

2025 Agenda

Symposium Topics and Speakers



7:30 am **Registration and Vendors**

8:00 am **Welcome**

Katie Van Beek RTT, Avera VP Outpatient Oncology

8:05 am **Keynote: Celebrating Cancer Survival - Live Happy Laugh Loud**

Mack Dryden, speaker, actor, comedian and cancer survivor

9:10 am **Round Table: Development of Avera's Early Phase Research Program**

*William C. Spanos MD; David Starks, MD, MPH; Benjamin Solomon, MD; Ryan Vaca MD
Moderators: Heidi Nickles, MS; Natasha Flier, RN*

10:00 am **Break and time with Vendors**

10:30 am **Breath of Hope: Transformative Innovations in Lung Cancer Management**

Amy Sanford MD, AMG Oncology & Hematology

11:10 am **Beyond the Diagnosis**

Nathan Bockholt MD, Urology Specialists

12:00 pm **Lunch & time with Vendors**

12:50 pm **Hazardous Drug Updates: A Review of NIOSH and USP 800 Changes**

Emily Laible PharmD, Avera

1:25 pm **Workup and Evolving Management of Colon and Rectal Cancer**

Andrew-Paul Deeb MD, Surgical Institute of South Dakota

2:15 pm **Break and time with Vendors**

2:35 pm **Cancer Risk Assessment, Screening, and Prevention in Breast and GI Cancers**

Kayla York MS, Avera

3:30 pm **Recognizing and Managing Oncologic Emergencies: A Critical Role in Patient Outcomes**

Laura Hofer PA, AMG Oncology & Hematology

4:20 pm **Conclusion and Door Prizes**
