



**NATIONAL PROTON CONFERENCE**  
**Advancing Cancer Treatment**  
**Access Worldwide**

**NPC**  
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THE RITZ-CARLTON, PENTAGON CITY  
ARLINGTON, VA

**PROGRAM**

## ARRIVAL DAY

Monday, 31 March

2:00-5:00pm	<b>Meeting Registration and Hotel Check-in</b>
4:00-7:00pm	<b>NAPT/Proton Therapy Consortium Meeting</b> <i>(members only)</i>

## DAY 1 - Morning

Tuesday, 1 April

7:00-8:00am	<b>Buffet Breakfast</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
8:00am	<b>Conference Welcome</b> Leonard Arzt, <i>NAPT Executive Director</i>
8:05 -8:20 am	<b>Opening Remarks from the Proton Community</b> John B. Frick, <i>NAPT Board Chairman</i> Stuart L. Klein, <i>Proton Therapy Consortium Board Chairman</i>
8:20-9:00am	<b>The Proton Therapy Marketplace: A Closer Look</b> Christopher Pericak, <i>Consultant, Research and Insights, The Advisory Board Company</i>
9:00-9:30am	<b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Where We Are Today – Where We Are Headed</b> Dr. James D. Cox, <i>Professor and Former Chairman of Radiation Oncology, University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center</i>
9:30-11:00am	<b>PANEL 1: The Current State of Proton Therapy Clinical Trials and Studies: An Overview</b> MODERATOR: Dr. James D. Cox Dr. Bhadrasain Vikram, <i>Chief of Clinical Radiation Oncology Branch, National Cancer Institute</i> Dr. Nancy Mendenhall, <i>Medical Director, University of Florida Proton Therapy Institute</i> Dr. Robert Foote, <i>Chair, Department of Radiation Oncology, Mayo Clinic, MN</i> Dr. James M. Metz, <i>Professor and Vice Chair, Clinical Division of Radiation Oncology, UPENN</i>
11:00-11:15 am	<b>Refreshments</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
11:15-11:45am	<b>Intersession A</b> IBA Update
11:45am-1:00pm	<b>Panel 2: Proton Center Medical Directors Discuss Clinical Leadership</b> MODERATOR: Dr. Eugen Hug, <i>Chief Medical Officer, ProCure Treatment Centers</i> Dr. William F. Hartsell, <i>Medical Director, CDH Proton Center</i> Dr. Carl J. Rossi, Jr. <i>Medical Director, Scripps Proton Therapy Center</i> Dr. Jeffrey D. Bradley, <i>Director, S. Lee Kling Center for Proton Therapy, Washington University School of Medicine</i> Dr. Oren Cahlon, <i>Medical Director, New Jersey/Metro New York ProCure Proton Therapy Center</i> Dr. Nancy Mendenhall, <i>Medical Director, University of Florida Proton Therapy Institute</i> Dr. Minesh Mehta, <i>Medical Director, University of Maryland Proton Therapy Center</i>

## DAY 1 - Afternoon | Evening

Tuesday, 1 April

1:00-2:00pm	<b>Seated Luncheon</b> SPEAKER: Prof. J.A. Langendijk, <i>Chair, Dept of Radiation Oncology, University Medical Center Groningen, The Netherlands</i> Value-Oriented Cancer Care: The Dutch Approach to Proton Therapy  SPEAKER: Joe Matteo, <i>Co-Founder and President, ProNova</i>
2:00-3:15pm	<b>PANEL 3: Treating Prostate Cancer: A New NAPT/Dobson DaVanzo Report on Quality of Life Outcomes</b> MODERATOR: Joan E. DeVanzo, Ph.D., <i>Dobson DaVanzo &amp; Associates</i> Dr. Bradley S. Hoppe, <i>Radiation Oncologist, University of Florida Proton Therapy Institute</i> Dr. Joseph I. Kang, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Loma Linda University Health</i> Robert Marckini, <i>Founder, The Brotherhood of the Balloon</i> Bill Barbour, <i>N.Y. Prostate Patient Story</i>
3:15-4:15pm	<b>PANEL 4: The Advantages of Treating Children with Proton Therapy</b> MODERATOR: Susan Ralston, <i>Executive Director and Founder, Pediatric Proton Foundation</i> Dr. Kevin McMullen, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Indiana University Health Proton Therapy Center</i> Dr. Torunn Yock, <i>Chief, Pediatric Radiation Oncology, Massachusetts General Hospital</i> Dr. Andrew Chang, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Hampton University Proton Therapy Institute and Proton Center Development Corporation</i> Mike Hyman, <i>Kids'n' Cancer, United Kingdom</i>
4:15-4:30pm	<b>Refreshments</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
4:30-5:45pm	<b>PANEL 5: Expansion of Proton Therapy: Can It Be Sustained?</b> MODERATOR/SPEAKER: John Kerstiens, <i>Chief Operating Officer/Chief Financial Officer, Indiana University Health Proton Therapy Center</i> Dr. Allan Thornton, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Hampton University Proton Therapy Institute</i>
6:15pm	<i>Buses depart for Welcome Cocktail Reception</i>
6:30-8:00pm	<b>Welcome Cocktail Reception</b> House of Sweden 2900 K Street, NW, Washington, DC

