



COVID-19 Mitigation Strategies in Rare Disease Therapy Development & Delivery: Exchanging Best Practices – Moving to Permanent Solutions

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10:00-11:15AM

When the World Tilted: Reflecting on the Forced Evolution of COVID-19 and Applying Innovations to a New Normal

Moderator: Emil Kakkis, MD, PhD – President & CEO, Ultragenyx & Founder & Member of the Board of Directors, EveryLife Foundation for Rare Diseases

Jenn McNary – Rare Mom, Patient Advocate, Co-Founder & Manager, One Rare & J. McNary Consulting

Kristie E.N. Clarke, MD, MSCR, FAAP, CDR – US Public Health Service, Team Lead, Disproportionately Affected Populations Team & Medical Epidemiologist
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Janet Maynard, MD, MHS – Director, Office of Orphan Drug Products Development, US Food and Drug Administration

Christopher P. Austin, MD – Director, National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences, National Institutes of Health

Jean Moody-Williams, RN, MPP – Deputy Director, Center for Clinical Standards and Quality, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

Stu Peltz, PhD – Chief Executive Officer, PTC Biotherapeutics

11:15-11:30AM

BREAK

11:30-12:45PM

CASE STUDY BREAKOUT SESSIONS – PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

'Size Matters' - Collecting Outcome Measures During the Pandemic Through Innovative Technology in Clinical Trials Moderator: Anne Pariser, MD – Director Office of Rare Disease Research, NCATS	Clinical Trials 'On the Move': Deploying Innovations in Home Health & Mobile Services Moderator: Isabelle Lousada – Founder & CEO, Amyloidosis Research Consortium	Learning from the Trenches: Assessing Patient Experiences & Preferences During COVID-19 Moderator: Annie Kennedy – Chief of Policy & Advocacy, EveryLife Foundation for Rare Diseases
Cure VCP Disease Inc. & Nationwide Children's Hospital: <i>Using tele-research to kick-off functional assessment testing</i> Speakers: Sujata Patel, RPh & Lindsay Alfano, PT, DPT, PCS BridgeBio, Mass General, NYU Langone & UKE Hamburg: <i>Natural history conduct during COVID-19</i> Speaker: Rafael Escandon, DrPH, PhD, MPH Casimir: <i>Remote monitoring of disease progression in Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy</i> Speaker: Mindy Leffler Myasthenia Gravis Rare Disease Network (MGNET) & George Washington University: <i>Adapting disease specific outcome measures pilot trial for telehealth in Myasthenia Gravis (ADAPTteleMG)</i> Speaker: Amanda Guidon, MD	Homology Medicines, Premiere Research & Illingworth Research Group: <i>Implementing home health services in the first-ever PKU gene therapy clinical trial during the pandemic</i> Speaker: Joseph Donahue AGTC: <i>Coronavirus and clinical trials: AGTC provides support for the Rare Inherited Retinal Disease trial participants amid the pandemic</i> Speaker: Jill Dolgin, PharmD Roche/Genentech: <i>Ensuring treatment continuity for SMA patients in Risdiplam clinical trials during COVID-19 Pandemic</i> Speakers: Coralie Nguyen, PhD & Sibylle Fuhrer, PharmD Applied Therapeutics: <i>ACTION-Galactosemia clinical study – staying in action during COVID-19</i> Speaker: Shoshana Shendelman, PhD	The EveryLife Foundation for Rare Diseases: <i>Results from the US rare disease COVID-19 vaccine survey</i> Speaker: Jamie Sullivan, MPH X4 Pharma & Savvy Coop: <i>X4 asked patients</i> Speakers: Michele Rhee, MBA, MPH & Jen Horonjeff Parent Project Muscular Dystrophy: <i>An assessment of the Duchenne community's experience of the COVID-19 pandemic: Impact on care, clinical trials and access to approved therapies</i> Speaker: Ryan Fischer

12:45-1:15PM LUNCH BREAK

1:15-2:30PM

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How Rare Disease Leaders Have Kept Life-Saving Research Momentum Strong During the Pandemic

Moderator: Kristin Van Goor, PhD – Senior Director, Regulatory Policy & Intelligence, Vertex

BIO & Vertex: *An overview of industry experience from the BIO decentralized trial task force*
Speaker: Kristin Van Goor, PhD

Sanofi Genzyme: *A wholistic, patient centric & COVID-19 resilient approach to a rare disease clinical trial*
Speaker: Kimberly Hawkins, MPH

Sarepta: *Model-informed clinical trial mitigation for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy*
Speakers: Erica Koenig, PhD & Lilly East, PhD

‘In the Eye of the Storm’: An Inside Look into State Health Laboratories & Newborn Screening Programs

Moderator: Amy Gaviglio, MS, CGC – Public Health Genetics Consultant, APHL & Expecting Health

APHL and Expecting Health: *An overview of COVID-19’s impact on state newborn screening programs*
Speaker: Amy Gaviglio, MS, CGC

Iowa Department of Public Health: *Maintaining newborn screening quality during the COVID-19 pandemic & a natural disaster*
Speaker: Kimberly Noble Piper, RN, BS, CPH, CPHG

New York State Newborn Screening Lab & Northwell Health: *Continuation of a pilot study and patient follow-up during a pandemic*
Speakers: Norma Tavakoli, PhD & Dorota Gruber, MD

Wisconsin Public Health Laboratory: *Maintaining newborn screening quality during the COVID-19 pandemic*
Speaker: Mei Baker, MD

Rare Disease & COVID Urgency Aren’t Mutually Exclusive: Ensuring Continuity of Care

Moderator: Sarah-Lloyd Stevenson – Director, Faegre Drinker

Can you hear me yet? Changing the way we listen to patients in the era of telehealth
Speakers: Christine Von Raesfeld & Idean Pourshams, MD

Undiagnosed Disease Network: *COVID-19’s Impact on the diagnostic odyssey and the work of the UDN*
Speakers: Vandana Shashi, MD, MBBS & Troy Evans

Coping with an SMA diagnosis in a pandemic – the ups and downs of virtual care & when it just wasn’t enough
Speakers: Kathryn Alexander & Kathryn Swoboda, MD

2:30-2:45PM BREAK

2:45-3:30PM

Concluding Session: Our Collective Responsibility to Act

This session will feature a recap of key takeaways from the Case Study Panel Sessions & a discussion about how we move forward together.

Moderator: Annie Kennedy – Chief of Policy & Advocacy, EveryLife Foundation for Rare Diseases

Peter Stein, MD – Director, Office of New Drugs, US Food and Drug Administration

Christopher P. Austin, MD – Director, National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences, National Institutes of Health

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