

The Spectrum of Developmental Disabilities XLVII:
Critical Issues in Diagnosis and Management
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Speaker	Session	Relevant Financial Relationship	Relevant Nonfinancial Relationship	Honoraria
Eric Chin, MD	Welcome with Conference Goals	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Assistant Professor of Pediatrics & Neurology Kennedy Krieger Institute Assistant Professor of Pediatrics & Neurology - Johns Hopkins School of Medicine	\$0
Bradley Schlaggar, MD, PhD	Welcome with Conference Goals	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	President & CEO - Kennedy Krieger Institute Professor of Neurology and Pediatrics, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine	\$0
Brenda Banwell, MD	Welcome with Conference Goals	Yes Biogen Idec (Consulting Fee) Novartis AG (Consulting Fee) Roche (Consulting Fee) Sanofi-Aventis (Consulting Fee) TEVA (Consulting Fee)	Pediatrician-in-Chief and Co-Director - Johns Hopkins Children's Center Professor of Pediatrics, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	\$0
Paul Lipkin, MD	Moderator, Foundations	Yes Sarepta, Inc. (Advisor) Benten Technologies (Consulting Fee)	Professor of Pediatrics Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and Kennedy Krieger Institute	\$0
Mary O'Connor Leppert, MB BCh	The Medical Home for Children Born Preterm	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Kennedy Krieger Institute and Johns Hopkins School of Medicine	\$0
Celinda Carr LCSW-C, CCM	Coordinating Person-Centered Care for Children with Special Health Care Needs	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300

Miya Asato, MD	Do We Have Enough Providers to Care for Children with Neurodevelopmental Disabilities?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Vice President of Training, Kennedy Krieger Institute Associate Professor of Neurology and Pediatrics, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine	\$0
Emily Arneson	Developmental Disabilities on Capitol Hill: The Policy Landscape in 2026 and Critical Issues	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Assistant Vice President of Government Relations, Kennedy Krieger Institute	\$0
Eliza Gordon-Lipkin, MD	Moderator, Early Detection, Early Intervention, and Prevention: Challenges and Opportunities	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Ann P. Kaiser, PhD	Early Intervention: to What End?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Catherine Limperopoulos, PhD	How Well Does Fetal Brain MRI Predict Neurodevelopmental Outcomes?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Harolyn Belcher, MD, MHS	The Impact of Adverse Childhood Experiences and Positive Childhood Experiences: Implications for Neurodevelopmental Clinical Practice	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Vice President and Director, Center for Excellence in Public Health Leadership, Kennedy Krieger Institute Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine Professor, Department of Mental Health, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health	\$0
Aisha S. Dickerson, PhD, MSPH	Environmental Toxicity and Neurodevelopment	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Associate Professor of Epidemiology, Environmental Health and Engineering, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health	\$0
Sarah Risen, MD	Moderator, Boundaries of Developmental Diagnoses	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Joshua B. Ewen, MD, FAAP, FANA, FACNS	Should we Consider Developmental Diagnoses as Dimensions or Categories?	Yes Washington University St. Louis (Honoraria) NIH (Grant Support)	No	\$300

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Jennifer Zwicker, PhD, MPP	A Policy Perspective: Should Service Eligibility be Based on Diagnosis or Functional Impairment?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Michael Msall, MD	Intellectual Disability: Conceptualizations and Misconceptions	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Gabriel Anzueto, MD	Intellectual Disability: Conceptualizations and Misconceptions	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Peter Rosenbaum, O.C., M.D., FRCP(C), DSc (HC), FRCPI Hon (Paed) RCPI, FCAHS	Updating the Description of Cerebral Palsy: How Do Contemporary WHO Concepts Inform our Thinking?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Thomas D. Challman, MD	Moderator, Clinical Considerations	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Amy Weitlauf, PhD	“Levels of Support” for ASD: Severity, Comorbidity, or Diagnostic Overshadowing?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Kerim M. Munir, M.B., B.S., Sc.D., DFAACAP, DFAPA	Borderline Intellectual Functioning	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Stephen M. Camarata, Ph.D.	Treatments for Sensory Processing Dysfunction: Current Evidence and Gaps	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Edwin Maas, PhD	Diagnosing Childhood Apraxia of Speech: Challenges and Current Best Practices	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Scott Myers, MD	Moderator, Management	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300

Lisa Jacobson PhD, ABPP-CN, NCSP	Patient-Centered Outcomes for Neurodevelopmental Disabilities	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Clinical Neuropsychologist & Director of Research, Center for Neuropsychological and Psychological Assessment Director, Informatics and Research Data Governance, Kennedy Krieger Institute Associate Professor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences Johns Hopkins School of Medicine	\$0
Albert Cheng, PhD	Homeschooling	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Aaron J. Hauptman, MD	Management of Catatonia and Regression in Individuals with Neurodevelopmental Disorders	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	Associate Director of Neuropsychiatry, Kennedy Krieger Institute Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine	\$0
Susan Shanske, MSW, LICSW	Bridging the Chasm to Adult Care	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300
Suma Jacob, MD, PhD	Can we Achieve Precision Pediatric Psychopharmacology?	There are no relevant financial/non-financial relationships to disclose	No	\$300