

The Joey Center at The Valley Hospital Kireker Center for Child Development

P R E S E N T S :



Thursday, May 9, 2019
8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Sheraton Mahwah Hotel
1 International Boulevard
Mahwah, New Jersey 07495

Medical Issues in Children with Down Syndrome and other Developmental Disabilities: Impact on Learning and Behavior

TIPS FOR PARENTS AND EDUCATORS

CONFERENCE FOCUS

Children with Down Syndrome and other developmental disabilities are at increased risk for medical conditions that can negatively impact behavior and learning. The good news is that, with early detection, these conditions are treatable. Parents and educators are in unique positions to identify the signs and symptoms of these medical conditions in order to help each child maximize his/her potential.

General Registration Fee: \$40
Includes breakfast.
Lunch available for purchase.

To register, please visit
bit.ly/joeyconference.

For more information,
please call 201-447-8278 or
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**CONFERENCE AGENDA
ON REVERSE SIDE**

The
Joey
Center
DOWN SYNDROME SERVICES

 **The Valley
Hospital**
Valley Health System
Kireker Center
for Child Development

JOEY CENTER MEDICAL CONFERENCE AGENDA

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| 8:30 – 9 a.m. | Registration and Continental Breakfast |
| 9 – 9:15 a.m. | Welcome and Introduction to The Joey Center |
| 9:15 – 10 a.m. | Medical Evaluations to Maximize Learning: Screenings Beginning in Infancy Through Childhood Lisa Nalven, MD, MA, FAAP Developmental Pediatrician |
| 10 – 10:15 a.m. | Q & A |
| 10:15 – 11 a.m. | Feeding Challenges: Introduction to Evaluation/Intervention and Impact on Development Lori Sperduto Cox, MS, CCC-SLP, CLC, IBCLC Speech/Language Pathologist |
| 11 – 11:15 a.m. | Q & A |
| 11:15 – 11:30 a.m. | Break |
| 11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. | The Impact of Poor Sleep on Behavior and Learning Stephanie Zandieh, MD, MS, FAAP, ABSM, FCCP Pediatric Sleep Medicine |
| 12:15 – 12:30 p.m. | Q & A |
| 12:30 – 1:15 p.m. | LUNCH |
| 1:15 – 2 p.m. | Structure, Support and Impact on Function: Musculoskeletal Considerations Angela D'Alessandro, MD, ABPMR Pediatric Rehabilitation Medicine |
| 2 – 2:15 p.m. | Q & A |
| 2:15 – 3 p.m. | Growth as an Indicator of Health and Learning Paul Pelavin, MD, MS, FAAP Pediatric Endocrinologist |
| 3 – 3:15 p.m. | Q & A |
| 3:15 – 3:30 p.m. | Closing Remarks |