

California Dietetic Association/Los Angeles District Presents:

"Rethinking Pediatric Nutrition Assessment and Intervention"

The Impact of Development, Family Relationships and Resources



Date: Saturday, January 23, 2010 – 8:30am to 12:00pm

Location: Children's Hospital Los Angeles,
Ground Floor, Conference Room D, Near the Cafeteria
4650 Sunset Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90027

Website: <http://www.kintera.org/atf/cf/%7B1CB444DF-77C3-4D94-82FA-E366D7D6CE04%7D/map.gif>

Directions:

From Southbound 101

Exit Sunset Boulevard.
Left (east) on Sunset Boulevard.
Enter the hospital a half block past
Vermont on the right.

From Northbound 101

Exit Vermont Avenue.
Right (north) on Vermont Avenue to
Sunset Boulevard.
Right (east) on Sunset for half a
block.

From Interstate 5

Exit Los Feliz Boulevard.
West on Los Feliz to Hillhurst.
Left (south) on Hillhurst to Sunset
Boulevard.
Right (west) on Sunset Boulevard for half a
block.

For parking info, please, visit:

http://www.chla.org/site/c.ipNKTOAJsG/b.3783209/k.8EA2/Find_Parking.htm

Event:

- 8:30 AM Registration & Light Breakfast
- 9:00 AM Welcome & Introductions
- 9:05 AM The Back Six: Stages of Vulnerability in the Attainment of Feeding Skills: Hope Wills MA, RD, CSP
- 10:00 AM Break
- 10:05 AM I Won't Serve it / I Won't Eat It: Jumping over Parent and Child Mealtime Hurdles Biological and Social: Patricia Novak MPH, RD, CLE
- 11:00 AM Break
- 11:05 AM Assessment and Intervention Strategies for the Dietitian in Various Practice Settings: Nicole Meadow MPN, RD

Objectives: 1) Identify critical stages of development as related to feeding 2) Identify strategies to encourage progression of feeding skills 3) Use validated tools to use in assessing child's feeding skills, child/parent sensory profile & parent-child interaction around feeding 4) Utilize 2 new techniques to effectively communicate nutrition messages to caregivers 5) Collaborate with allied health professionals to meet the needs of their client's and families.

Speakers: **Hope Wills MA, RD, CSP** is the dietetic internship director at UCS University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (UCEDD) at Children's Hospital Los Angeles. She has extensive clinical experience providing nutrition services to high risk both in primary care and community settings. She is the staff nutritionist for the Feeding Development Clinic at USC UCEDD, CHLA and Alta Med General Pediatrics. Hope is a part-time lecturer at CSU Long Beach and USC school of Medicine. Hope is a dynamic presenter whose interests include family-centered care, ethics of providing nutrition services, training/education of dietetic practitioners and integrated nutrition service delivery.

Patricia Novak MPH, RD, CLE is a consulting dietitian and head of nutrition education and assessment services at Pasadena Child Development Associates. Patricia has 25 years experience working with children with autism, developmental disabilities and chronic illness. As a registered dietitian and lactation educator, Patricia's experience ranges from working with newborns to teenagers. She is a distinguished speaker and has numerous publications.

Nicole Meadow MPN, RD is an innovative healthcare provider specializing in infants, children and adolescents with experience providing nutrition screening, assessment, counseling and education for populations include, but not limited to, Overweight/Obesity, Pre/post-natal nutrition, Eating Disorders, FTT, Gastrointestinal Disorders, Autism, Food Allergies, Feeding Disorders. Nicole is the founder of NutritionWise and The San Fernando Valley Family Food Allergy Support Group. She is has been a writer/consultant for numerous online publications and frequent speaker at local schools, organizations and community events.

3.0 CPE Level 2 Requested

REGISTRATION FORM: January 23, 2010- Pediatric Feeding and Eating Issues

Early Registration Deadline: January 16, 2010 confirmed by post-marked mail

Early Registration Fee: LAD Members \$30, Student Members \$15, Non-Members \$40

At the Door Fee: LAD Members \$35, Student Members \$20, Non-Members \$45

NOTE: Space is limited so sign up early to assure a seat

Name _____ Email: _____

Contact Phone _____ Amount enclosed: \$ _____ LAD Member? Yes No

Please send this completed form and a check payable to CDA/LAD to:
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