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Conference Highlights

Pediatric pain content at upcoming annual conferences

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Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference, Chicago, IL; March 30-April 1, 2023	
Friday (3/31)	<p><i>Improving Pain Management for Marginalized Communities: Educating the Next Generation of Medical and Psychology Professionals</i> Katherine S. Salamon, PhD; Aimee K. Hildenbrand, PhD; Lonna P. Gordon, MD, PharmD. Nemours Children’s Hospital Part of the 2022 SPP Anti-Racism Grant Awardees Scientific Symposium</p> <p><i>“I Need More than a Private Bathroom”: IBD and How Medical Trauma, Stigma, and Education Inequality Affect Health Outcomes</i> Bradley Jerson, PhD, Connecticut Children's Medical Center Part of “Feeling Stuck? It's Hard Treating Refractory Symptoms within Refractory Systems”</p> <p><i>Leveraging resources from a pediatric chronic pain program for treatment of pediatric post-acute sequelae of COVID-19 (PASC)</i> Katherine Salamon, PhD, Nemours Children's Hospital Part of “Building the plane while flying it: Developing multidisciplinary clinical programs and research initiatives on pediatric long-COVID”</p>
Saturday (4/1)	<p><i>Understanding experiences of sexual minority and gender diverse youth in acute and chronic pain settings</i></p> <p>Includes the following individual talks: <i>Understanding the experiences of LGBTQIA+ youth with chronic pain: A critical first step towards inclusive pain care</i> Lauren Harrison, PhD, Stanford University School of Medicine</p>

	<p><i>Gender diversity in pediatric chronic pain: Qualitative findings from a patient-engaged reflexive thematic analysis</i> Katelynn Boerner, PhD, University of British Columbia; Levi Du, Lived Experience Consultant; and colleagues from University of British Columbia</p> <p><i>Risk for pain persistence in the context of gender affirming surgery for adolescents and young adults</i> Eleanor Battison; Corrin Murphy, BS; Anna Wilson, PhD. Oregon Health and Sciences University</p>
<p>US Association for the Study of Pain, Durham, NC April 12-14, 2023</p>	
Wednesday (4/12)	<p><i>Racial disparities, underlying differential epigenetic pathways and mitigation approaches across pediatric and adult pain conditions</i> Keesha Powell-Roach, PhD, RN, University of Tennessee Health Science Center; Edwin Aroke, PhD, CRNA, University of Alabama at Birmingham; Vidya Chidambaran, MD, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital; Monika Goyal MD, George Washington University</p> <p><i>Long-term outcomes of children with chronic pain: adult health and functioning</i> Caitlin Murray, PhD, University of Washington; Susmita Kashikar-Zuck, PhD, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital; Amanda Stone, PhD, Vanderbilt University Medical Center</p>
Thursday (4/13)	<p><i>A day in the life of a pediatric intensive pain rehabilitation program: an interdisciplinary approach to treating the whole child</i> Ashley Debeljak, PsyD, Lauren Renner; CPNP-PC/AC; Alex Rospert, DPT; Anjana Jagpal, PhD. Nationwide Children's Hospital</p>
Friday (4/14)	<p><i>Keynote: Amplifying the voices of children and adolescents with chronic pain and sickle cell disease</i> Soumitri Sil, PhD, Emory University School of Medicine</p> <p><i>Remembering the hippocampus: Novel mechanistic insights of an understudied brain region regarding chronic pain</i> Sarah Nelson, PhD, Boston Children's Hospital; Massieh Moayedi, PhD, University of Toronto; A. Vania Apkarian, PhD, Northwestern University</p>
<p>Society for Pediatric Pain Medicine Conference, Austin, TX March 30-31, 2023</p>	
Thursday (3/30)	<p><i>Building an Acute Pain Management & Regional Anesthesia Service In Pediatrics: Block by Block!</i> Santhanam Suresh MD, FAAP, Northwestern University</p> <p><i>Gaga for Goggles: Virtual Reality and Pain</i> Vanessa A. Olbrecht MD, MBA, FASA, Nationwide Children's Hospital</p>

