 

**American Cancer Society Report**

Florida Society of Oncology Social Work

Board Meeting

July 29, 2016

**Patient Program and Services Updates**

* **Service Match**
	+ Over 50% of Road Coordinators trained
	+ Goal is to complete Road Coordinator trainings by end of September
	+ Success Stories

**Cancer Control Updates**

* **New Survivorship Care Guidelines and Toolkit**
	+ The American Cancer Society released four sets of guidelines dedicated to promoting quality of life in the following cancer survivor population: Breast, Colorectal Head and Neck, Prostate.
	+ In addition to the guidelines, ACS has released a dissemination toolkit with resources for oncology and primary care providers, cancer control and public and health professionals and patients and caregivers.
	+ The guidelines and toolkit provide cancer centers evidence-based recommendations and resources for systems to develop comprehensive survivorship care strategies to address the needs of this growing population of patients.
* **Colorectal Cancer Stakeholder meetings**
	+ Goal:
		- Encourage colorectal cancer screening efforts with a focus on the uninsured and underserved
		- Facilitate and support clinical linkages to ensure completion of the screening process from a positive FIT to the colonoscopy
	+ Meeting being held this Fall: Jacksonville, Orlando and Tampa Bay Market

**ACS Leadership in Oncology Social Work Award and Quality of Life Grant**

* **ACS Leadership in Oncology Social Work Award**
	+ **Proposed Timeline**
		- Ongoing: Promotion of Award
		- September 12, 2016: All applications/nominations due
		- September 16, 2016: Selection Committee Meeting
* **Quality of Life Grant**
	+ For 2017, discuss shifting focus to be inclusive of all ACS Patient Programs and Services