



NCDEU: AN ANNUAL MEETING SPONSORED BY ASCP



IDENTIFYING COMMON TARGETS ACROSS BRAIN DISEASES – IMPLICATIONS FOR TREATMENT DEVELOPMENT AND DELIVERY

May 29 - June 1, 2012 • Arizona Biltmore Resort & Spa

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE—NCDEU 2012

*** Indicates the Clinical Track**

TUESDAY, MAY 29, 2012

- 8:30am **Conference Opening**
- 9:00am – 10:30am **Panel Sessions**
- Common Targets for the Treatment of Substance Use Disorders and Co-occurring Psychiatric Disorders
 - Research Domain Criteria (RDoC): Implications for Randomized Clinical Trials
 - The Clinical Implications of Chronic Hyponatremia in Mental Health and Aging: New Findings*
 - New Opportunities and Strategies for NIMH Funding
- 10:45am – 11:45am **Individual Research Reports**
- 1:00pm – 3:00pm **Pharma Pipeline**
- 3:15pm – 4:45pm **Panel Sessions**
- Neuroimmune Targets for Treatment of Substance and Alcohol Use Disorders
 - Rapidly-Acting Antidepressant Therapies: The NIMH-Sponsored RAPID Network*
 - Identifying Common Targets in Treating Impulse Control Disorders
 - Emerging Clinical Evidence on Oxytocin in Schizophrenia*
- 6:00pm – 7:30pm **New Investigator Awards Ceremony**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 2012

- 7:15am **13th Annual NCDEU Fun Run/Walk**
- 8:30am – 9:30am **Plenary Session – Institute Directors NIMH, NIDA & NIAAA**
- 9:30am – 10:30am **“A New NIH Focus on Research to Facilitate Clinical Research”**
Chris Austin—NIH Center for Translational Therapeutics
- 10:45am – 12:15pm **Panel Sessions**
- Gamma-Aminobutyric Acid Alterations Across Psychiatric Disorders
 - Neuroendocrine Changes in MDD and BD: Clinical and Biological Markers
 - Developing the Next Generation of Antidepressants*
 - Conceptualizing Clinical Trials within the RDoC Framework*
 - Trajectory-based Disease - Modifying Treatments in Pediatric Psychiatry*
- 12:30pm – 2:30pm **Poster Session I**
- 12:30pm – 2:30pm **Improving the Teaching-Learning Process in Psychopharmacology: A Demonstration of New Teaching Formats from the ASCP Psychopharmacology Curriculum**
- 2:45pm – 5:45pm **Workshops**
- Psychosocial Treatment Platforms in Psychopharmacology RCTs
 - Fatigue Across the CNS Spectrum: Symptom or Side Effect*
 - Moderators and Mediators of Treatment Outcome in Late Life Depression*
 - Comparative Effectiveness Trials in Bipolar Disorder: What Have We Learned and Where Do We Need To Go From Here?
- 6:30pm – 8:00pm **NCDEU Reception**

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE—NCDEU 2012 (continued)

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2012

- 8:30am – 10:00am **Regulatory Plenary - with FDA and EMA**
- 10:30am – 12:00pm **Panel Sessions**
- Biologics for Addictions Treatment: Vaccines and Enzymes
 - Novel Methods for Evaluating the Harm-Benefit Balance in Outcomes of Randomized Clinical Trials: Demonstration of a New Approach*
 - Food “Addiction”: Conceptualization, Assessment and Applications to Obesity*
 - Long Term Outcome of Childhood Disorders and Its Predictors
- 12:15pm – 2:15pm **Poster Session II**
- 2:30pm – 5:30pm **Workshops**
- Dealing with Cross Cultural Differences in Standard Rating Scales in Psychiatric Research
 - Keeping it Real: Quantifying Clinical Relevance in Treatments for Psychiatric Disorders*
 - Strategies for Incomplete Data in Randomized Clinical Trials
 - The Alcohol Clinical Trials Initiative (ACTIVE): Progress and Future Directions
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FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 2012

- 8:30am – 10:00am **Panel Sessions**
- Reaping the Benefits of Data Pooling and Sharing to Address Questions in Designing RCT's and Predicting Outcomes of Antipsychotic and Antidepressant Drugs
 - Identifying Biomarkers for Personalizing the Treatment of Depression – Implementation of Study Design and Initial Results in Subtype, Mechanism and Psychological Fields: An iSPOT-D Report
 - Field Trial Testing of Proposed Revisions to DSM-5*
 - Targets to Treat Alcohol Dependence: New Human Studies
- 10:15am – 11:45am **Regulatory Wrap-Up Plenary**
- 12:00pm **Meeting Adjourns**



New! Clinical Track

The NCDEU Program Committee has created a Clinical Track for the 2012 NCDEU meeting. The track includes updates on new developments in psychopharmacology for professionals already knowledgeable about drug treatment of psychiatric disorders. Sessions with an asterisk (*) identify the clinical track.

Registration is Open!

Register for the meeting and make hotel reservations at www.NCDEUmeeting.org or contact ASCP at 615-649-3085 / info@ascpp.org. *Early registration rates available until March 27.*

Host Hotel - Arizona Biltmore Resort & Spa
Hotel rates start at \$149 per night.