

2021 Marrow Failure and Myelodysplasia Virtual Patient and Family Conference

Saturday April 17th, 2021 - 8:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

We are pleased to invite you to this interactive meeting. It is an ideal opportunity to learn, network with other families and meet experts in the field.

This meeting is for patients and families with bone marrow failure disorders and myelodysplastic syndrome, physicians, other health-care workers, fellows, residents and all others who are interested in the field. Children and Adult patients are invited.

Conference agenda

Overview and new developments related to the conditions and their treatments; transition of paediatric patients to care in adult centres; information about Canadian treatment centres and support groups; raising awareness; new research to understand the diseases and develop new treatments in Canada and abroad.

Speaker list

Physicians, scientists, research students, nurses, social workers, genetic counsellor, patient and family representatives

Examples of bone marrow failure and myelodysplastic disorders relevant to the conference:

- Aplastic anemia • Fanconi anemia • Shwachman-Diamond syndrome • Dyskeratosis congenita
- Congenital amegakaryocytic thrombocytopenia • Familial thrombocytopenia with predisposition to leukemia • GATA2-related disorders
- Diamond Blackfan anemia • Sideroblastic anemia
- Congenital neutropenia (e.g. Kostmann neutropenia) • Cyclic neutropenia • Myelokathexis
- Glycogen storage disease type Ib • Barth's syndrome
- Thrombocytopenia with absent radii • Familial or hereditary thrombocytopenia
- Myelodysplastic syndrome (familial MDS/leukemia, de novo MDS, therapy-related MDS)
- Other bone marrow failure syndromes

Children are welcome!

The conference is free! You can attend and watch the sessions from home.

For details and to register at no charge please visit our website



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Virtual attendance through webcasting will be provided. Early registration is recommended!

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