



# News Release

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## TRIAGE CANCER ADDRESS FINANCIAL TOXICITY IN FREE TRAINING IN WASHINGTON, DC.

**CHICAGO, IL, JULY 08, 2019** — [Triage Cancer](http://TriageCancer.org) Chief Executive Officer, Joanna Morales, Esq., today announced the organization will host its Insurance & Finance Intensive, a comprehensive, certificate training for oncology health care professionals and advocates that addresses financial toxicity, at George Washington University in Washington, DC.

This free training provides attendees with valuable information about improving patient and caregiver access to valuable information about legal and practical cancer survivorship issues. Issues addressed include: dealing with individual & employer-sponsored health insurance; government-sponsored health programs, including Medicare & Medicaid; tips on using health insurance and appeals; navigating disability insurance and appeals; and strategies for managing finances and getting financial help.

*"Thank you for doing this. As a nurse, this information is not provided in school and it is difficult to navigate day to day. All nurses need this information and if properly informed could grossly improve patient advocacy and knowledge." – Intensive Attendee, 2018*

This event is free and open to oncology health care professionals and advocates. Nurses and social workers can also receive free continuing education units. Attendees will also receive an American Cancer Society & Triage Cancer Certificate in Financial Navigation.

Tuesday, October 29, 2019  
8:45am-4:30pm  
The George Washington University  
Elliott School of International Affairs  
1957 E. St. NW, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Washington, DC 20052

This will be Triage Cancer's last Intensive in 2019. To register for this training and get information on future Insurance & Finance Intensives, click [here](#).

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For more information, please visit <https://triagecancer.org/intensive> or contact Joanna Morales at [JM@TriageCancer.org](mailto:JM@TriageCancer.org).

*Triage Cancer is a national, nonprofit organization dedicated to helping the radically escalating number of people with cancer, their families, caregivers, advocates, and health care professionals successfully navigate the legal and practical issues that arise. Follow us on social media!*