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Expanding Boundaries: A Global Approach to Epilepsy Management
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Opening Ceremony: Chairperson: Senator Professor Emeritus Sir Henry S Fraser

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Identification of the Epilepsies: Syndromes, Constellations and Medical Management

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Initial Management of Common Focal and Generalized Epilepsy Syndromes and Constellations

Dr. Dave Clarke, Associate Professor of Pediatric Neurology, UT-Austin, Dell Medical School, Austin
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How Pharma Studies Translate from Adults to Kids

Dr. O'Neil D. Cruz, Chief Medical Officer (Neuromodulation) LivaNova, Inc.

Epileptic Encephalopathies and other Progressive Epilepsy Syndromes

Epileptic Encephalopathies: A Translational Perspective

Dr. Morris Scantlebury, Assistant Professor, Cummings School of Medicine, University of Calgary, Department of Pediatrics, Clinical Neuroscience & Alberta Children's Hospital Research Institute (ACHRI)

Status Epilepticus and the EEG

Dr. Lawrence Hirsch, Professor of Neurology
Chief, Division of Epilepsy and EEG; Co-Director, Yale Comprehensive Epilepsy Center; Co-Director, Critical Care EEG Monitoring Program
Yale University

Lesional Causes of Epilepsy: A Radiological Perspective

Dr. Harry Chugani, Professor of Pediatrics, Neurology and Radiology, Rosen Family Chair in Tourettes Syndrome,
Director, Pediatric Neurology at Children's Hospital of Michigan

Stroke and Epilepsy

Dr. Julien Joux, Neurologist
Director, Stroke and Neurovascular Unit , CHUM - Centre hospitalier universitaire de Martinique

Autoimmune Encephalitis in Children

Dr. Ruth Williams, Consultant Pediatric Neurologist with Special Interests in Epilepsy and Neurodegenerative diseases,
The Evelina Children's Hospital. United Kingdom

Supportive Infrastructure for Patients with Epilepsy

Design on a new onset seizure clinic

Dr. Bernard Pohlmann-Eden, Professor of Neurology, Pharmacology & Psychology, Co-Director Epilepsy Program
Dalhousie University of Halifax

A Comprehensive Epilepsy Clinic: The Necessities

Dr. Anup Patel, Pediatric Neurologist, Director, Nationwide Children’s clinical Neurophysiology
Nationwide Children's Hospital
Panel Discussion: Why Is Neuropsychological Support Needed in Epilepsy Care in the Developing World

Drs. Tamika Haynes Robinson, Neuropsychologist, Secretary - Epilepsy Society of the Caribbean
Dr. Toni Nicholls, Clinical Neuropsychologist, Riverside Medical Center
Dr. Jeffrey Titus, Pediatric Neuropsychologist, Dell Children’s Medical Center of Central Texas

Building a Provincial/Regional Network: Lessons from Ontario

Dr. O’ Carter Snead, Senior Scientist and Director, Research Program in Brain and Behavior, The Hospital for Sick Children, Professor, Departments of Pediatrics, Pharmacology, and Medicine (Neurology), University of Toronto, Bloorview Children’s Hospital Foundation Chair in Paediatric Neuroscience, Clinician-Scientist

Who Needs a Neurologist Anyway: A Seizure Plan for Hospital Care

Dr. Meena Iyer, Dell Children’s Medical Center Pediatrics Hospitalist, Assistant Professor, UT-Austin, Dell Medical School
Dr. Angela Jennings, Consultant at Queen Elizabeth Hospital

How Do We Engage Regional Governments in the Caribbean

Ambassador Aubrey Webson, Permanent Representative and Ambassador to the United Nations - Antigua and Barbuda

Common and Novel Approaches to Care

Historical Series – the History of Epilepsy in Caribbean Children

Professor Robert Gray, Retired- Professor of Child Neurology and Director, Pediatric Neurology Program, Mona -University of West Indies

Debate: Spend Now, Save Later: Is Laser Ablation and Minimally Invasive Surgery the Way to Go; Which procedure(s) should or could be done in the developing world

Dr. Mark Lee, Neurosurgeon, Dell Children’s Comprehensive Epilepsy Program
Dr. Renn Holness, Neurosurgeon, Halifax, Novia Scotia
Professor of Neurosurgery and Director of Surgical Education, Dalhousie University

Alternative Treatments: Diets and Neurostimulation

Dr. Eric Kossoff, Professor, Neurology and Pediatrics, Medical Director, Ketogenic Diet Center, Director, Pediatric Neurology Residency Program, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine
Rattle and Role: Physiological versus Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Spells

Dr. Lionel Carmant, Associate Professor, Department of Pediatrics of the Faculty of Medicine, The Université de Montréal

Pluses and Minuses of Implementing the Ketogenic Diet in the Caribbean

Dr. Judy Tapper, Consultant, Pediatric Neurologist, Bustamante Hospital, Kingston, Jamaica

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**Ramifications of Poor Care**

Impact of the ESC Caribbean Epilepsy Clinic: Change in Clinical Care?

Dr. Natalie Dick, Specialist Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician
Consultant Pediatrician (On Call Services) - Neonatal ICU, Mt Hope Women's Hospital, Associate Lecturer in Child Health - UWI (St Augustine)
Dep't of Pediatrics

Stigma of Epilepsy in Cuba: A Comparison from 30 Years to Now

Dr. Nicolas Garofalo Gomez, Neurologist, Institute of Neurology and Neurosurgery, Cuba

Theories of Economics Applied to Choosing AEDs: Even More Relevant in Under-Resourced Areas

Dr. Amza Ali, Consultant Neurologist,
Epilepsy Center of Jamaica, Andrews Memorial Hospital,
Senior Associate Lecturer- University of the West Indies- Mona

Disparities in Epilepsy Care including stigma

Jorge G Burneo, Associate Professor of Neurology and Epidemiology,
Co-Director, Epilepsy Program Western University, Medical Director,
EEG Laboratory, London Health Sciences Center, University Hospital, London, ON, Canada

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**Concurrent Workshops and Poster Presentations**

Electroencephalography Workshop

Dr. Elia M. Pestana Knight, Staff Physician, Epilepsy Center / Neurological Institute, Cleveland Clinic and Dr. Jorge Viddaure, Clinical Neurophysiologist, Nationwide Children's Hospital

Ketogenic Diet Workshop

Karrie Stuhlsatz, Clinical Dietitian Specialist, Dell Children’s Medical Center of Central Texas and, Dr. Ruth Williams, Consultant Paediatric Neurologist with Special Interests in Epilepsy and Neurodegenerative diseases, The Evelina Children’s Hospital, London England