

## Maru Barrera-Round 13

### Assessing the Efficacy of a Psychosocial Intervention Program for Siblings of Children with Cancer

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#### **Abstracts and Conference Presentations**

1. SIBLINGS OF CHILDREN WITH CANCER: OUTCOMES OF A LARGE MULTI-SITE INTERVENTION STUDY USING RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL WITH MIXED METHODS. 46th Congress of the International Society of Paediatric Oncology: October 22-25, 2014 (Toronto, Ontario)
2. SIBLINGS OF CHILDREN WITH CANCER: PERCEIVED CHANGES IN THEIR PLACE AND ROLE WITHIN THE FAMILY AFTER CANCER DIAGNOSIS. 46th Congress of the International Society of Paediatric Oncology: October 22-25, 2014 (Toronto, Ontario)
3. HAVING A SIBLING WITH CANCER: EMOTIONAL EXPERIENCE AND GROWTH THROUGHOUT AN 8-WEEK COPING WITH CANCER INTERVENTION. 46th Congress of the International Society of Paediatric Oncology: October 22-25, 2014 (Toronto, Ontario)
4. IMPROVING QUALITY OF LIFE OF SIBLINGS OF CHILDREN WITH CANCER AFTER PARTICIPATION IN A PSYCHOSOCIAL GROUP INTERVENTION: A RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL. 46th Congress of the International Society of Paediatric Oncology: October 22-25, 2014 (Toronto, Ontario)
5. REDUCTION OF ANXIETY LEVELS IN PARENTS AND SIBLINGS OF CHILDREN WITH CANCER AFTER SIBLING. 46th Congress of the International Society of Paediatric Oncology: October 22-25, 2014 (Toronto, Ontario)

#### **Invited Presentations (including Grand Rounds)**

6. Challenges of parenting children with cancer and their siblings. "Sibling Day" Invited keynote speaker. Women and Children's Hospital, Vancouver, October 18, 2014.

#### **Other Knowledge Translation Activities**

7. 2014- Interviewed by a reporter from the Toronto Star about my research funded by The Canadian Cancer Society about Improving Quality of Life in Children with cancer through Psychosocial screening and improved communication with Health Care Providers. Piece to appear in the Supplementary section of the Toronto Star on Dec 2, 2014.
8. 2014 Psychosocial Support for children with cancer, siblings and parents. International Learner program, Sick Kids Hospital. Prepared for a Japanese delegation of oncology nurses, October, 2014.