American Cancer Society Appoints Fatima Scipione to Eastern New England Area Board of Directors

Boston, Mass. – The American Cancer Society (ACS) has appointed **Fatima Scipione** to its Eastern New England Area Board of Directors, adding one of healthcare's leading voices in patient-centered innovation to its volunteer leadership.

For more than 25 years, Scipione has been at the forefront of advancing Patient Affairs as a strategic discipline that informs research, healthcare delivery, and organizational decision-making. Her leadership has demonstrated how patient experience is translated into evidence, strategy, and action that accelerates innovation, improves care, and expands what is possible for patients and families.

Scipione currently serves as vice president of Global Patient Affairs at Blueprint Medicines, a Sanofi company, where she leads the company's global patient strategy across rare disease and oncology.

"Throughout my career, I have had the privilege of working alongside patients, families, advocates, clinicians, and researchers who have reminded me that every scientific advance ultimately has one purpose: to improve people's lives. The American Cancer Society has been a trusted source of hope, progress, and support for generations of patients and families. It is an honor to join the Eastern New England Area Board and work alongside fellow board members to help advance a mission that has changed countless lives and will continue to shape the future of cancer care," said Scipione.

“We are grateful to welcome a true leader in the patient advocacy industry to our board of directors. Fatima has served as a bridge between organizations and the communities they seek to serve, bringing patients, advocates, healthcare professionals, researchers, and industry leaders together around shared challenges and opportunities,” explained Michael Duff, senior individual giving director at the American Cancer Society. “Patient support is at the forefront of our mission; through our Hope Lodge, Road to Recovery, and 24/7 Helpline programs, we know with Fatima’s assistance, we will be one step closer to ending cancer as we know it, for everyone.

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About the American Cancer Society

The American Cancer Society is a leading cancer-fighting organization with a vision to end cancer as we know it, for everyone. For more than 100 years, we have been improving the lives of people with cancer and their families as the only organization combating cancer through advocacy, research, and patient support. We are committed to ensuring everyone has an opportunity to prevent, detect, treat, and survive cancer. To learn more, visit cancer.org or call our 24/7 helpline at 1-800-227-2345. Connect with us on Facebook and Instagram.