



The UCSF *Comprehensive Genetic Arrhythmia Program (CGAP)* invites you to:

2022 Family Support Meeting

A one-day educational seminar for patients with inherited heart rhythm disorders or cardiomyopathies, and their families

Saturday, May 21st from 10:00am – 5:00pm PST / Over ZOOM

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WHERE: Online (Zoom)

Meeting ID: 995 3828 6457

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The program events will include lectures on twelve key topics, followed by a Q&A discussion with a panel of experts. We hope you will take advantage of this opportunity to become better informed, to network with other families, and to direct your questions to our expert panel. Topics will include:

10:00am - 10:05am

Welcoming / Introduction / Program Overview by Dr. Melvin Scheinman

10:10am – 10:30am

Topic: What are Genetic Disorders?

Speaker: Dr. Robert Nussbaum

10:35am – 10:55am

Topic: What are channelopathies (Long QT, Brugada, CPVT)?

Speaker: Dr. Melvin Scheinman

11:00am – 11:20am

Topic: Advances in the Treatment of ARVC

Speaker: Dr. Hugh Calkins (pre-recorded)

11:25am - 11:45am

Topic: Advances in the Treatment of Hypertrophic Myopathies

Speaker: Dr. Theodore Abraham OR Dr. Maria Abraham

11:50am - 12:10pm

Topic: Overview of the future / envisioned therapies (e.g. gene therapy) for inherited arrhythmia syndromes, and the challenges?

Speaker: Dr. Vasanth Vedantham

12:15pm - 1:00pm

LUNCH BREAK

1:00pm - 1:20pm

Topic: Drugs to avoid

Speaker: Dr. Kurt Hoffmayer

1:25pm - 1:45pm

Topic: Exercise Recommendations

Speaker: Dr. Marco Perez

1:50pm - 2:10pm

Topic: Pediatric Perspective

Speaker: Dr. Ron Tanel

2:15pm - 2:35pm

Topic: Psychosocial challenges in children

Speaker: Nicole Haupt, NP

2:40pm - 3:00pm

Topic: Living with your defibrillator

Speaker: Dr. Byron Lee

3:05pm - 3:25pm

Topic: From patient to family: genetic counseling in cardiology

Speaker: Julianne Wojciak (Genetic Counselor)

3:30pm - 3:50pm

Topic: Role of pregnancy planning for female with genetic mutations

Speaker: Emily Higgs (Genetic Counselor)

3:50pm - 4:00pm

BREAK

4:00pm - 5:00pm

Panel Discussion

Moderator: Dr. Scheinman

Panelists: All speakers