SHARED-CARE OF SURVIVORSHIP MODEL

Care for all survivors is coordinated between oncology specialist, and PCP generalists *Without Transition to PCP*

- Follow-up care occurs in oncology setting
- Can be implemented at a cancer center, community hospital, or private practice

With Transition to PCP

- Follow-up care occurs in oncology setting in coordination with PCP
- At a predetermined time, care is transitioned to the PCP only
- Consultation with the oncology specialists occurs as needed

Without Transition	
Advantages	Disadvantages
 Survivor continues to benefit from specialists in managing long-term and late effects Works well for survivors with ongoing, complicated cancer-related health issues 	 Resource intensive since survivors require time, expertise, and a strong infrastructure of communication between specialist and PCP Often roles are not clearly delineated resulting in care that is omitted or duplicated
With Transition	
Advantages	Disadvantages
 Survivor continues to benefit from specialists when at highest risk of recurrence Works well for patients with limited risk of late effects Focus is on wellness rather than disease Promotes independence and allows focus on comorbidities—important in the elderly 	 Late involvement of primary care with resulting loss of trust for primary are ability to manage beyond transition period Challenging to coordinate transition appointments Loss of expertise to manage late effects