

SANE SWEDEN

2019 INTERNATIONAL PANS CONFERENCE

POOLING KNOWLEDGE – MOVING FORWARD

SANE Sweden is proud to announce a two-day conference on PANS and PANDAS and related conditions, will take place in Malmö, Sweden, Thursday 3 & Friday 4 October, 2019. The conference will pool current knowledge and set the pathway for new knowledge.



PANS: PEDIATRIC ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME / PANDAS: PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTIONS

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS AND TOPICS:

DEFINITION OF PANS/PANDAS: SYMPTOMS, GRADES OF SEVERITY AND TYPES OF DISEASE TRAJECTORIES

Kiki Chang, MD, Child, Adolescent, and Adult Psychiatrist; Director Pediatric Bipolar Disorders Program; Stanford School of Medicine, Co-Founder Stanford PANS Clinic, USA.

AUTOIMMUNE ENCEPHALITIS IN AUTISM: CONNECTION WITH PANS AND PANDAS

Richard Frye, MD, Child Neurologist, Associate Professor in Pediatrics at the University of Arkansas; Director of Autism Research at Arkansas Children's Hospital Research Institute, USA.

AUTOIMMUNE MOVEMENT DISORDERS: CLINICAL PHENOTYPES AND BIOMARKERS

Russell Dale, PhD, MD, Paediatric Neurologist and Professor of Paediatric Neurology, Paediatrics & Child Health, Children's Hospital, Westmead, University of Sydney, Australia.

ABERRANT IMMUNE AND NEURONAL INTERACTIONS IN POST-INFECTIOUS AUTOIMMUNE ENCEPHALITIS – LESSONS FROM ANIMAL STUDIES

Dritan Agalliu, PhD, Assistant Professor, Departments of Neurology, Pathology and Cell Biology, Pharmacology, Columbia University Irving Medical Center, USA.

A RHEUMATOLOGIST' PERSPECTIVE: OVERVIEW OF CLINIC PATIENTS AND EVIDENCE FOR INFLAMMATION IN PANS

Jennifer Frankovich, MD, MS, Pediatric Rheumatologist, Clinical Associate Professor Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Stanford, Director of PANS Program, Stanford Children's Health, USA.

IMMUNOPSYCHIATRY: STUDYING INFLAMMATORY RESPONSE IN PSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS – FINDINGS FROM ÖREBRO UNIVERSITY

Eva Särndahl, Professor in Medical Microbiology, Örebro University; Director of iRiSC – Inflammatory Response and Infection Susceptibility Centre, Sweden.

PANS IN ADULTS – ARE THERE ANY BOUNDARIES?

Susanne Bejerot, MD, PhD, Professor of Psychiatry, Örebro University, Sweden.

ACUTE ONSET DEVASTATING PSYCHIATRIC DISORDER IN CHILD AND ADOLESCENT POPULATIONS: PANS, SCHIZOPHRENIA; ENCEPHALITIS OR WHAT?

Christopher Gillberg, MD, Professor of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, University of Gothenburg, Sweden.

LINKS BETWEEN PANS, POTS AND JOINT HYPERMOBILITY, HSD

Markku Partinen, MD, Neurologist, Research Director of the Helsinki Sleep Clinic, Vitalmed Research Centre; Professor in Neurology, University of Helsinki, Finland.

DISORDERED EATING IN CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS WITH PANS

Cynthia Kappahn, MD, MPH, Clinical Professor, Division of Adolescent Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine; Medical Director, Eating Disorders Program, Lucile Packard Children's Hospital, USA.

PANS AND MOOD DISORDERS – OVERLAP OF NEUROCIRCUITRY AND IMPLICATIONS FOR TREATMENT

Kiki Chang, MD, Child, Adolescent, and Adult Psychiatrist.

CATATONIA AND AUTOIMMUNE CONDITIONS IN CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS: NEW CHALLENGES

Vladimir Ferrafiat, MD (or other member from the research team). Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Université Pierre et Marie Curie, Hôpital Pitié-Salpêtrière, Paris, France.

THE GOTHENBURG EXPERIENCE OF INTRAVENOUS IMMUNOGLOBULIN TREATMENT FOR PANDAS/PANS

Anders Fasth, MD, Professor in Immunology, Department of Pediatrics at Institute of Clinical Sciences, University of Gothenburg, Sweden.

DEVELOPING A PANDAS & PANS SERVICE – THE UNITED KINGDOM EXPERIENCE

Tim Ubhi, MD, Consultant paediatrician & fellow of the Royal college of paediatrics & child health. Children's e-hospital, United Kingdom.

EXPERIENCES FROM A SWEDISH SPECIALIZED PANS-TEAM

Caroline Gromark, MD, Child and adolescent Psychiatry specialist, BUP OCD and related disorders, CAP Research Center, Sweden.

PANS AND PANDAS – BIOMARKERS AND DIAGNOSTICS

Eva Hesselmark, PhD-student, Karolinska institutet, Stockholm, Sweden.

OPTIONAL PARALLEL SEMINARS AIMED AT PARENTS:

STRENGTHENING YOUR CHILD'S HEALTHY FOUNDATION

Amy Smith, Nurse Practitioner, Open Medicine Institute, in Mountain View, California, USA.

CREATING CALM: SUPPORTING YOUR PANS CHILD'S SENSORY NEEDS AT HOME AND SCHOOL

Michelle Newby, BHSc(OT), MSc, PhD-student (Occupational Therapy), University of Newcastle, Reg. Occupational Therapist, Clinical Director of Stepping Stones Therapy for Children Newcastle, Australia.

The conference venue is easily reached by flying into Copenhagen and then taking a short (approximately 20 minutes) train journey, directly from the airport to the venue in Malmö.

Registration is open at www.sane.nu