

Abusive Head Trauma: April 23 and 24, 2009

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS April 8, 2009. (Early registration is strongly encouraged.) Space is limited. Priority will be given to prosecutors, detectives, medical professionals, coroners, victim/witness specialists, and social workers. All others will be placed on a waiting list and contacted within five business days of the conference to confirm status.

Please complete steps 1-3 in BLOCK letters – all steps are required.

Step 1. Participant Information

Name _____
First M.I. Last

I am a: Medical professional Prosecutor Detective
 Social worker Coroner Victim/Witness Specialist

Professional Degree (for name tag) _____

Company Name _____

Work Address _____

Daytime Phone _____ Daytime Fax _____

Email Address _____

Step 2. Fee/Payment Information:

Conference fees: \$250 MD/DO \$125 Non-MD/DO Health Professional
 \$125 Prosecutor/Detective \$125 Social Worker
 \$125 Coroner \$125 Victim/Witness Specialist

P.O. or check enclosed (payable to the University of Wisconsin - Madison)
 Bill my company (as listed in Step 1)
 Credit card: MasterCard Visa American Express

Cardholder's Name _____

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Step 3. Confirmation – Send My Confirmation to:

Work Address (as listed in Step 1)

Home Address _____

Please return your payment with this form to:

Kathy Kneebone, The Pyle Center, 702 Langdon Street, Madison, WI 53706
 or fax to 1-800-741-7416. (In Madison, fax to 265-3163)

More Information

Parking and Directions to Conference Site

For driving instructions to the facility, visit the following Web page: <http://www.cme.pediatrics.wisc.edu/cpd/AbuseConferenceMap.pdf>. Conference participants should park in “Event Parking,” near the A Building Training Center.

Housing

A block of rooms has been reserved for April 23 and 24, 2009, at the following facilities. Please call the facility of your choice directly. Be sure to confirm its cancellation policy in order to avoid a cancellation charge should your plans change.

Hilton Madison Monona Terrace, 9 East Wilson St., Madison (telephone: 608-255-5100). The special room rate is \$70.00. Mention *Conference on Abusive Head Trauma* when making your reservation. Reservations made after March 23, 2009, will not be guaranteed at the special rate.

Holiday Inn Madison at the American Center, 5109 West Terrace Dr., Madison (telephone: 608-249-4220). The special room rate is \$70.00. Mention *Department of Pediatrics* when making your reservation. Reservations made after March 23, 2009, will not be guaranteed at the special rate.

For Further Information

For conference information, please contact CME Specialist, H4/447 Clinical Sciences Center, 600 Highland, Madison, WI 53792.

Phone: 608-263-8542 **Email:** cme@pediatrics.wisc.edu

The University of Wisconsin provides equal opportunities in employment and programming, including Title IX requirements.

The University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health fully complies with the legal requirements of the ADA and the rules and regulations thereof. If any participant in this educational activity is in need of accommodations, please notify Barbara Anderson at 608-263-8542.

Elements of Competence

This CME activity has been designed to change medical knowledge and practice-based learning and improvement, two of the six competencies embraced by the American Board of Medical Specialties.

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Abusive Head Trauma: Evidence-Based Diagnosis and Prosecution

Thursday and Friday
 April 23 and 24, 2009
 American Family Insurance National Headquarters
 Madison, Wisconsin



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- Children's Hospital of Wisconsin
- Dane County District Attorney's Office
- Fond du Lac County Medical Examiner's Office
- Medical College of Wisconsin
- St. Mary's Hospital
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 Department of Pediatrics
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- Wisconsin Department of Justice,
 Children's Justice Act Program

Schedule

DAY 1 Thursday, April 23, 2009		DAY 2 Friday, April 24, 2009	
8:00-9:00 a.m.	Registration	8:30	Controversies in Abusive Head Trauma <i>Robert Reece, MD</i> <i>Mary E. Case, MD</i> <i>Brian Holmgren, JD</i>
9:00	Welcome and Conference Overview <i>Thomas Fallon, JD</i>	10:00	Break
9:15	The Au Pair Case: A Watershed Case in Abusive Head Trauma <i>Robert Reece, MD</i> <i>Brian Holmgren, JD</i>	10:15	Controversies in Abusive Head Trauma, Continued <i>Robert Reece, MD</i> <i>Mary E. Case, MD</i> <i>Brian Holmgren, JD</i>
10:00	What Is This Thing Called SBS? Where We Are Now <i>Robert Reece, MD</i> <i>Mary E. Case, MD</i>	Noon	Lunch
10:45	Break	1:00	Court Issues <i>Brian Holmgren, JD</i> <i>Robert Reece, MD</i>
11:00	Signs, Symptoms, Clinical and Radiographic Findings at Presentation <i>Robert Reece, MD</i>	2:00	Meeting Untrue Defenses <i>Brian Holmgren, JD</i> <i>Robert Reece, MD</i>
Noon	Lunch	3:15	Break
1:00	Signs, Symptoms, Clinical and Radiographic Findings at Autopsy <i>Mary E. Case, MD</i>	3:30	Bringing It All Together: Edmunds' Impact on the Future <i>Mary Ellen Karst, JD</i> <i>Shelly Rusch, JD</i> <i>Robert Reece, MD</i> <i>Mary E. Case, MD</i> <i>Brian Holmgren, JD</i>
2:00	Differential Diagnosis (Clinical): Accidental Trauma, Short Falls, Medical Mimics, and More <i>Robert Reece, MD</i>	5:00	Adjourn
3:15	Break		
3:30	Differential Diagnosis (Pathology) <i>Mary E. Case, MD</i>		
5:00	Adjourn		

