



2023 IMPACT REPORT

See how we put your donations to work.

OUR MISSION

- Fund and support research to discover new treatments for appendix cancer with the hope of one day finding a cure.
- Fund and support educational programs for health care professionals and patients/caregivers & families to keep pace with the evolving science and to increase awareness about this rare cancer.

1.7 MILLION FOR RESEARCH

ACPMP has given \$1.7 Million in the form of 36 research grants since 2009.

2009 ←————→ 2023

2023 \$50K 2-Year Grants Awarded to:

Kjersti Flatmark, MD, Ph.D.: Oslo University Hospital, Oslo, Norway

Project Title: Pseudovax vaccine – New treatment for pseudomyxoma peritonei

Michael Foote, MD: Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY, USA

Project Title: Integrated multiomic biospecimen analysis to define molecular predictors of appendiceal adenocarcinoma evolution and treatment response

In **2023**, your generous support funded
2 ACPMP CATALYST RESEARCH GRANTS
totaling
\$100,000



2023 EDUCATION SERIES

Launch of 2023 Education Webinar Series

935

REGISTRATIONS

4 WEBINARS

over 2,500
Recording Views

May 18th:
Let's talk about our genes: A familial/hereditary link to appendix cancer with Dr. Holowatyj

June 22:
Appendiceal cancer is not the same as colon cancer: Implications for chemo with Dr. John Paul Shen

August 16: Quality of Life and Decision Regret in Cytoreductive Surgery and HIPEC with Dr. Alissa Greenbaum

August 31:
Understanding Clinical Trials and How They Fit in Treating Appendix Cancer with Dr. Anai Kothari

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EVENTS TO INCREASE
AWARENESS

1

61 Landmarks, Buildings, and Bridges across 25 states and 3 countries lit up amber as apart of Appendix Cancer Awareness Month

2

Partnered with Gilda's Club Metro Detroit to present "Shining a Light on Appendix Cancer" webinar

3

Presented an Overview of Appendix Cancer at the International Precision Medicine Conference

4

Participated in the National Organization of Rare Diseases (NORD) Breakthrough Summit

5

Participated as a judge at the Scientific Poster Session at the National Cancer Institute (NCI) Annual Investigators Meeting



NOV 3rd:

**APPENDIX CANCER
VIRTUAL MULTI-REGIONAL
SYMPOSIUM**



440

REGISTRATIONS



23

COUNTRIES



33

SPEAKERS



150+

QUESTIONS
ANSWERED





Your Support funded the
2023 SSO Young
Investigator Award focused
on Appendix Cancer of

\$25,000

Awarded to Thinzar Lwin, MD, MS
- City of Hope, for research on
Photoimmunotherapy of
Appendiceal Cancer



ACPMP Sponsored
the 2023 Surgical
Society of Oncology
(SSO) Advanced
Cancer Therapies
(ACT) Conference



10

\$1,000

Travel Scholarships

Awarded to physicians to present
their research on timely scientific
areas of inquiry to further drive
the discovery of new approaches
to the diagnosis and treatment of
appendiceal cancer.



ACPMP Exhibited for the first time at
the 2023 American College of
Surgeons (ACS) Clinical Congress
Conference

At ACS Clinical Congress, we raised awareness for appendix
cancer and added over 150 clinicians from around the globe
to our network to keep them informed about important
developments in the diagnosis and treatment of appendix
cancer, as well as the rest of our work at ACPMP.

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Team Members Hired
to further our mission



Alyssa Strackbein
Operations Coordinator



Jamila Slade
Administrative Coordinator



Thank You.

*None of this would be possible
without your support.*



Recruited Dr. John Paul Shen,
University of Texas MD Anderson
Cancer Center, to ACPMP's
Medical Advisory Board