



*** FREE ***
for patients on
tube feeding or IV nutrition
...and their family members!

2020 VIRTUAL Conference

Support Information Hope

August 3 & 6
12:00 pm – 5:30 pm EDT

... with morning and evening hours for the expo and social events!

Why Consumers Should Attend

Proven Benefits to Patients in Contact with Oley

- Lowers the incidence of catheter-related sepsis
 - Reduces reactive depression
 - Significantly improves quality of life
- Gives members the tools and confidence they need to manage their therapy
- Enables members to achieve normalcy in their lives

Unique Opportunity

- Attend an Oley conference without traveling
- Learn to express your health care needs with assurance
- Access the latest information on nutrition support
 - Connect with others on home tube feeding and/or IV nutrition

**"This is by far the best meeting...
in terms of people, and the
information that I learned."
—HPEN Consumer**

Why Clinicians Should Attend

Unique Opportunity to Learn from Expert Colleagues and Patients

- Learn best management practices for home parenteral and enteral nutrition
 - World class speakers
 - CEs offered
- Unique opportunity to learn with, and from, consumers who have managed their own parenteral and/or enteral nutrition for five, ten, even twenty-plus years!
- Become a better resource for your colleagues and patients

**"I learn more at the Oley
conference than I do at nearly any
other clinical meeting I attend."
—HPN Clinician**

More Information/Registration

For the **latest updates** or to register, go to oley.org/AnnualConference; call the Oley Foundation at (518) 262-5079; or e-mail harrinc@amc.edu. Registration includes access to educational sessions, activities, exhibits, and the ability to claim CE credits. You must register to participate.

- **Consumers/families: registration is free of charge.**
- Professionals/members of industry: registration is \$200.

Participating in the Sessions, Activities

You'll need a computer, tablet, phone or other device that connects to the internet—and internet service. Oley will email you login instructions. For tech questions or support, call Cathy at (518) 262-5079.

Keynote Kick-off

A fun time is guaranteed for all as Brenda Elsagher, cancer survivor, osteomate, author and humor specialist, kicks off the Oley virtual conference with laughter and insights. She is the author of *I Want to Buy a Bowel, Please; Your Glasses Are on Top of Your Head; If the Battle Is Over, Why Am I Still in Uniform; Bedpan Banter; and It's in the Bag and Under the Covers*. Read more on www.livingandlaughing.com.

Main Presentations

Each afternoon world-class speakers will offer information regarding best practices and advances in the field of home IV nutrition and tube feeding.

Expo Hall and Product Showcase

Learn about the latest products and services for consumers on home IV and tube-fed nutrition in the Expo Hall and in the Product Showcase. Some exhibits will include the opportunity to live chat with company representatives.

Consumer/Caregiver Awards

Listen to heartfelt stories as we celebrate consumers and caregivers who have shown great courage and tenacity in the face of chronic illness and managing nutrition therapy.

Corporate Awards

Join Oley as we recognize the corporate partners who provide year-round support to Oley programs, keeping them free of charge for the patients and families who need them.

Breakout Sessions

These facilitated, small-group sessions are a great place to continue learning as you get into more details on topics, ask questions, and interact with fellow attendees. Tentative topics to choose from include: managing intestinal failure, young adults transitioning to independence, avoiding therapy-related complications, the role of the dietitian, insurance reimbursement, blenderized tube feeding, skin and wound care, vascular access, advance directives, interpreting lab reports, etc.

Let's Talk Sessions

Learn from fellow attendees, sharing tips, ideas and support, in these facilitated small group discussion rooms organized by themes such as parenting, dating, living well while dependent on nutrition support, self-care for consumers and caregivers, etc.

Happy Hour

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Jammin' Jammies

A fun evening activity is planned for children ages 7+, including a Kahoot trivia game, craft, and more. Jammies or comfy clothes a must! Registrants will have a special remembrance mailed to them.

Walkathon Raises Funds, Awareness

Walkathon registration sheets are posted at www.oley.org/AnnualConference. Walk in your hometown (following appropriate social distancing and other protective measures) with friends and family to raise awareness locally. Wear an Oley t-shirt, take a photo and submit for a photo gallery Oley will be creating. Start getting pledges today! Funds raised help support all Oley programs.

For updates, stay tuned to
www.oley.org/annualconference

"I gained more knowledge than I could find anywhere else"

"Oley changes lives. It did mine."