



The Neonatal Evaluation and Outcomes Network (NEON) Meeting

Theme: Transition to School



Wednesday, February 16, 2022

12:00 – 5:00 pm (All times listed in CST)

12:00 PM - 12:05 PM	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS ALICE GONG, MD YVETTE JOHNSON, MD, MPH
12:05 PM - 12:55 PM	SCHOOL READINESS IN CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES  Presentation ANDREA DUNCAN, MD, MSClinRes MODERATOR: LESLIE-ANNE DIETRICH, MD
12:55 PM - 1:55 PM	FAMILY PANEL: TRANSITION TO SCHOOL CYNTHIA LEDESMA, MSN RNC-MNN CAROLYN EZELL, BS TAYLOR ESCOBAR MODERATOR: ALICIA QUIM, MS, CCM
1:55 PM - 2:10 PM	BREAK
2:10 PM - 3:00 PM	READY FOR SCHOOL: SPECIAL EDUCATION EVALUATION, SERVICES, AND EARLY CHILDHOOD INSTRUCTION IN THE TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM  Presentation Guide to the ARD Process Notice of Procedural Safeguards JOANNA PEREZ, LSSP LAUREEN OWEN, M.ED. BARBARA TRIPLETT, M.ED. MODERATOR: SARA SIFFORD, M.S., L.S.S.P.

3:00 PM - 3:45 PM	EVIDENCE BASED THERAPY FOR CHILDREN WITH CEREBRAL PALSY RACHEL BYRNE, PT MODERATOR: YVETTE JOHNSON, MD MPH
3:45 PM - 3:55 PM	BREAK
3:55 PM - 4:50 PM	STATE OF EVIDENCE STEM CELL THERAPY FOR CEREBRAL PALSY MADISON PATON, PHD MODERATOR: ALICE GONG, MD
4:50 PM - 5:00 PM	WRAP UP ALICE GONG, MD YVETTE JOHNSON, MD MPH

NEON DESCRIPTION

The Neonatal Evaluation and Outcomes Network (NEON) is a voluntary regional working group collaborating to help ensure that all children born prematurely maximize their potential. This goal can be achieved, in part, through quality, comprehensive developmental follow through care and outcomes research to continuously improve evidence-based practices.

Published guidelines recommend that neonatal intensive care unit (NICU) survivors receive care in an organized follow through program that tracks medical and neurodevelopmental outcomes. Unfortunately, there are no standardized guidelines for provision of that follow through care. NEON is working to better understand follow through care, foster standardized practices, and inform policies that truly benefit children born prematurely and their families. NEON is collaborating to institute early cerebral diagnosis for NICU survivors.

Neonatal intensive care is a remarkable success story with dramatic improvements in survival rates for preterm newborns. NEON is committed to making long-term outcomes for children born prematurely another remarkable success story.



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