

Highlights

Friday Night Event

Don't miss the Photo Gallery and Reception on Friday, October 8 from 7:30 - 9:00 PM at the Renaissance Dallas Hotel. Please join us for an evening of meeting new friends, enjoying light refreshments, and getting to know your local brain tumor community and NBTS staff before the conference day on October 9.

Are you are interested in submitting a photo to be displayed at the reception?

Images should relate to one of the following themes: support and hope, the brain tumor experience, or survivorship. Please submit a short 250 word narrative relating to the topic along with your digital photo and email to info@braintumor.org by August 27, 2010.

We welcome submissions by survivors, caregivers, family members and friends.

Stay connected

DFW Brain Tumor Walk

Dallas-Ft. Worth unites to fight brain tumors on November 6, 2010. Join us as a team or individual for this inspirational, all-ages fundraising walk and community day to support the brain tumor cause.

www.DFWWalk.org

My.BrainTumorCommunity.Org

Learn. Share. Connect. Visit the new online community and connect with others in the Dallas-Ft. Worth Area Group.

<http://My.BrainTumorCommunity.org>



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A Patient and Family Conference



October 8-9, 2010
Dallas-Ft. Worth Area



Join NBTS in Dallas, TX on October 8-9, 2010, for an exciting conference created for patients, survivors, and their families!

Our Conferences

These conferences address the needs of the brain tumor community, feature presentations from health professionals on topics ranging from treatment updates to survivorship, and provide opportunities to connect with others throughout the day and beyond.

“Thank you for the opportunity to share, for the exceptional information, and for the sense of community. I couldn’t get this anywhere else.”

– *Patient and Family Conference Attendee*

About National Brain Tumor Society

National Brain Tumor Society (NBTS) is a leader in the brain tumor community, bringing together the best of research and patient services to be a comprehensive resource for patients, families, caregivers, researchers, and medical professionals. We invest wisely and strategically across the research spectrum, seeking new therapeutic targets and improving existing treatments, which will ultimately lead to a cure.

NBTS Patient Services

We offer top-notch resources and caring support for everyone affected by brain tumors. We focus our services on patient information, patient and caregiver support, community programs, and empower patients and their families with education and information.

Featuring

Main Events

- Two tracks of specifically tailored presentations for both adult and pediatric patients and their families:
 - > Pediatric track: Topics on late effects, school issues, and more!
 - > Adult track: Topics on nutrition, cognitive issues and more!
- Survivor, patient, and family panel
- Opportunities to connect with others in the brain tumor community

Speakers

- Presentations and panels led by a multidisciplinary team from treatment centers around the Dallas-Ft. Worth area such as UT Southwestern, Children’s Medical Center of Dallas (CMCD), Cook Children’s, and more.
- Invited speakers include:
 - *Christine Castillo, PhD, LSSP, CMCD*
 - *Karen Fink, MD, Neuro-Oncology Associates, A Baylor-Health Texas Affiliate*
 - *Bruce Mickey, MD, UT Southwestern*
 - *Lucien Nedzi, MD, CMCD*
 - *Vanessa Nestor, MS, APRN, FNP-C, Neuro-Oncology Associates, A Baylor-Health Texas Affiliate*
 - *Clinton Park, MD, Texas Oncology*
 - *Joel W. Steelman, MD, Cook Children’s Medical Center*
 - *and more!*

Register Today!

Deadline to register is Monday, October 4, 2010!

- To register: Please visit, www.braintumor.org/braintumorconference or call 800 934 2873.
- Registration fee: \$20 per person or \$50 per family of 3 or more. Registration scholarships are available.

Event Details

Friday Reception and Hotel Information

- Renaissance Dallas Hotel
2222 Stemmons Freeway
Dallas, TX 75207
- Standard room rate of \$119/night available first come first served until Thursday, September 23, 2010.
- To make reservations, call 800 468 3571 to receive the discounted group rate.

Saturday Conference Site Information

- Cityplace Conference and Events Center
2711 North Haskell Avenue
Dallas, TX 75204
- To view a map of the conference location, please visit: www.braintumor.org/braintumorconference.

For more information, including a full conference agenda, please visit:
www.braintumor.org/braintumorconference
or call our Patient Services Line at 800 934 2873.

