Greetings!

Spring is in the air and we hope that you’re doing well! Below is a list of article titles for Prostate Cancer News You Can Use, in addition to a link to the Us TOO web page that provides access to all of the content. We hope that you find the information helpful.

As you may recall, I will be retiring on March 31 after 11 years as president & CEO of Us TOO. The Us TOO Board of Directors has selected Chuck Strand to succeed me as CEO. Chuck has served in various capacities with this organization over the past six years, including his current position as director of marketing and communications. Given his experience, dedication and impact on the organization, the Board and I are confident that Chuck is the right person to lead Us TOO into the future.

Jim Schraidt, an Us TOO board member and Chicago support group leader, was interviewed for an article in CURE magazine. He shares his experience on the importance of making educated decisions on prostate cancer treatment and the value of attending a support group.

Chuck represented Us TOO at the ZERO Prostate Cancer Summit in Washington, D.C., on February 22 – 24. Legislative advocacy was focused on personal constituent visits to the offices of congressmen and congresswomen to encourage their support for securing prostate cancer research funding.

We encourage you to support this initiative by contacting your representatives and senators and asking them to sign onto the “Dear Colleague” letters in support of the Prostate Cancer Research Program at the Department of Defense. Funding for the Prostate Cancer Research Program (PCRP) has produced three drugs for advanced prostate cancer in the last five years. Please CLICK HERE to personalize a form letter to send as an email to your elected officials. While a show of force is important, stories are much more impactful than statistics. So personalizing your communication is extremely important!

Join Us TOO for a free virtual town hall meeting, “Understanding
Research and Treatment for Advanced Prostate Cancer,” on Sunday, April 10, at 11:00 a.m. CST. The event is sponsored by Patient Power and hosted by the Robert H. Lurie Cancer Center at Northwestern Hospital in Chicago. CLICK HERE for registration and more information.

NEWS YOU CAN USE ARTICLES:

Headlines for this month’s prostate cancer News You Can Use articles are as follows. Links to the full text of each article are available at: http://www.ustooevents.org/site/R?i=wtgmR6DzLhiQxVrLmVBBkw.

• New milestone for device that can 'smell' prostate cancer

• Studies from University of Bergen Further Understanding of Prostate Cancer (Metabolic markers in blood can separate prostate cancer from benign...

• Report Summarizes Prostate Cancer Study Findings from Cornell University (TRAIl-coated leukocytes that prevent the bloodborne metastasis of prostate...

• Researchers from University of Maryland School of Medicine Detail Findings in Prostate Cancer (Galeterone and VNPT55 induce proteasomal degradation...

• Researchers at University of Nebraska Medical Center Report New Data on Prostate Cancer (Evaluation of 3 T pelvic MRI imaging in prostate cancer...

• Reports Outline Prostate Cancer Study Findings from Vita-Salute San Raffaele University (Robot-assisted radical prostatectomy in prostate cancer)

• Study Findings on Prostate Cancer Are Outlined in Reports from Indiana University School of Medicine (Prevalence and management of prostate cancer...

• New Prostate Cancer Study Findings Have Been Reported by Researchers at Veterans Affairs Medical Center (Cell Line Modeling to Study Biomarker Panel...

• Prostate cancer survivors' risk of heart disease studied

• New Prostate Cancer Findings from Southern Medical University Discussed (Total triterpenoids from Ganoderma Lucidum suppresses prostate cancer cell...

• Reports Summarize Prostate Cancer Study Results from Johns
Hopkins University (Multidisciplinary Intervention of Early, Lethal Metastatic Prostate...)

• Investigators from China Medical University and Hospital Zero in on Prostate Cancer (Targeting Cancer Stem Cells in Castration-Resistant Prostate...)

• Study Data from University of Sydney Update Understanding of Prostate Cancer (Countries with high circumcision prevalence have lower prostate cancer...)

• Reports from Vancouver Prostate Center Describe Recent Advances in Prostate Cancer (Functional analysis of androgen receptor mutations that confer...

• New Findings on Prostate Cancer Discussed by Researchers at University Health Network (A phase II RCT and economic analysis of three exercise...

• Reports Outline Prostate Cancer Study Findings from University of Occupational and Environmental Health (Novel agents for castration-resistant...

• Data on Prostate Cancer Described by Researchers at Johns Hopkins University (Navigating Treatment of Metastatic Castration-Resistant Prostate...

• Findings from University Clinic Broadens Understanding of Prostate Cancer (Ion therapy of prostate cancer: daily rectal dose reduction by application...

• Findings on Prostate Cancer Discussed by Investigators at University of Chicago (The challenging landscape of medical device approval in localized...

• Findings from National Cancer Institute Reveals New Findings on Prostate Cancer (Clinical Predictors of Fatigue in Men With Non-Metastatic Prostate...

• Data from University of Tokyo Advance Knowledge in Therapeutics (Radical Prostatectomy versus External Beam Radiotherapy for cT1-4N0M0 Prostate...

• Study Findings from Mater Misericordiae University Hospital Broaden Understanding of Prostate Cancer (Improving multivariable prostate cancer risk...

• Findings from RWTH Aachen University in the Area of Prostate Cancer Reported [Efficacy and safety of enzalutamide versus bicalutamide for patients...
• Data on Prostate Cancer Reported by Researchers at Hadassah-Hebrew University Hospital (Impact of Androgen Deprivation Therapy on Sexual and Hormonal...)

• Reports on Prostate Cancer Findings from University of Kentucky Provide New Insights (Multinucleation and Mesenchymal-to-Epithelial Transition...)

• New Findings from F. Ting and Co-Authors Describe Advances in Prostate Cancer (Focal irreversible electroporation for prostate cancer: functional...)

• Study Results from George Washington University Provide New Insights into Prostate Cancer (Male Pattern Baldness in Relation to Prostate...)

• New Prostate Cancer Findings Reported from University Hospital (Robotic-assisted radical prostatectomy is less stressful than the open approach:...)

You’ll receive the April 2016 issue of the Hot SHEET later this month and another update on prostate cancer News You Can Use in about four weeks.

All the best,

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