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About Congenital Hyperinsulinism International

Congenital Hyperinsulinism International (CHI) is a grassroots organization founded in 2005 by concerned parents of children with HI. CHI is dedicated to improving the lives of babies, children and adults living with congenital hyperinsulinism. CHI families are committed to providing education, information and support to those living with the disease. CHI also advocates for better treatments and access to care. Finally, CHI supports medical research for improved therapies and potential cures. CHI is supported in its work by a Scientific Advisory Group comprised of 11 of the leading HI world specialists.



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Fourth Congenital Hyperinsulinism Family Conference

March 17 and 18, 2012



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What

Congenital Hyperinsulinism International (CHI) and The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia invite you to the Fourth Congenital Hyperinsulinism Family Conference.

This is your opportunity to hear from world-renowned physicians and researchers who treat children with congenital hyperinsulinism, and to meet and share experiences with other families who have a child with HI.

There will be sessions on:

- Treatment updates
- HI research
- Genetics of HI
- Growth and development for children with HI
- Management of HI at school and at home
- Transitioning to adulthood/adult life with HI
- Impact of diagnosis on families

Confirmed speakers are:

Sir Albert Aynsley-Green, M.D., D.Phil.
University College London, London, England

Winfried Barthlen, M.D.
Greifswald University Hospital, Greifswald, Germany

Diva De León-Crutchlow, M.D.
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia's Congenital Hyperinsulinism Center

Khalid Hussain, M.B., Ch.B., M.Sc., M.D.
UCL Institute of Child Health and Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children, London, England

Klaus Mohnike, M.D.
Magdeburg University Children's Hospital, Magdeburg Germany

Charles Stanley, M.D.
The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia's Congenital Hyperinsulinism Center

Paul Thornton, M.D.
Cook Children's Medical Center, Fort Worth, Texas

Adjoining the conference rooms will be a large room for children to play. We will make every effort to have volunteers help staff this room. However, families should also be ready to pitch in. There will also be a teen and young adult program.

Where

The conference will be held at the Ruth and Tristram Colket, Jr. Translational Research Building, the newest building on CHOP's Main Campus.

You can stay at the nearby Sheraton Philadelphia University City Hotel. CHI has reserved a block of rooms at a discounted rate of \$119 per night (plus tax). Call the Sheraton directly at 1-888-627-7071 to make hotel reservations. To get the discount rate, reserve before Feb. 15, 2012, and mention the HI Family Conference.

When

Join us beginning in the morning of Saturday, March 17, and stay through the afternoon of Sunday, March 18, 2012.

Cost

The registration fee for the conference is \$75 per adult, which includes program registration, continental breakfast and lunch both days, and dinner on Saturday evening. The registration fee for children under 12 is \$50 and includes the conference meals. Children under 3 are free.

Attendance is limited to the first 150 people, so don't delay in sending in your completed form.



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The Colket Translational Research Building at
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March 17 and 18, 2012

Registration Fee: \$75 per Adult*, \$50 per Child**

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ ZIP code _____

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Phone _____

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Total attending _____ Amount enclosed _____

Please make checks payable to:

Congenital Hyperinsulinism International,
and send the form and check to:

Julie Raskin
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P.O. Box 135
Glen Ridge, NJ 07028

Questions? Feel free to call Julie Raskin at 973-544-8372 or email: jaskin@congenitalhi.org

**Actual costs of the meeting and dinner are significantly more than \$75 per person. Through grants and generous discounts, CHI is able to charge \$75 per adult.*

***Please include ages of children, if they will be accompanying you. Children under 3 are free.*