	<i>Getting High-Tech: Safe Opioid Prescribing in the Era of Technology</i> Ellen Ya-Ping Wang MD, Stanford University School of Medicine
	<i>What's All the "Buzz" About? Neuromodulatory Devices for Pain</i> Anna Woodbury, MD, Emory University
	<i>Take a Walk around the Blocks: Latest Advances in Regional Anesthesia</i> Karla Wyatt-Thompson, MD, Baylor College of Medicine
	<i>Exercise the Mind: Psychological Impact of Persistent Pain in Athletes</i> Alvina Rosales, PhD, Children's Hospital Los Angeles
	<i>Blocks for Jocks: Novel Regional Techniques for Sports Procedures</i> Robert S. Lang, MD, Nemours Children's Health
	<i>Return to Play: Physical Therapy for Athletes</i> Kim S. Clarno, PT, DPT, Crossover Health
	<i>Up in Smoke or Real Science? Cannabinoids for Pediatric Pain</i> David Becker, MD, University of California-San Francisco; Deepa Kattail, MD, The Hospital for Sick Children
	<i>In for the Long Haul: COVID-19's Impact on Pain Syndromes</i> Robert T. Wilder MD, PhD, Mayo Clinic
	<i>Disenfranchised Grief: The Hidden Cost of Caring for Suffering Children and Their Families</i> Nancy L. Glass MD, MBA, FAAP, Baylor College of Medicine
Society of Pediatric Anesthesiology-American Academy of Pediatrics: Pediatric Anesthesiology Conference, Austin, TX March 31-April 2, 2023	
Thursday (3/30)	<i>Know Pain, Know Gain: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Managing Acute and Transitional Perioperative Pain</i> Niveditha Karuppiah, MD, Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry; Ushma J. Shah, MD, Fatima Di Valentin, Abirami R. Kandasamy, Raju Poolacherla, MD; London Health Sciences Centre, Western University
	<i>Integrating Acupuncture in Pediatric Perioperative Care and Pain Medicine Workshop</i> Yuan-Chi Lin, MD, MPH, Boston Children's Hospital, Brenda Golianu, MD, Stanford University, Jamie Kitzman, MD, Emory University, Rosalie Tassone, MD, MPH, Palms West Children's Hospital; Cynthia Tung, MD, Boston Children's Hospital, Shu-Ming Wang, MD, University of Connecticut

<p>Friday (3/31)</p>	<p><i>How the Noninvasive Electroencephalogram (EEG) Can Serve Pediatric Anesthesiologists and Patients During Clinical Care - And Beyond</i> Jerry Chao, MD, MS, Montefiore Einstein</p>
<p>Saturday (4/1)</p>	<p><i>Immersive Technologies in Perioperative Anxiety and Chronic Pain Management: Virtual and Augmented Reality</i> Thomas Caruso, MD, M.Ed, Stanford University School of Medicine; Samuel Rodriguez, MD, Stanford University School of Medicine; Kathleen Chen, MD, Texas Children's Hospital; Clint Fuller, MD, Texas Children's Hospital; Clyde Matava, MD, MBChB, Hospital for Sick Children; Kim-Phuong Thi Nguyen, MD, Baylor College of Medicine; Vanessa A. Olbrecht, MD, MBA, Nationwide Children's Hospital; Asheen Rama, MD, Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Stanford; Jina Sinskey, MD, University of California, San Francisco; Jonathan M Tan, MD, Children's Hospital Los Angeles; James J. Thomas, MD, Children's Hospital Colorado; Ellen Ya-Ping Wang, MD, Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Stanford; Romy Yun, MD, Stanford University</p>
	<p><i>Perioperative Care of the Child with Chronic Pain</i> Rita Agarwal, MD, Stanford University School of Medicine; Elisha Peterson, MD, Children's National Hospital, George Washington University</p>
<p>Canadian Pain Society Meeting, Banff, AB, Canada May 10-12, 2023</p>	
<p>Thursday (5/11)</p>	<p><i>Pediatric Chronic Postsurgical Pain: Altering Pain Trajectories</i> Brittany Rosenbloom, PhD, Child Health Evaluative Sciences Research Institute, Hospital for Sick Children; Lisa Isaac, MD, Hospital for Sick Children, University of Toronto; Danielle Ruskin, PhD, Hospital for Sick Children, York University</p>
<p>Friday (5/12)</p>	<p><i>Pain Experiences of Youth with Neuro-developmental Disabilities (NDDs): Bridging Research and Practice</i> C. Nania, BA, University of Calgary; David Moore, PhD, Liverpool John Moores University; Meghan McMurtry, PhD, University of Guelph, McMaster Children's Hospital</p>
	<p><i>Neurophysiological Changes Following Physical or Emotional Childhood Trauma in the Transition from Acute to Chronic Pain</i> Julie Christianson, PhD, University of Kansas Medical Center, Samantha Miller, BHSc, University of Calgary, Sarah Nelson, PhD, Boston Children's Hospital, Taylor Pigott, PWLE and Medical Student, University of Calgary</p>
	<p><i>Mukwa Medicine: Exploring and Healing Pediatric Chronic Pain in Indigenous Youth and Families Through Two-Eyed Seeing</i> A. Kandasamy, J. Gregory, M. Syeda, T. Summers</p>

<p><i>Considering the Multiple Identities of Patients with Chronic Pain: How Can we Tailor Pain Care to Support Young Athletes?</i> Lauren Harrison, PhD, Stanford University; Karen Hurtubise, PhD, McMaster University Courtney Hess, PhD, Stanford University</p>
<p><i>Mobile Health Data for Pediatric Pain: Inter-institutional Experiences and Best Practices for Patient-centred Data Capture, Analysis, and Visualization</i> Chitra Laloo, PhD, University of Toronto; Katelynn Boerner, PhD, University of British Columbia, BC Children’s Hospital; Joe Kossowsky, PhD, Boston Children’s Hospital</p>
<p><i>Prenatal and Neonatal Exposure to Pain and its Long-Term Effects on the Developing Brain</i> J. Jessa, BS, University of Calgary; Emma Duerden, PhD, Western University; Simon Beggs, PhD, University College London, Institute of Child Health</p>