian Cancer Survivor
6:15 PM – 6:30 PM	Pathology and Lab Medicine Demo
6:30 PM – 6:45 PM	Terry Wilcox, Co-Founder & Executive Director of Patients Rising & Patients Rising Now
6:45 PM – 7:00 PM	Deedee O'Brien, Executive Director Challenge Unlimited and ASCP Patient Champion

How You Can Participate

There are many ways to participate with the ASCP Patient Champions program, and we invite you to get involved and start a conversation about the best fit for your organization's needs and goals.

Bring your staff, patient advocates, patients, caregivers, and family and friends! We will provide free registration for people who want to attend.

- Exhibit for free at the ASCP Annual Meeting in our Patient Champions section. Please note booths are available on a first come, first serve basis.
- Facilitate a lecture on patient advocacy and education.
- Limited sponsorships are available, so reach out to us today!

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