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TARGET AUDIENCE

The target audience for this event is psychiatrists, primary care and family practice physicians, pediatricians, psychologists, nursing professionals, social workers, school mental health counselors, and other mental health, primary care and pediatric clinicians.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:

• Assess for autism in clinically referred populations.

• Analyze the significant presence of various psychiatric disorders in individuals with autism and corresponding treatments.

• Discuss the clinical applicability of the latest advances in neuroimaging, genetics, and treatment research in autism.

FACULTY DISCLOSURE

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I will bring back information from this wonderful seminar to my colleagues.
TOP REASONS NOT TO MISS THIS CONFERENCE

Advance your clinical knowledge, hear the latest research, and ENHANCE YOUR CLINICAL SKILLS for all treatment modalities: pharmacologic strategies, behavioral interventions, and alternative therapies.

Find interactive sessions, panel discussions, and HANDS-ON GUIDANCE from two dozen faculty who lead advances in research and clinical care.

NETWORK WITH RENOWNED EXPERTS on diagnosis and treatment, neuroimaging, genetics, psychiatric comorbidities, and more.

Focus on MULTIDISCIPLINARY STRATEGIES to improve care for patients with ASD in schools, hospitals, private practices, clinics, and more.

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Terrific experience. Tremendous amount of information I’ll be reviewing and researching for some time.”
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7:00am Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:00am Welcome – Joseph Biederman, MD
8:15am Introduction and Overview – Gagan Joshi, MD

Module Topic – Diagnosis and Dilemmas
8:35am Prevalence of Autism Spectrum Disorder in Intellectually Capable Populations – Young Shin Kim, MD, MS, MPH, PhD
8:55am DSM-V Diagnostic Approach to Autism Spectrum Disorder – Walter Kaufmann, MD
9:15am Autism Plus Versus Autism Pure – Christopher Gillberg, MD
9:35am Panel Discussion – Moderator: Gagan Joshi, MD – Panelists: Young Shin Kim, MD, MS, MPH, PhD; Walter Kaufmann, MD; Christopher Gillberg, MD
10:15am Coffee Break
10:55am Lunch (On your own)
11:15am Panel Discussion – Moderator: Joseph Biederman, MD – Panelists: Young Shin Kim, MD, MS, MPH, PhD; Walter Kaufmann, MD; Christopher Gillberg, MD
11:55am Lunch (On your own)

Module Topic – Psychological Interventions
1:10pm Targeted Treatments for Core Deficits in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder – Connie Kasari, PhD
1:30pm Cognitive-Behavior Therapy for Autism Spectrum Disorder – Aude Henin, PhD
1:50pm Social Skills Training for Youth with High-Functioning Autism Spectrum Disorder – Scott McLeod, PhD
2:10pm Coordinated Multiagency Community Programs for ASD – Joaquin Fuentes, MD
2:30pm Panel Discussion – Moderator: Connie Kasari, PhD – Panelists: Aude Henin, PhD; Scott McLeod, PhD; Joaquin Fuentes, MD
3:00pm Coffee Break

Module Topic – Psychopharmacologic Interventions
3:20pm Recent RUPP Studies on the Psychopharmacology for Autism Spectrum Disorder – Christopher J. McDougle, MD
3:40pm Pharmacologic Treatment of Social Cognition in Autism – Gagan Joshi, MD
4:20pm Panel Discussion – Moderator: Christopher J. McDougle, MD – Panelists: James McCracken, MD; Christopher J. McCracken, MD; Gagan Joshi, MD
5:00pm Ask the Experts Panel Discussion – Joseph Biederman, MD; Gagan Joshi, MD; James McCracken, MD; Christopher J. McDougle, MD; Janet Wozniak, MD
5:30pm Adjourn

*Session is eligible for risk management credit

SUNDAY, JULY 12, 2015

7:30am Continental Breakfast

Module Topic – Promise of Neuroimaging for Clinical Practice
8:00am Spectroscopic Neuroimaging in Autism – Gagan Joshi, MD
8:20am Functional Neuroimaging in Autism – Susan Whitfield-Gabrieli
8:40am Role of MEG in Examining Neural Basis of ASD & Psychopathology – Tal Kenet, PhD
9:00am Panel Discussion – Moderator: James McCracken, MD – Panelists: Tal Kenet, PhD; Susan Whitfield-Gabrieli; Gagan Joshi, MD
9:30am Coffee Break

Module Topic – Psychiatric Comorbidity
9:50am ADHD – Gagan Joshi, MD
10:10am Anxiety Disorders and Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder – Daniel A. Geller, MD
10:30am Bipolar Disorder – Janet Wozniak, MD
10:50am Distinguishing Emotional Regulation from Mood Disorders – Joseph Biederman, MD
11:10am Psychosis – Christopher Gillberg, MD
11:30am Panel Discussion – Moderator: Janet Wozniak, MD – Panelists: Gagan Joshi, MD; Joseph Biederman, MD; Daniel Geller, MD; Christopher Gillberg, MD
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