**8th Annual UCI Neuromuscular Pathology Colloquium**

May 23, 2024

**Purpose**

This colloquium is designed to encourage an atmosphere of collaboration and interaction between the various neuromuscular specialists in the US, Canada and internationally. It is a forum to discuss the latest topics and advances in neuromuscular medicine as it relates to cases in neuromuscular pathology and review interesting and challenging cases. Such activities are aimed to improve patient care by promoting closer research collaboration and the development of new research projects between the various groups and institutions.

**Target Audience**

Specialties – Neurology, Pathology & Laboratory Medicine, Pediatrics, Genetic And Genomic Medicine, Neurology

Professions – Physician, Non-Physician, Allied Health Professional, Audiologist, Medical Assistant, Medical Student, Nurse, Nurse Practitioner, Pharmacist, Physical Therapist, Physician Assistant, Resident Physician, Social Worker, Speech-Language Pathologist

**Activity Objectives**

1 Identify different clinical presentations and patterns of involvement in neuromuscular diseases.

2 Understand current standards and guidelines for management of neuromuscular disorders.

3 Understand genetic basis of inherited myopathies and advancements in gene therapies.

4 Understand the changing landscape of myasthenia gravis treatment in light of recent development of targeted therapies such as complement inhibition and neonatal Fc receptor (FcRn) blockade.

5 Identify current and emerging therapies in spinal muscular atrophy.

6 Discuss ongoing clinical trials in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis including gene targeted and cell-based therapies.

7 Identify features on muscle pathology that help distinguish distinct subtypes of inflammatory muscle diseases.

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**Agenda**

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