



Tex Us TOO, Inc.

Prostate Cancer Education and Support

HOUSTON, TEXAS, CHAPTER (MEMBER OF US TOO INTERNATIONAL)

SOMEONE TO TALK TO... WHO UNDERSTANDS

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

Date: Monday, May 8, 2017

Time: 7:00 P.M

Place: St. Luke's United Methodist Church, 3471 Westheimer at Edloe (between Buffalo Speedway and Wesleyan).

Topic: "Advanced Diagnostic Imaging for Prostate Cancer."

Speaker: Xavier Garcia-Rojas, MD, PhD, Diplomate of the American Board of Radiology

Agenda: The speaker's presentation will be followed by an informal meeting with chapter members, to discuss personal prostate cancer questions and issues.

Getting There: Park behind the Church. Enter through front center brick portico. Proceed ahead down Fellowship Walk to its end, turn left and find the Parlor at the end of corridor. (EN103/B145). There is no charge. Spouses are encouraged to attend. (Refreshments will be served).

Tex US TOO is a prostate cancer support group for the purpose of sharing information, education, experiences and mutual support. WE DO NOT DISPENSE MEDICAL ADVICE

Dr. Xavier Garcia-Rojas is a board-certified radiologist affiliated with Laser Prostate Centers of America. His interests are focused on image-guided therapies, tumor ablation, and medical technology innovation. He received his MD from Baylor College of Medicine, PhD in radiological sciences from the University of Texas, and MBA from Rice University. His diagnostic radiology residency was at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. In addition, he completed dual fellowships in abdominal imaging and image-guided therapy at the National Center for Image Guided Therapy at Harvard Medical School, and also completed a Biodesign Innovation Fellowship at the Texas Medical Center Innovation Institute. He is co-founder and chief medical officer at IntuiTap Medical, Inc. With Laser Prostate Centers of America, he offers focal ablation therapies for localized prostate cancer. Dr. Garcia-Rojas is fluent in English and Spanish.

Tex Us TOO Information Sharing:

Annual Dad's Day 5K 3K 1K



- **Our 18th Annual Dad's Day 5K Run/Walk will take place on Saturday, June 17th, at 7:30 AM.** The race will begin and end at the Wortham Theatre in downtown Houston. For detailed information please visit www.dadsday5k.org ***Jerry Boldra & Jim Brandt, our 5K Run/Walk coordinators, encourage our membership to sign up to***

volunteer on Race Day. Please contact: JerryBoldra@yahoo.com, 713-253-2882, or jimshbrand@sbcglobal.net 713-682-5623.

Examples of Volunteer opportunities:

	Before	Race Day	After
Light Duty	Shirt folding	Dedication bibs Packet pickup	Shirt counting
Medium Duty	Packet Pickup	Water stations	Inventory post race supplies
Heavy Duty	Load supplies	Equipment setup Food & water unloading Load/unload supplies	Load/unload supplies

NOTES AND QUOTES

From Us TOO International: Looking for Recently Diagnosed Metastatic Castrate-Resistant Patients.

We are currently working with Marsha Faltings who is conducting a research project to identify patients who have been recently diagnosed with metastatic castrate-resistant prostate cancer (mCRPC).

We have worked with Marsha on other projects and can assure you that she and her team are always mindful of the patient's needs and understand how valuable your time is. The interviewer is very compassionate when speaking with patients and at no time you will be asked anything that would make you feel uncomfortable.

The purpose of the study is to better understand the everyday lives of people living with mCRPC.

This interview will take place over the phone but you will need to have access to a computer at the same time.

Those who qualify will be reimbursed \$200 which will be received within 5-6 business days after the interview. Marsha will also make a donation to Us TOO International.

Qualifications:

1. All patients must reside in the United States and be between the ages of 18-79.
2. Patient must have been told by a medical professional that their condition will no longer respond to hormone therapy (also known as CASTRATE RESISTANT).
3. Patient must have had confirmation that their condition has spread to other parts of his body (also known as METASTATIC).
4. Patient has received diagnosis within the past 12 months.

This information is to be considered confidential, so please DO NOT post on Facebook or any other social media outlet. If you or anyone you know is interested and might qualify for the study, please contact: Marsha Faltings at 570-216-4222, or 732-239-0155, 7 days a week, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 PM, Eastern Time. Thank you for your time and consideration to help with this important research!

***"If I Have Seen Further it is by Standing on the Shoulders of Giants."* --Sir Issac Newton**