

Pediatric Workshop: “What’s in a word? Helping parents and healthcare professionals talk to kids and teens about cancer”

When:

February 29, 2012

Where:

Toronto, 525 University Avenue,
Rm 1144

For: nurses who are caring for patients undergoing their cancer journey

Cost: There is no cost for Ontario nurses however a \$100 deposit cheque is required. Cheques must be received by February 22nd, 2012 to secure a spot at the workshop. Cheques will not be deposited unless participants fail to cancel by February 22, 2012 or fail to attend the workshop. Please see our Cancellation & No Show Policy.

Meals and Breaks:

During the workshop will be provided

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This one day interactive workshop explores strategies in communicating with kids and teens about cancer. Multiple methods will be used to apply key concepts to clinical practice. This workshop will be delivered by expert Pediatric and Oncology practitioners

This workshop has been designed specifically for, and is open to nurses across all settings who work with kids and teens directly or indirectly.

During this interactive workshop, participants will:

1. Examine what communication skills and information parents are needing and seeking when their child is diagnosed with a life threatening illness such as cancer.
2. Describe the needs of children and teens diagnosed with cancer in relation to communication and the support from their healthcare team.
3. Review and engage in skills of therapeutic communication using a case based study, video presentation and small group work.

Interested in registering? Visit www.desouzanurse.ca to complete the application online and submit **by February 15, 2012**. Confirmation of attendance will be sent on February 22, 2012. **Space is limited**, so please register early.

A certificate of attendance will be issued to participants after completion of workshop requirements. Please note that this workshop does not count towards the de Souza Designation.