

# INTERNATIONAL METABOLIC CONFERENCE

FOR FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS IMPACTED  
BY FATTY ACID OXIDATION DISORDERS

## 2024 AGENDA

Friday, July 26, 2024

	MAIN SESSION	TEEN TIME	ALTERNATE SESSION
12:30 PM	<b>Afternoon registration</b>		
4:00 PM	<b>Welcome/ Opening</b> Kira Mann, CEO, MitoAction		
4:15 PM	<b>FAOD Therapy Updates</b> Jerry Vockley, MD, PhD, UPMC		
5:15 PM	<b>Cyclic Vomiting: What is the connection with FAOD and mitochondria?</b> Richard Boles, MD, NeurAbilities Healthcare		
5:45 PM	<b>Roundtable Discussions:</b> <b>The Early Years: Newborn- Preschool</b> <b>Elementary Adventures with FAODs</b> <b>Understanding Middle and High School Years</b> <b>Adulting with FAODs</b> <b>Dads Sharing with Dads</b> FAOD Conference Committee Members	<b>Understanding our Journeys:</b> Jerry Vockley, MD, PhD, and Keith McIntire, INFORM Program Manager	
6:30 PM	<b>FAOD Fun Night: Dinner, Kickball, and Snowcones!</b>		

Saturday, July 27, 2024

	MAIN SESSION	TEEN TIME	ALTERNATE SESSION
8:00 AM	<b>Doors Open/ Continental Breakfast Available at Detroit Country Day School</b>		
9:15 AM	<b>Morning Report</b> Kira Mann, CEO, MitoAction		
9:30 AM	<b>FAOD Cooking 101</b> Glenn Noffsinger, Chef and Consultant, Noffsinger Ventures INC	Teen Room Open	<b>Roundtable for Clinicians</b> Jerry Vockley, MD, PhD, UPMC
10:30 AM	<b>Break with snacks</b>	Teen Room Open	
10:45 AM	<b>Logic, Benefit, Harm: Understanding Vitamins and Supplements</b> Melanie Gillingham, PhD, RD, LD, OHSU	Teen Room Open	
11:30 AM	<b>Who's Who and What's What: Navigating Hospitalizations for Pediatric and Adult Patients</b> Amanda Pritchard, MD, UofM	<b>Navigating Adolescence: A Discussion for Teens about Puberty and Wellness</b> Jessica Gold, MD, PhD and Alex Salser, LCHADD Young Adult	<b>Culinary Knife Skills 101 (limited to first 5-6 people)</b> Glenn Noffsinger, Chef and Consultant, Noffsinger Ventures INC
12:15 PM	<b>Lunch</b>		
1:30 PM	<b>Building and Maintaining Strength with an FAOD</b> Pamela Tucker, PT, DPT, Upstate Medical Univ Hospital		
2:00 PM	<b>Techniques in Strength Training: Clinic</b> Pamela Tucker, PT, DPT, Upstate Medical Univ Hospital		
2:45 PM	<b>FAODs, Puberty, and Reproductive Health</b> Jessica Gold, MD, PhD, Northwell Health	<b>Culinary Knife Skills 101</b> with Chef Noffsinger!	<b>Navigating the Early Years</b> Dr. Priestley, MD, PhD, MSU

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3:30 PM	<p><b>Topical Roundtable Discussions: Culinary Knife Skills 101 (limited to 5 participants)</b> Glenn Noffsinger, Chef and Consultant, Noffsinger Ventures INC</p> <p><b>Dads Sharing with Dads</b> Ryan Harry, LCHADD Parent</p> <p><b>FAODs, Puberty, and Reproductive Health discussion for parents and caregivers</b> Jessica Gold, MD, PhD, Northwell Health</p> <p><b>Navigating School with FAODs: Talking to Teachers and Classmates</b> Jessica Priestley, MD, PhD MSU, Christy Abrams, LCHADD Parent</p> <p><b>How do you Deal with the Mental/Emotional Fatigue of Having a Chronic Health Condition?</b> Yi Tak (Daisy) Tsang, PhD, LPU-M</p> <p><b>Things that Only Parents Know: "Weird" Symptoms, Daily Tips and Tricks</b> Sharickah Rogers, LPC, VLCADD Parent, Jayleigh Grose, LCHADD Parent</p> <p><b>Athletic Participation- Breaking Down Barriers to Being Active</b> Pamela Tucker, PT, DPT, Upstate Medical Univ Hospital, Elizabeth Ames, MD PhD U-M, Stephanie Harry, LCHADD Parent</p>	<p><b>Teen and Young Adult Roundtable: Thinking about food as you transition into adulthood</b> Melanie Gillingham, PhD, RD, LD, OHSU</p>	
4:15 PM	<b>Break</b>		
4:30 PM	<b>Sponsor Update</b>		
4:45 PM	<p><b>Expert Panel</b> Glenn Noffsinger, Chef, Consultant Noffsinger, Ventures INC, Melanie Gillingham, PhD, RD, LDOHSU, Amanda Pritchard, MDU-M, Dr. Priestley, MD, PhD MSU, Pamela Tucker, PT, DPT, Upstate Medical Univ Hospital, Jessica Gold, MD, PhD Northwell Health, Jerry Vockley, MD, Ph DUPMC</p>		
5:45 PM	<b>GROUP PICTURE</b>		
6:00 PM	<p><b>Dinner (on your own)</b> Grab a new FAOD friend, check out our list of local restaurants and enjoy the down time!</p>		

Sunday, July 28, 2024

	MAIN SESSION	TEEN TIME	ALTERNATE SESSION
8:00 AM	<b>Doors Open/ Continental Breakfast Available at Detroit Country Day School</b>		
9:15 AM	<b>Morning Report</b> Kira Mann, CEO, MitoAction	Teen Room Open	
9:30 AM	<b>Story Moments: Hearing From You! A non-traditional Family/Patient Panel</b> Stephanie Harry, Patient Support Coordinator, MitoAction, Patient Community		
10:30 AM	<b>Hospital Woes: Understanding Medical Trauma and Resilience</b> Yi Tak (Daisy) Tsang, PhD, LPU-M	Teen Room Open	
11:15 AM	<b>Break</b>	Teen Room Open	
11:30 AM	<b>Using Mouse Models to Study LCHADD Chorioretinopathy and Other FAODs</b> Shannon Babcock, PhD, OHSU	Teen Room Open	<b>Tips and Tricks for the MCADD Cook!</b> Glenn Noffsinger, Chef, Consultant Noffsinger, Ventures INC
12:15 PM	<b>Lunch</b>		
1:00 PM	<b>FAOD: The Effect on Families and Food Relationships</b> Georgianne Arnold, MD, Emeritus of Pitt/VMP Genetics	Teen Room Open	
1:45 PM	<b>Conference Survey</b>		
2:00 PM	<b>Understanding Rhabdomyolysis</b> Erin Neil, MDU-M	Teen Room Open	
2:45 PM	<b>Clinician Panel</b> Yi Tak (Daisy) Tsang, PhD, LPU-M Georgianne Arnold, MD, Emeritus of Pitt/VMP Genetics Melanie Gillingham, PhD, RD, LD, OHSU Jerry Vockley, MD, PhD, UPMC Erin Neil Knierbein, DO, UofM		
3:30 AM	<b>Closing Slideshow</b>		