

Sky Foundation, Inc.

Contact:
Amy Hennes
hennesamy@gmail.com
(248) 961-0644

National Researchers and Local Gastroenterologist Speak at Women's Event supporting Pancreatic Cancer Research

- Sky Foundation's 13th annual Women's Event is April 29
- Program includes a panel of pancreatic cancer survivors
- Proceeds support future research efforts for third deadliest cancer

For Immediate Release – March 22, 2021 – Bloomfield Hills, Mich. – [Sky Foundation's](#) 13th Annual Women's Event will include two keynote presentations by women focused on pancreatic cancer research and a leading, local gastroenterologist that will explain the field and why it is important to have one on your medical team. The virtual event is Thursday, April 29 and 6 p.m.

In 2021, more than 60,000 people in this country will be diagnosed with pancreatic cancer – the third-deadliest cancer. The Women's Event educates the community on this hard-to-diagnose and harder-to-treat cancer. Each year, the event includes research updates and ways to help attendees identify the signs and symptoms of pancreatic cancer.

Presenting at this year's event:

- Eileen Carpenter, MD, PhD, Clinical Instructor, Dept. of Medicine, Division of Gastroenterology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- Nikki Lytle, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellow Gene Expression, Salk Institute for Biological Studies, San Diego
- Eva Hassan Alsheik, MD, Gastroenterologist, Henry Ford Health System

Ticket levels for the Women's Event range from \$35 - \$1000 and include access to a silent auction and ticket raffle. All proceeds support the nonprofit's mission to fund education and research for pancreatic cancer.

Sponsor opportunities are also available.

To register or for more information, visit the [Women's Event website](#).

About Sky Foundation:

Sky Foundation is a 501(c)3 located in Bloomfield Hills, Mich. Sky Foundation's mission is to raise awareness of pancreatic cancer and find an early detection method to increase survival rates and save lives. Each year, it awards grants to scientists and clinicians from coast to coast who are pursuing research of great promise in the areas of early detection, prevention, or treatment. Visit www.skyfoundationinc.org.