

SAVING LIVES BY INCREASING AWARENESS OF CANCER-ASSOCIATED THROMBOSIS (CAT)



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ROOM A3F383, EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT
Hosted by MEP Deirdre Clune (EPP, IE)



MARKING WORLD THROMBOSIS DAY, the European Cancer Patient Coalition (ECPC) will launch the report of the first survey ever on awareness of Cancer-Associated Thrombosis among cancer patients.



Patients suffering from cancer have a 4x higher risk of developing blood clots than the general population¹



72%

Preliminary results indicate that 72% of cancer patients were not aware of their increased risk of developing thrombosis



LET'S DISCUSS WITH:

- **MEP Deirdre Clune**, EPP, IE
- **Anna Falanga, MD**, Chairman, European Thrombosis and Haemostasis Alliance
- **Lydia Makaroff**, Director, European Cancer Patient Coalition
- **MEP Lieve Wierinck**, ALDE, BE
- **Dr. Fionnuala Ní Ainle**, MD, PhD, Member, World Thrombosis Day Steering Committee
- **A former CAT patient**

¹ Trujillo-Santos J, Martos FM, Font C, Farge-Bancel D, Rosa V, Lorenzo A, Barrón M, Lorente MA, Pedrajas JM, Monreal M. Heliyon. 2017 Jan 16;3(1):e00229. doi: 10.1016/j.heliyon.2016.e00229. eCollection 2017 Jan.



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