2017 Symposium to Feature New Insights for Patient Care After Cancer Treatment

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SAN DIEGO - Five studies highlighting notable research on survivorship care will be presented at the 2017 Cancer Survivorship Symposium, taking place January 27-28 at the Manchester Grand Hyatt in San Diego. These select abstracts provide a better understanding of the risks associated with treatment and the late effects of cancer.

Experts in survivorship care are available on-site to comment on the studies below.

Abstract 102:
**Metabolic syndrome (MetS) after platinum-based chemotherapy (CHEM): A multicenter study of North American testicular cancer survivors (TCS).**

Poster Session A
Friday, January 27, 2017: 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM PST
Friday, January 27, 2017: 5:15 PM – 6:15 PM PST
Manchester Grand Hyatt, Grand Ballroom, Salon C, Lobby Level

Mohammad Issam Abu Zaid, MBBS
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Abstract 105:
**Risk of coronary heart disease and ischemic stroke in thyroid cancer patients taking levothyroxine.**

Oral Abstract Session B
Saturday, January 28, 2017: 11:25 AM – 11:35 AM PST
Grand Hyatt, Seaport Ballroom, Salon E, Seaport Tower, 2nd Floor

Dong Wook Shin
Abstract 120:
Brentuximab-induced peripheral neuropathy: Risk factors and patient experiences.

Poster Session B
Saturday, January 28, 2017: 7:00 AM – 7:55 AM PST
Saturday, January 28, 2017: 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM PST
Manchester Grand Hyatt, Grand Hall Salon C, Lobby Level

Sarah Nagle, MD
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Abstract 137:
Late effects among head and neck cancer survivors in Utah cancer survivorship study.

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Daisuke Kawakita, MD, PhD
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Abstract 146:
Immediate-term Chemotherapy-Related Cognitive Impairment (CRCI) Following Administration of Intravenous (IV) Chemotherapy.

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