



THE AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND CHILD NEUROLOGY SOCIETY

2021 Virtual Annual Scientific Meeting Program

(subject to change at any time, all timings are AEST)

Monday, 13th September 2021

- 08:30 – 09:45 ANZCNS Annual General Meeting
- 10:00 – 11:00 **Update in Childhood Neurology 1**
Chair: Gabriel Dabscheck
- 10:00 - 10:20 Epilepsy 1: Diagnostics – *Ingrid Scheffer*
- 10:20 - 10:40 Movement Disorders – *Shekeeb Mohammed*
- 10:40 - 11:00 Stroke – *Adriane Sinclair*
- 11:00 - 12:00 **Platform Session - Movement disorders and genetics**
Chair: Hugo Sampaio
- 11:00 - 11:15 More than meets the eye: dopa-responsive dystonia, optic atrophy and intellectual disability caused by a heterozygous pathogenic missense *AFG3L2* variant – *Wui-Kwan Wong*
- 11:15 - 11:30 *KMT2B* related disorder presenting with developmental regression – *Sameer Dal*
- 11:30 - 11:45 Role of clinical phenotyping in genetic diagnosis of childhood-onset movement disorders – *Shekeeb Mohammad*
- 11:45 - 12:00 Abnormal newborn screening resembling CPT1a deficiency in three patients with COASY mutations – *Matthew Lynch*
- 12:00 - 12:15 **BREAK**
- 12:15 - 13:00 **Interactive Session – MRI Quiz** – *Rick Leventer*

Tuesday, 14th September 2021

- 10:00 - 11:00 **Update in Childhood Neurology 2**
Chair: Kate Riney
- 10:00 - 10:20 Epilepsy 2: Therapeutics – *Deepak Gill*
- 10:20 - 10:40 Multiple Sclerosis – *Eppie Yiu*
- 10:40 - 11:00 Leukodystrophies – *Nicholas Smith*

- 11:00 - 12:00 **Platform Session – Epilepsy**
Chair: Alex Johnson
- 11:00 - 11:15 Biotinidase deficiency in children: a case and review – *Rachel Wong*
- 11:15 - 11:30 Evaluating positive psychology resources among caregivers of a child with a genetic epilepsy – *Suzanne Nevin*
- 11:30 - 11:45 Metabolic infantile epilepsies confirmed with rapid genetic testing – *Kathryn Irving*
- 11:45 - 12:00 GLRX5-associated [Fe-S] Cluster Biogenesis Disorder: Further Characterisation of the Neurological Phenotype and Long-term Outcome – *Bindu Parayil Sankaran*
- 12:00 - 12:15 **BREAK**
- 12:15 - 13:00 **Interactive Session - Diagnostic Dilemmas**
Chair: Jeremy Freeman
- 12:15 - 12:30 “When lightning strikes twice” – *Carly Debinski*
- 12:30 - 12:45 “A curious plumbing problem” – *Mohd Khan*
- 12:45 - 13:00 “A hard pill to swallow” – *Nicola Fearn*

Wednesday, 15th September 2021

- 10:00 - 11:00 **Update in Childhood Neurology 2**
Chair: Kerrie-Anne Chen
- 10:00 - 10:20 Neuromuscular – *Michelle Farrar*
- 10:20 - 10:40 Neuroinflammation – *Russell Dale*
- 10:40 - 11:00 Cortical Malformations – *Rick Leventer*
- 11:00 - 12:00 **Platform Session – Neuromuscular and Stroke**
Chair: Ian Woodcock
- 11:00 - 11:15 Refractory juvenile myasthenia: a potpourri of cases with a twist – *Ellen Hurley*
- 11:15 - 11:30 Evidence-based clinical guidelines for the recognition, diagnosis and management of perinatal stroke – *Sarah Curnow*
- 11:30 - 11:45 Integrated Analysis of Annualized Incidence of Serious Adverse Events in Nusinersen-Treated Infants and Children with Infantile-onset SMA – *Michelle Farrar*
- 11:45 - 12:00 Scientific Rationale for a Higher Dose of Nusinersen – *Monique Ryan*
- 12:00 - 12:15 **BREAK**
- 12:15 - 13:00 **Interactive Session - Debate**
 Social media and Dr Google have enhanced patient outcomes in child neurology
 Moderator: *Manoj Menezes*
 For: *Damian Clark, Chris Troedson, Claire Spooner*
 Against: *Monique Ryan, Simon Williams, Kate Riney*