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# Thyroid Cancer

## 6th Midwest Survivors' Workshop

**FREE** day of education and support for people at all stages of thyroid cancer testing, treatment, and follow-up. We welcome caregivers, friends, and everyone interested. **Come and learn** from physicians and other specialists. **Learn and share** with other thyroid cancer survivors and families.

**Saturday, April 17, 2010**

**FREE**

8 a.m.—4:30 p.m. — Workshop sessions start at 8:20 a.m.

Kansas City, Missouri

Community Center for Health and Education, St. Joseph Medical Center  
1000 Carondelet Drive (I-435 and State Line), Kansas City, MO

### Medical Professional Speakers plus Resource Specialists

**Uzma Khan, M.D.**, Endocrinologist, University of Missouri Hospital, Columbia, MO

**Paul Ladenson, M.D.**, Endocrinologist, Johns Hopkins U School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD

**Debbie Ritchie, M.S.N., A.P.R.N., BC, FNP**, Advanced ENT Nurse Practitioner, University of Missouri Hospital, Columbia, MO

**Lisa Shnayder, M.D., F.A.C.S.**, Otolaryngologist, U of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS

**...and more medical professionals being confirmed.**

**Plus Edie Dodson**, Genzyme Representative, and ThyCa Support Group Facilitators and Other ThyCa Volunteers

- **Topics:** Thyroid Cancer – All Types: Questions & Answers • Treatment Guidelines Explained • Thyrogen Update • Surgery • Low Iodine Diet • What Nurses Need to Know • Survivor/Caregiver Roundtables
- **Lunch Options.** Cafeteria onsite, and other options within a short driving distance
- **You may come for all or part of the day.** Register either online in advance (after the online form is posted on [www.thyca.org](http://www.thyca.org)) or onsite at the workshop. We welcome walk-in attendees. For more information, e-mail [KC-MO@thyca.org](mailto:KC-MO@thyca.org) or [thyca@thyca.org](mailto:thyca@thyca.org), or call 816-529-6643, or visit ThyCa's web site [www.thyca.org](http://www.thyca.org). Shortly before the workshop, we'll post the day's schedule on [www.thyca.org/conferences.htm](http://www.thyca.org/conferences.htm)
- **Nursing contact hours will be provided by Carondelet Health.**

Carondelet Health is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Missouri Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses' Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

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