Faculty

Mary E. Case, MD	Professor of Pathology, St. Louis University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri
Brian Holmgren, JD	Assistant District Attorney General, Davidson County District Attorney General's Office, Nashville, Tennessee
Robert Reece, MD	Clinical Professor of Pediatrics, Tufts University School of Medicine, Director, Child Protection Program, Floating Hospital for Children at Tufts Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts
Mary Ellen Karst, JD	Assistant District Attorney, Dane County District Attorney's Office, Madison, Wisconsin
Shelly Rusch, JD	Assistant District Attorney, Dane County District Attorney's Office, Madison, Wisconsin

General Information

Date: April 23 and 24, 2009
Place: American Family Insurance National Headquarters
 6000 American Parkway, Madison, WI 53783

Conference Fees

\$250 MD/DO
 \$125 Non-MD/DO Health Professional
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 \$125 Social Worker
 \$125 Coroner

The conference fee includes the cost of tuition, materials, a nonrefundable registration fee of \$50, lunch and refreshment breaks. Should you cancel your registration up to 96 hours prior to the conference, you will be refunded the entire conference fee except for the \$50 registration fee. No refunds will be made after that time.

Four Easy Ways to Register

NOTE: Space is limited. Priority will be given to prosecutors, detectives, medical professionals, coroners and social workers. All others will be placed on a waiting list and contacted within five business days of the conference to confirm status.

Online: www.ocpd.wisc.edu (click on "Course Catalog")

By Mail: Return your completed registration form and payment to Kathy Kneebone, Pyle Center, 702 Langdon St., Madison, WI 53706.

By Phone: 608-262-1397. Please call and give your billing information or pay by MasterCard, Visa, or American Express.

By Fax: 1-800-741-7416 (in Madison, fax to 265-3163)

Confirmations

All registrations are confirmed in writing. If you do not receive a confirmation, please call 608-262-1397.

Conference Support

The conference planning committee gratefully acknowledges the generous support of the following:

- American Family Children's Hospital
- Children's Hospital of Wisconsin
- Dean and St. Mary's CME Program
- Child Abuse Prevention Fund at Children's Hospital and Health System
- University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, Department of Pediatrics
- Wisconsin Department of Justice, Children's Justice Act Program

Statement of Need and Intended Audience

This conference is being organized in response to legal arguments and court opinions suggesting that there is a genuine controversy in the scientific literature regarding the existence of shaken baby syndrome. This conference will explore the current state of scientific evidence relating to abusive head trauma.

Nationally and internationally known experts in the field of abusive head trauma will examine evidence-based research and discuss its applications to actual cases with prosecutors, detectives, medical professionals, coroners and social workers.

Conference Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of the conference, participants will be able to:

- Explain current evidence-based research in abusive head trauma
- Apply research to the diagnosis and treatment of the head-injured child
- Discuss the bases of alternate hypotheses of causation for injuries commonly associated with abusive head trauma
- Confidently compose opinions and present expert-opinion testimony that effectively apply the research in abusive head trauma cases

Policy on Faculty and Sponsor Disclosure

It is the policy of the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health that the faculty, authors, planners and other persons who may influence content of this CME activity disclose all relevant financial relationships with commercial interests in order to allow CME staff to identify and resolve any potential conflicts of interest. Faculty must also disclose any planned discussion of unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs or devices during their presentation(s). Detailed disclosures will be made in the activity handout materials.

Accreditation Statement

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health Department of Pediatrics and Office of Continuing Professional Development in Medicine and Public Health; American Family Children's Hospital; Children's Hospital of Wisconsin; Dane County District Attorney's Office; Fond du Lac County Medical Examiner's Office; Medical College of Wisconsin; St. Mary's Hospital; and Wisconsin Department of Justice Children's Justice Act Program. The University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation Statement

The University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health designates this educational activity for a maximum of 13.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)[™]. Physicians should claim only credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Continuing Education Units: University of Wisconsin-Madison, as a member of the University Continuing Education Association (UCEA), authorizes this program for 1.35 CEUs or 13.5 hours.

An application for Continuing Legal Education approval has been submitted to the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, Board of Bar Examiners.