## PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS

# Your Role in Cancer Clinical Trials: Why Cancer Clinical Trials Are Important for My Practice

# **Learning Objectives**

By the end of this course, participants should be able to:

- Define cancer clinical trials, including how they work and their risks and benefits;
- Identify common patient barriers to cancer clinical trials participation;
- Discuss barriers faced by health care providers to making referrals, and explore ways in which these barriers can be overcome;
- Discuss potential importance of health care providers being the first point of contact for patient participation in clinical trials;
- Name at least two sources of additional information about clinical trials; and
- Identify three specific actions providers can take to increase atient access to clinical trials.

# Purpose of Training

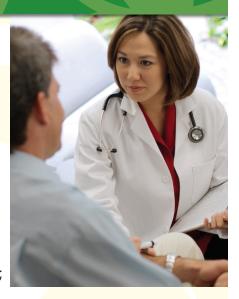
To prompt primary care provider action on:

- referral to local oncologists who participate in clinical trials
- educating patients about the importance of clinical trials as an option for first line treatment
- encouraging patients to ask about clinical trials when presenting to an oncologist

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