

# Surviving & Thriving

Celebrating survivor stories through artistic expression



## Remembering Dr. Robert Buckman

## Monday, June 11

### 11:30 - 1:30 **Remembering Dr. Robert Buckman**

Moderated by Dr. Alejandro Jadad

11:30 - 11:45

#### **Welcome**

Dr. Robert Bell, President & CEO, UHN

#### **Sharing Memories**

Dr. Pamela Catton, Director, Cancer Survivorship

11:45 - 12:30

#### **Cancer is a Word, Not a Sentence** The 1st Annual Robert Buckman Memorial Lecture

Laura Adams, President & CEO, Rhode Island Quality Institute

12:30 - 1:30

#### **Surviving & Thriving**

Panelists: Laura Adams

Dr. Brian Goldman

Dr. Chandra Martens

Robert Hawke

Christy Brissette

1:30 - 4:30

### **Patient Workshops**



#### **Dr. Robert Bell, MSc, MD, FACS, CM, FRCSC**

Dr. Robert Bell is the President and CEO of the University Health Network. An internationally recognized Orthopaedic surgeon, healthcare executive, clinician-scientist, and educator, Dr. Bell brings more than 30 years of experience in academic healthcare to the leadership of Canada's largest research hospital.



#### **Dr. Pamela Catton, MD, MHPE, FRCPC**

Dr. Pamela Catton is the Medical Director Survivorship at the Princess Margaret Hospital, Director Patient Education UHN, and Director EL-LICSR Health, Wellness, Cancer Survivorship Centre.



### **Dr. Alejandro Jadad, MD DPhil FRCPC FCAHS**

Dr. Alejandro Jadad is a physician, educator, researcher and public advocate, whose mission is to help improve health and wellness for all, through information and communication technologies (ICTs). His research and innovation work seeks to eliminate unnecessary suffering.

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### **Laura Adams**

Laura Adams is the President and CEO of the Rhode Island Quality Institute (RIQI). The RIQI is currently leading and coordinating multiple initiatives to promote the adoption and full use of health information technology and health information exchange throughout Rhode Island.

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### **Dr. Brian Goldman, MD, MCFP(EM), FACEP**

Dr. Brian Goldman is a highly regarded emergency physician at Toronto's Mount Sinai Hospital for over 20 years. Dr. Goldman has also parlayed his medical expertise into an award-winning career in medical journalism.

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### **Dr. Chandra Martens, MD, CCFP, FRCPC**

Dr. Chandra Martens is Radiation Oncologist and has started her own centre offering medical and psychological support for cancer patients, survivors, and their families throughout their diagnosis, treatment and beyond treatment.

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### **Robert Hawke**

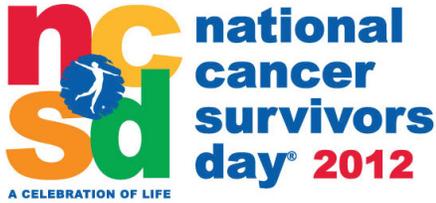
Robert Hawke is an actor, author and patient advocate. He has performed for physicians, nurses, medical students, cancer survivors and their families. He has shared in a Canadian Comedy Award and is a Gemini Award Nominated Writer.

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### **Christy Brissette, RD**

Christy Brissette completed her nutrition degree at Ryerson University and completed her Dietetic Internship at St. Michael's Hospital. She is currently pursuing her Master's at the University of Toronto.



## Why Do We Celebrate?

We want to show the world that life after a cancer diagnosis can be meaningful, fulfilling, and even inspiring. There is life after cancer. And it's something to celebrate!

National Cancer Survivors Day provides an opportunity for cancer survivors to connect with other survivors, celebrate milestones, and recognize the healthcare providers, family, and friends who have supported them along the way. It's a day for everyone, whether you're a cancer survivor, a family member, friend, or medical professional.

## Who Is a Cancer Survivor?

A survivor is anyone living with a history of cancer - from the moment of diagnosis through the remainder of life. Whether you're in treatment, just diagnosed, or have been in remission for 20 years, you're a cancer survivor.

Find out more about National Cancer Survivors Day at: [www.ncsdf.org](http://www.ncsdf.org)

A National Cancer Survivors Day celebration with the Princess Margaret Survivorship Program at the ELLICSR: Health, Wellness & Cancer Survivorship Centre



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