



# **GLOBAL SYPOSIUM ON DIETARY THERAPIES FOR EPILEPSY & OTHER NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS**

**11<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2014**

**THE GRACE SUITE**

**LIVERPOOL HILTON HOTEL, UK**



## **PROGRAMME FOR FAMILY DAY**



***Please note that programme can be subject to change***

# Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2014

9am Registration & Coffee

**Chairs:** *Emma Williams MBE, (Matthew's Friends)*

*& Nancy Abrahams (The Charlie Foundation)*

9.30am Welcome & Introductory Remarks

*Emma Williams MBE, UK & Nancy Abrahams USA*

9.45am Overview from Global Meeting for Professionals

*Professor J. Helen Cross UK*

10.15am Preparation for Ketogenic Dietary Therapies

*Emma Williams MBE, UK*



**10.45am COFFEE BREAK WITH VITAFLO**

11.30am Clinical Implementation of the Diet and the need for monitoring

*Beth Zupec-Kania RD – USA*

12 noon Long Term/Secondary Effects of ketogenic dietary therapy & any Drug Interactions

*Professor Eric Kossoff – USA*

12.30pm Fine Tuning Ketogenic Dietary Therapies and Safely Weaning off of Diet

*Helen Grossi RD – UK*

**1pm DISCUSSION WITH PANEL**

**1.15pm LUNCH**

**'Keto-cooking' book signing at the Stands**

**Nutricia Keto Cooking Demonstrations with Chef Neil**



2.15pm Cultural Differences Using Ketogenic Dietary Therapy

*Janak Nathan MD – India*

2.45pm Summary of General Session and Closing Remarks

*Emma Williams MBE UK & Nancy Abrahams USA*

## **3pm CONDITION BASED SESSIONS**

**Session A: Ketogenic Diet with Complex/Drug Resistant Epilepsy in Adults and Children**

**Chair: Helen Grossi RD - UK**

3pm Using the Ketogenic for Adults; How does it differ?

*Mackenzie Cervenka MD – USA*

3.30pm Utilisation & Optimising Use in Different Epilepsy Syndromes

**TBC**

4pm Personal Stories....

*Using the Diet in a child with Dravet Syndrome*

*Using the Diet in an Adult*

4.30pm **DISCUSSION WITH PANEL**



**Session B: Glut 1 Deficiency - Sponsored by Glut 1 Foundation USA and UK**

**Chair: Glenna Steele, President Glut 1 Foundation, USA**

3pm Update on Glucose Transporter Defects

*Joerg Klepper MD, Germany*

3.30pm Is Triheptanion (C7) an alternative?

**TBC**

4pm Professional Guide to the Diagnosis of Glut 1

*Dr. Archana Desurkar, UK*

4.15pm Glut 1 Foundation Update

*Glenna Steele – President Glut 1 Foundation USA*

4.30pm Personal Story – Family using KD for Glut 1

4.45pm **DISCUSSION WITH PANEL**



**Session C: Ketogenic Diet in the treatment of Brain Cancer**

**Sponsored by the Astro Brain Tumour Fund Charity**

**Chair: Katie Sheen, Founder Astro Brain Tumour Fund Charity**

3pm Clinical Evidence supporting the use of Ketogenic Dietary Therapies

**TBC**

3.30pm Ketogenic Diet alongside standard treatment for Brain Tumours

**Adrienne Scheck – USA**

4pm Current Ketogenic Therapy Pathways in neuro-oncology – A summary

**Sue Wood and Katie Sheen – UK**

4.20pm Personal Story

4.35pm **DISCUSSION WITH PANEL**

**5pm CLOSE OF DAY – HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME.**

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