

2022 Annual Spring Meeting of Participants- Virtual Registration Policy

The Annual Spring Meeting of Participants is a working meeting of committees designed to bring together as many Canadian Cancer Trials Group (CCTG) participants as possible to discuss the progress of ongoing trials, plan new trials, hear about the latest tools and approaches in cancer clinical research, and determine future research directions for the group.

CCTG site committees – Brain, Breast, Gastrointestinal, Genitourinary, Gynecology, Head and Neck, Hematology, Lung, Melanoma and Sarcoma and the Investigational New Drug (IND) and Supportive Care committees, consisting of representatives from member centres, meet concurrently over the course of the four-day meeting. In addition, Standing Committees (e.g., clinical research associates and Correlative Science Tumour Biology) and CCTG Special events (e.g. Plenary Session and Recognition Awards Ceremony) also meet during this time.

The Annual Spring Meeting of Participants is a **closed** meeting, and you must be eligible to attend. All information discussed at the meeting is considered to be confidential so anyone attending the Annual Spring Meeting of Participants must be registered and sign a confidentiality agreement.

If you are eligible to attend, please go to the tab ‘how to register’ on the Spring Meeting web page and complete the ‘Request An Invitation’. If you have questions, please contact meetings@ctg.queensu.ca.

Following is a list of those people eligible to attend:

- ✓ Members of CCTG trial, disease site, or standing committees, and working groups;
- ✓ Staff at any of our participating member centers (investigators, clinical research associates, pharmacists, administrators, etc.);
- ✓ Invitees to “special meetings” being held during the Annual Spring Meeting;
- ✓ Agency staff such as NCI US, Health Protection Branch of Health Canada (HPB), Food and Drug Administration US (FDA), Cancer Therapy Evaluation Program US (CTEP), Clinical Trials Support Unit (CTSU) ;
- ✓ Other cooperative group members; and,
- ✓ Drug company representatives from those companies who financially support the Annual Spring Meeting (maximum invitations are based on level of Sponsorship) or are conducting a trial with CCTG (CCTG’s discretion).

Following is a general list of those people who are not eligible to register or attend:

- × Media representatives;
- × Patients;
- × Company representatives (e.g. drug companies, biotechnology companies, etc.) who do not meet the criteria above;
- × Lawyers; and,
- × Other individuals who do not meet the “eligible” criteria.