

American Cancer Society Experts Present Key Research at 2022 ASCO Meeting

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ATLANTA, May 23, 2022 — Scientists from the [American Cancer Society](https://www.americancancer.org/) (ACS) are presenting research studies at the 2022 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) June 3-7. ASCO is the world's largest clinical cancer research meeting, attracting more than 30,000 oncology professionals from around the world. This year's scientific program will feature more than 2,800 abstracts complementing the meeting's theme: *Advancing Equitable Cancer Care Through Innovation*.

"The ACS Discovery Pillar is dedicated to supporting scientific discoveries that advance cancer science and provide the fastest track possible to cancer patients and families. I look forward to the presentation of findings from our world-class intramural cancer research team, as well as those exceptional scientists funded through the ACS extramural program, at this year's ASCO meeting," said [Dr. Karen Knudsen](#), CEO of the American Cancer Society. "ACS-funded research will help contribute to critical discussions about how we treat cancer patients, including addressing social and economic needs and advancing equitable care. Reducing cancer disparities improves the lives of all cancer patients, their families, and their caregivers."

At this year's meeting, the latest cancer research findings from ACS led research teams will include:

Author: Hyuna Sung, PhD

Racial differences in cardiovascular disease mortality among cancer survivors

Abstract: 12075

Session time: Saturday, June 4th, 2:15-5:15 p.m., ET

Author: Xuesong Han, PhD

Suicide risk among patients with cancer in the United States, 2000-2016

Abstract: 12119

Session time: Saturday, June 4th, 2:15-5:15 p.m., ET

Author: Jason Zheng, PhD

Association of parental cancer and minor child's unmet economic needs in food, housing, and transportation

Abstract: 12014

Session time: Saturday, June 4th, 5:30-7:00 p.m., ET

Author: Jingxuan Zhao, MPH

Changes in cancer-related mortality during the COVID-19 pandemic in the United States

Abstract: 6581

Session time: Monday, June 6th, 2:15-5:15 p.m., ET

Author: Sylvia Kewei Shi

Oncologist consideration of patient health insurance coverage and out-of-pocket costs for genomic testing in treatment decision

Abstract: TBD

Session time: Monday, June 6th, 2:15-5:15 p.m., ET

Author: Leticia Nogueira, PhD

Racial disparities in receipt of guideline-concordant care for early-onset colorectal cancer in the U.S.

Abstract:6544

Session time: Monday, June 6th, 2:15-5:15 p.m., ET

Author: Xuesong Han, PhD

Racial and ethnic disparities in lifestyle changes during the COVID-19 pandemic: Exploring the socioeconomic and psychosocial mechanisms

Abstract:10558

Session time: Monday, June 6th, 2:15-5:15 p.m., ET

Author: Xuesong Han, PhD

Association between the Affordable Care Act Medicaid expansion and survival in young adults newly diagnosed with cancer

Abstract:1502

Session time: Monday, June 6th, 4:00-7:00 p.m., ET


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