## DAY 2 - Morning

Wednesday, 2 April

7:00-8:00am	<b>Buffet Breakfast</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
8:00-11:00am	<b>PANEL 6: Advancing Treatment – A Clinical Perspective</b> MODERATOR: Dr. Eugen Hug, <i>President, PTCOG-NA</i>  <b>6A: Treating Head and Neck Tumors</b> Dr. Steven J. Frank, <i>Medical Director, M.D. Anderson Proton Center and Associate Professor, Clinical Division of Radiation Oncology, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center</i> Dr. Alexander Lin, <i>Chief, Head and Neck Service, Clinical Division of Radiation Oncology, UPENN</i> Dr. Sameer Keole, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Mayo Clinic/AZ</i> Dr. Nancy Lee, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center</i>  <b>6B: Treating Breast Cancer</b> Dr. Julie Bradley, <i>Assistant Professor and Radiation Oncologist, University of Florida Proton Therapy Institute</i> Dr. Sharon Do, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Loma Linda University Health</i> Dr. Marcio Fagundes, <i>Medical Director, Provision Center for Proton Therapy</i> Dr. Henry Tsai, <i>Radiation Oncologist, ProCure Proton Therapy Center, Somerset, NJ</i>  <b>6C: Treating Central Nervous System Tumors</b> Dr. Anita Mahajan, <i>Director of International Development, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center</i> Dr. Minesh Mehta, <i>Medical Director, University of Maryland Proton Therapy Center</i> Dr. Vinai Gondhi, <i>Radiation Oncologist, CDH Proton Center, Chicago</i>
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11:15-11:45 am	<b>Intersession B</b> Mevion Update
11:45am-1:00pm	<b>Panel 7: Proving Outcomes, Funding Research, and Financing a Center</b>  <b>7A: Registries: Developing Evidence Together With Clinical Care</b> MODERATOR/SPEAKER: Jason Caron, <i>Partner, McDermott Will &amp; Emory and Consultant, Proton Therapy Consortium</i> Dr. Elise Berliner, Ph.D., <i>Director of the Technology Assessment Program at the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)</i> Scott Warwick, <i>VP, Provision Center for Proton Therapy</i> Patient-Oriented Outcomes Research Institute speaker, <i>TBD</i>



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1:00-2:00pm	<b>Seated Luncheon</b>
2:10-3:15pm	<b>7B: Financing and Structuring Issues</b> MODERATOR/SPEAKER: Jason Caron, <i>Partner, McDermott Will &amp; Emory and Consultant, Proton Therapy Consortium</i> T.J. Sullivan, <i>Partner, Drinker Biddle and Reath</i> John M. Callahan, <i>Partner, McDermott Will &amp; Emory</i> Bonnie R. Siegal, <i>Managing Director and Partner, Jeffrey Matthews, Financial Group</i>
3:15-3:45pm	<b>PANEL 8: The New Jersey-Metro NY Model: A Shared Patient/Physician Proton Therapy Access Agreement</b> Dr. Oren Cahlon, <i>Medical Director New Jersey/Metro New York ProCure Proton Therapy Center</i> Dr. Nancy Lee, <i>Radiation Oncologist, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center</i>
3:45-4:00pm	<b>Refreshments</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
4:00-6:00pm	<b>Panel 9A: Planning, Developing, and Launching a Proton Center: How Hard Is It?</b> MODERATOR: Greg Sonnenfeld, <i>Radiation Oncology Director, Willis-Knighton Health System</i> Dr. Scot Ackerman, <i>Medical Director, Proton Therapy at First Coast Oncology</i> Dr. R. Steven Paulson, <i>Chairman and President, Texas Oncology/the Texas Center for Proton Therapy</i> Scott Patterson, <i>Partner, Saul Ewing, LLP</i>  <b>Panel 9B: New Innovations in Design, Equipment and Engineering</b> MODERATOR: John Jessen, <i>Managing Principal, VOA/WDC</i> Niek Schreuder, <i>VP and Chief Medical Physicist, Provision Center for Proton Therapy</i> Jay Flanz, Ph.D., <i>Technical Director, Burr Proton Therapy Center at Massachusetts General Hospital</i> Cynthia Keppel, Ph.D., <i>K&amp;N Physics Consulting, CTO, Providence Therapy</i> Michael Fahey, <i>Principal, Bard,Rao+Athas</i>
6:15-7:15pm	<b>Cocktail Hour</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>

## DAY 3

Thursday, 3 April

7:00-8:00am	<b>Buffet Breakfast</b> <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
8:05-8:20am	<b>NPC2015/PTCOG-NA Meeting at Scripps Proton Therapy Center, San Diego, CA, May 18-23</b> Dr. Eugen Hug and Dr. Carl Rossi, <i>PTCOG-NA</i> Stuart Klein and John Frick, <i>Proton Therapy Consortium/NAPT</i>
8:20-9:20am	<b>Panel 10:</b> <b>Cloud-Based Patient Outcomes, Workflow &amp; Interoperability-Solutions, Results &amp; Use Cases</b> Martin Pellinat, <i>CEO, VisionTree Software</i> Scott Warwick, <i>VP, Provision Center for Proton Therapy</i>
9:20-10:15am	<b>Panel 11: The Changing Landscape of Proton Therapy: A Review of Development Strategies</b> MODERATOR/SPEAKER: Chris Chandler, <i>Chief Executive Officer, Proton International, USA</i> Dr. Sanjeev Pandya, <i>Chief Operating Officer, Advanced Oncotherapy</i>
10:15-11:30am	<b>Panel 12: Patient Engagement and Advocacy</b> CO-MODERATORS: Stephen Jacobs, <i>Loma Linda University Health</i> and Fern Nibauer-Cohen, <i>Associate Director, Program Development, UPENN Department of Radiation Oncology</i> Olivier De Sadeleer, <i>Marketing Manager, IBA</i> Trina Leonard, <i>NAPT</i> Amanda B. Burnham, <i>Director, Marketing and Development, Indiana University Health Proton Therapy Center</i> Proton Patients, <i>TBD</i>
12noon	<b>Exhibit Hall closes</b>

*Note: This program is subject to change*