

The ABC Global Alliance, a multi-stakeholder platform for all those interested in collaborating on common projects relating to advanced breast cancer, invites all interested ABC5 participants to join its meeting.

## MEETING AGENDA

### SATURDAY, 16 NOVEMBER

- 14:30 **Welcome, meeting overview and introduction** (F. Cardoso, PT)
- 14:45 **The ABC Global Alliance: overview of the initiatives implemented** (F. Cardoso, PT)
- 15:10 **Discussion and suggestions for 2020** (Moderators: R. Kaur, MY - K. Pilatti, AU)
- 15:45 **Introduction to the Sunday workshops** (F. Cardoso, PT - L. Fallowfield, UK)
- 16:00 *Coffee break*
- 16:30 **Executive Committee 2019-2021 Election** (F. Cardoso, PT - S. Mertz, US - R. Haidinger, DE)
- 17:00 **Meeting close**

### SUNDAY, 17 NOVEMBER

- 8:30 **Welcome and introduction** (F. Cardoso, PT - L. Fallowfield, UK)
- 8:40 **Workshop** (4 groups) (Moderators: F. Boyle, AU - L. Fallowfield, UK - B. Kiely, AU - L. Travado, PT)
- 10:30 *Coffee break*
- 12:15 **Report back from Groups**
- 13:00 **Meeting close** (F. Cardoso, PT)

## WORKSHOP AIM

The Sunday workshops will be dedicated to discuss important communication issues related to ABC. Four main questions will be asked to all participants:

1. What I wish I'd known about ABC/MBC before my diagnosis
2. Things I still don't understand about ABC and treatment options
3. Things my Health Care Professionals did that a) helped b) didn't help
4. Things friends and family could do to help when you have ABC

In order to allow participant to express their opinions, the audience will be divided in smaller groups and each group will discuss the same questions. Answers will be collected, discussed, taking into account geographical and cultural differences, and conclusions and future actions will be agreed upon.

For further information and registration visit [www.abcgloballiance.org](http://www.abcgloballiance.org) or contact:

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