

AGENDA

- 12:00** Introduction
Yves Pastore, MD, Hematologist and Oncologist, CHU Sainte-Justine, Quebec
- 12:10** **Utilization of blood resources in a crisis: Approach of blood bank**
Nancy Robitaille, MD, Hematologist, Héma-Québec and CHU Sainte-Justine, Quebec
- 12:30** **CanHaem recommendations in case of blood shortage**
Aisha Bruce, MD, Hematologist and Oncologist, CanHaem Chair, Stollery Children Hospital, Edmonton
- 12:40** Questions/Answers
- 12:45** Break
- 12:50** **Sickle cardiomyopathy and aging**
Thomas D'Humières, MD, Cardiologist, CHU Henri Mondor, France
- 1:20** Questions/Answers
- 1:25** **Beliefs, perceptions and their impact on therapeutic adherence**
Damien Oudin Doglioni, Psychology PhD Candidate, CHU Henri Mondor, France
- 1:55** Questions/Answers
- 2:00** Break
- 2:05** **Impact of COVID19 on teenagers**
Prévost Jantchou MD, Gastroenterologist, Pediatrician, CHU Sainte-Justine, Quebec
- 2:40** Questions/Answers
- 2:50** **Transition from pediatric to adult care: the SickKids-UHN experience**
Suzan Williams, MD, Hematologist and Oncologist, SickKids, Ontario
- 3:10** **Role of transition navigator**
James Bradley MOT, OT Reg. (Ont), Transition Navigator, Hospital for Sick Children and University Health Network, Ontario
- 3:25** **Nursing perspective on transition**
Colleen Johnson, Nurse Practitioner, University Health Network, Ontario
- 3:40** **Open forum discussion on transition**
- 4:15** Break
- 4:25** **Virtual poster session**
- 4:50** Break
- 5:00** **General Assembly Meeting**

TARGET AUDIENCE:

Physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, residents, medical and nursing students, physician assistants, social workers and other health practitioners involved in the care of patients with sickle cell disease, thalassemia and associated iron overload.

PLANNING COMMITTEE:

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MODERATOR:

From 12:00 to 12:45
Valérie Arsenault, MD
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From 12:50 to 2:00
Evelyne D.-Trottier, MD

From 2:05 to 4:25
Stéphanie Forté, MD and
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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Overall objectives:

- Update on haemoglobinopathies challenges.
- Improve knowledge on haemoglobinopathies manifestations and care.
- Favor interaction and development of collaboration between health care professionals involved in care of patients with haemoglobinopathies.

Utilization of blood resources in a crisis: Approach of blood bank

- Understand the challenges of blood management in a period of crisis.
- Define a strategy on how to adapt blood usage in preparation for a crisis.
- Learn about the measures taken by national blood bank providers to face potential blood resource shortage in a period of crisis.

CanHaem recommendations in case of blood shortage

- Review CanHaem guidelines in case of blood shortage.
- Anticipate specific situations in our practice where blood usage could be rationed in case of a blood shortage.
- Understand the need for a stepwise approach.

Impact of COVID-19 on teenagers

- Learn about teenagers' perspectives of the pandemic.
- Understand specific challenges that teenagers with chronic diseases face.
- Identify factors of resilience to tailor our interventions.

Sickle cardiomyopathy and aging

- Recognize sickle cardiomyopathy as a unique disease entity.
- Critically evaluate best available evidence to develop an age- and risk-adapted screening strategy.
- Identify specific early interventions to treat sickle cardiomyopathy.

Beliefs, perceptions and their impact on therapeutic adherence

- Examine patient-related factors that will influence therapeutic adherence.
- Learn about validated tools used to systematically assess patients' beliefs, perceptions and psychological comorbidities that can impact on therapeutic adherence.
- Recognize opportunities for patient-centred interventions to increase adherence and engagement.

Transition from pediatric to adult care: The SickKids-UHN experience

- Analyze the elements that made the SickKids-UHN model successful.
- Learn about tools used to systematically assess transition readiness.
- Identify specific nursing interventions that can help with a difficult transition.

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