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FSHD Virtual Family Day
Saturday, February 20, 2021

Update on Clinical and Basic Research

The Fields Center for FSHD & Neuromuscular Research and the FSH Society
invite you to join us for the
2021 FSHD Virtual Family Day

Saturday, February 20, 2021
8:45 a.m. to 2:10 p.m. EST
Virtual Meeting using Zoom Cloud Meeting

Our FSHD partnership – researchers, clinicians, individuals with FSHD and family members - has come a long. Please join us to hear internationally respected experts report back to you - telling you what we’ve learned, where we are and where we are heading. We’ll touch on progress in the clinic, in the laboratories, and on the bridge from research to practice. Come and join us.
Featuring Presentations By:

Rabi Tawil, MD
University of Rochester
“Getting ready for upcoming clinical trials”

Scott Harper, PhD
Ohio State University
“Promising new FSHD therapies focused on blocking the DUX4 gene”

Leo Wang, MD
University of Washington
“Tracking FSHD disease progression with MRI”

Beth Johnston
FSHD Society
“FSHD Society Community Updates”

Lexi Pappas
Patient Advocate

Katy Eichinger, P.T., PhD
University of Rochester
“Physical Therapy and FSHD”

And “Ask the Experts” panel discussions, led by scientists, clinicians, individuals with FSHD and family members to answer your questions about FSHD.

During our day together, we will discuss the most current information of interest to people with FSHD and their family members, including research studies and current and future therapeutic trials.

We ask that you begin logging into Zoom by 8:30 a.m. EST. The conference begins at 8:45 a.m. EST.

*Please note that this session will be recorded. Names and faces may be part of this recording.*

REGISTER NOW:
For additional information or to register by phone, please call Karen Lee at 585.275.3614 or email us at FieldsCenter@urmc.rochester.edu.

You will receive an email from the Fields Center on Wednesday, February 17th that will contain the Zoom meeting details with the link and call-in details if needed.

Please feel free to submit any questions that you would like to ask any of the presenters when you register as we will feature these questions during the meeting between presenters or at the Question and Answer session.

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