

Cancer and Mental Wellbeing Education Training Series Speaker Bios

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2:00 – 4:00 pm ET



Kelly Irwin, MD, MPH,
Assistant Professor, Psychiatry,
Harvard Medical School;
Director, Collaborative Care and Community
Engagement Program,
Massachusetts General Hospital

Dr. Irwin is an instructor in psychiatry at Harvard Medical School and a faculty psychiatrist at the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) Cancer Center and MGH Schizophrenia Program where she founded the Cancer Prevention Program. Dr. Irwin graduated from Harvard University in 2001, worked with Doctors for Global Health in El Salvador, and then returned to Harvard Medical School, receiving her MD in 2008, and completing her residency in psychiatry at MGH and McLean in 2012. She received the Dupont-Warren Fellowship from Harvard Medical School in 2013 and the Program in Cancer Outcomes Research Training (PCORT) fellowship in 2015.

Dr. Irwin is the Director of the Collaborative Care and Community Engagement Program, a research and clinical program focused on improving cancer outcomes for people with severe mental illness. In collaboration with community partners, she is also establishing a 2nd opinion service for patients with severe mental illness and cancer.



Amy Corveleyn, MSW, LICSW,
Program Manager,
Collaborative Care and
Community Engagement Program,
Massachusetts General Hospital

Amy Corveleyn is a licensed clinical social worker who sees patients at Massachusetts General Hospital and her private practice. She has worked with cancer survivors and patients with serious mental illness and their families for 13 years. She works as a Community Liaison at the Mass General Cancer Center, helping patients connect with the medical and mental health care they need outside the hospital. Amy Corveleyn is also the Community Liaison for the Cancer and Mental Health Collaborative, TOP a community network dedicated to engage diverse stakeholders to conduct patient-centered research at the intersection of cancer and mental health care.

Amy Corveleyn is the social work case manager for the Collaborative Care and Community Engagement Program and Dr. Kelly Irwin's Bridge research study at Mass General, which both aim to improve cancer outcomes for patients with cancer and serious mental illness by promoting collaboration across disciplines.

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