



Saturday, March 16th, 2019

6:00pm

*Continental Pool Lounge
1911 Fort Myers Dr
Arlington, VA 22209*

Welcome Reception

New attendees encouraged to attend and meet their Grassroots Action Committee (GAC) mentor

8:00pm

Free Time

Sunday, March 17th, 2019

8:00am

*Capital View Ballroom
Key Bridge Marriott
1401 Lee Hwy
Arlington, VA 22209*

**Registration
Breakfast**

8:30am

*Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)*

**Welcome Remarks
Meet the Team**

Anjee Davis, MPPA-President, *Fight Colorectal Cancer (Fight CRC)*
All Fight CRC Staff

9:00am

*Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)*

The State of Treatment

Timothy Cannon, MD-Associate Professor, *Virginia Commonwealth University, Clinical Director of the Inova Schar Institute Molecular Tumor Board*

9:30am

*Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)*

Stand Up to Cancer & Clinical Trials

Frederick Johnson, BCPA-Advocacy and Strategic Collaborations Specialist, *Stand Up to Cancer*

10:00am

*Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)*

Finding Colon Cancer Microbes to Enhance Prevention of Colorectal Cancer

Cindy Sears, MD-Professor, *The Johns Hopkins University
Fight CRC Immunotherapy Research Grant Awardee 2018*

10:30am

Break

10:45am

Capital View Ballroom

Share Your Story in State Groups

Grassroots Action Committee (GAC)

Moderators:

- Anjee Davis
- Aubree Thelen, MPH, *Grassroots Advocacy Manager, Fight CRC*

12:00pm

Capital View Ballroom

Boxed Lunch Break

Feel free to continue sharing stories or socializing.

12:30pm

Capital View Ballroom

Large Group Introductions

1:45pm

Break



2:00-4:15pm
Rooms TBA

Breakout Sessions

Session one: 2:00-3:00pm, Session two: 3:15-4:15pm, running concurrently

Employment, Insurance, Cancer, and You {TBA}

- Expert: Chrissy Brennan, BA-Director of Programs, Cancer and Careers
- Moderator: Eric Hausmann, GAC member

What's All the Buzz About Bud? Integrative Medicine 101 {TBA}

- Expert: Mikhail (Misha) Kogan, MD, ABIOM, RCST-Medical Director, George Washington Center for Integrative Medicine
- Moderator: Paul Schadle, GAC Member

Alphabet Soup: Understanding Cancer Tests and Biomarkers {TBA}

- Expert: Cathy Eng, MD, FACP- Professor, MD Anderson Cancer Center
- Moderator: Pam Seijo, GAC Chair

March Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month {Capital View Ballroom}

- Carol Blymire, MS – Founder and CEO, Ocean Strategic Communications
- Moderator: Nancy Levesque, BA, Fight CRC Communications Director, Walter Hickman, GAC Member

Talking to Little Ones About Cancer {TBA}

- Leslie Welch, MS, CCLS- Program Manager, Gilda's Club Middle TN
- Moderator: Trish Lannon, GAC member & Colon Club President

Nutrition: Tips for Tummy Troubles {TBA}

- Expert: Jessica Iannotta MS, RD, CSO, CDN -Chief Operating Officer, Savor Health
- Moderators: Alex Hernandez, Jessica Dilts, GAC member

4:30pm
Capital View Ballroom

Wrap Up

5:00pm

Break

6:00pm
Capital View Ballroom

Mix & Mingle

7:00pm
Capital View Ballroom

Dinner

Monday, March 18th, 2019

7:00am

Optional 5k with Brian Barefield

8:00am
Capital View Ballroom

Breakfast

9:00am
Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)

The Power of Advocacy: Why Are You Here? Junior Advocates Highlight Aubree Thelen

9:30am
Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)

What the Heck? Let's Break Down CRC Screening Sophie M. Balzora, MD, FACP – Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine, New York University Langone Health



Ann Zauber, PhD-*Attending Biostatistician, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center*

Lisa Richardson, MD, MPH -*Director, Division of Cancer Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*

- Moderator: Andrea Dwyer

11:00am

Break (Exercise)

11:15am

Capital View Ballroom
[Livestream](#)

Policy Roundup

Shawn Gremminger, MPP – *Senior Director, Federal Relations, Families USA*

Stephanie Krenrich, MA- *Director, Federal Relations, American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN)*

Molly McDonnell, BA-*Policy Strategist, Fight CRC*

- Moderator: Anjee Davis and Aubree Thelen

12:15pm

Capital View Ballroom

Lunch with State Teams

12:45pm

Capital View Ballroom

First Timer Story

Marra Rodriguez, GAC Member

1:15pm

Capital View Ballroom

The Elevator Pitch and Advocacy Training

GAC Members & Aubree Thelen

2:30pm

Capital View Ballroom

Soapbox & Hill Day Q&A

3:00pm

Capital View Ballroom

Hill Day Logistics, In Depth on the Asks, and Questions

Moderator: Aubree Thelen

4:00pm

Capital View Ballroom

Wrap up

Aubree Thelen

5:00pm

Free Time

Tuesday, March 19th, 2019

6:45am

Lobby

Fly-In Registration

Snack Bags Available for Pick up

7:00am

Lobby

Buses Depart

Buses will not wait!

7:30am

Capitol Visitors Center
1st St. SW Side for locals

Picture on Capitol Steps

Weather Permitting

9am-12pm

Rayburn Gold Room

Hill Briefing

9:30-5:30pm

Hill Meetings



6:30pm
Capital View Ballroom

Cocktail Hour

7:00pm
Capital View Ballroom

Celebration and Awards Dinner