

Fourth Annual Nationwide Children's Hospital/OSU/Wellstone Myology Course

August 24-28, 2015

Nationwide Children's Hospital will host its Fourth Annual Myology Course in August 2015. Featuring faculty from Nationwide Children's Hospital, The Ohio State University, and the NCH/OSU Muscle Group, the course is oriented toward MD and PhD trainees, with a goal of providing an up-to-date and expert survey of neuromuscular diseases. The expert faculty will address clinical syndromes, mechanisms of pathogenesis, molecular therapeutics, and aspects of career development.

This is the only U.S. workshop of its kind, featuring a mix of basic and clinical science lectures followed by specific training in either clinical treatment protocols or basic science laboratory techniques. The goal of these courses is to help trainees go beyond a basic understanding of muscle disease by gaining insights and experience from experts in the field. We ultimately want to help prepare the next generation of clinicians and translational researchers for successful research careers.

Both clinical- and laboratory-based trainees are welcome. We have structured the course so that both groups will be together for morning lectures. In the afternoon, clinical trainees will receive training in more specifically clinical activities, and laboratory trainees will take part in wet-lab activities. At the end of each day, the groups will gather for a keynote lecture. Previous course schedules are available at the registration site found below.

Thanks to the generous anticipated support of the Parent Project Muscular Dystrophy and the Muscular Dystrophy Association, there is no cost for this course. Trainees will be responsible for airfare to Columbus. Breakfast and lunch will be provided each day, but dinner will only be provided on Thursday night.

For more information or to register for the 2015 Myology Training Course, visit NationwideChildrens.org/Myology-Course. Please direct questions to Kevin Flanigan, MD, at Kevin.Flanigan@NationwideChildrens.org.

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