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6<sup>th</sup> International Patient-Doctor Conference Embassy Suites Chicago Downtown Lakefront Hotel Chicago, IL, USA April 4-6, 2014

# Welcome to Chicago!

It is with tremendous enthusiasm that I welcome you on behalf of the Chicago Support Group of the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation. CARF's Patient-Doctor Conference is always such a special event, a wonderful exchange of information, ideas, suggestions and fellowship. We hope that this 6th bi-annual meeting will live up to the high standards set by the previous conferences, and will meet or even exceed your expectations. We are so honored that you, the speakers, patients and loved ones, are joining us in Chicago from around the country and around the globe to take part. Chicago is a beautiful and cosmopolitan city with all of the art, architecture, music, sports, and fine dining that you could hope for. What distinguishes the city most, though, are the wonderful people who live here. We hope that you make time to enjoy our city and our Midwestern hospitality during your visit.

Thank you for coming!

Victoria Barbosa, MD, MPH, MBA Chicago CARF Support Group Physician Leader



# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **Hotel Information:**

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## Parking:

Self-parking at the Embassy Suites Chicago Downtown/Lakefront Hotel is available at the daily rate of \$39, valet parking is \$55/day.

### Attire:

Casual attire is appropriate throughout the conference.

#### **Evaluations:**

Your feedback is important to CARF. Please complete a conference evaluation before you depart from the conference. Evaluations may be deposited in one of the marked black boxes.

### Questions for the Experts:

Saturday/April 5th we will have an "Ask the Experts" panel from 2:00PM-3:30PM. Please write down your question for the panel on the form provided in your registration packet. The forms may be deposited in one of the marked black boxes by 12:00PM on Saturday or turned in to the registration desk. Volunteers will also be present at the conclusion of the morning session on Saturday to collect forms.

### Saturday Evening Dinner:

If you registered to attend the Saturday evening dinner you will find your meal ticket in the back of your identification badge. Please remember to bring this ticket to dinner on Saturday evening, and place it on your table, so your server can bring you the meal you previously selected. There will be no assigned seating for this meal.

# **CARF HEADQUARTERS & STAFF**

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# **CONFERENCE PROGRAM**

# Friday, April 4, 2014

5:00PM-7:00PM

Reception at <u>Lucky Strike Chicago</u> (River East Center, 322 E. Illinois St., Chicago, IL) ....... Wine Room Thank you to the CARF Chicago Support Group for sponsoring this reception!

Saturday, April 5, 2014			
8:00AM-9:30AM	Registration		
9:00AM-12:00PM	Morning Session		
9:00-9:05 9:05-9:10 9:10-9:40 9:40-10:00 10:00-10:25 10:25-10:50 10:50-11:00 11:00-11:30 11:30-11:55	Welcome  CARF Update  Overview of Cicatricial Alopecia  Medical Treatment of Cicatricial Alopecia  Surgical Treatment of Cicatricial Alopecia  Update on the Topical Gabapentin Study Hair Care Products and Styling  Wigs and Hair Pieces  Victoria Barbosa, MD, MPH, MBA, Conference Chair  Rita Wanser, Chairman of the Board, CARF  Amy McMichael, MD, Wake Forest University  Jerry Shapiro, MD, University of British Columbia  Vera Price, MD, University of California, San Francisco  Carlos J. Puig, DO, PHRC, Houston  Maria Hordinsky, MD/Daniel Groth, Research Fellow, Univ of MN  Jacqueline Tarrant, Chicago  Mette Menotti, Chicago		
12:00PM-2:00PM	Lunch on your own		
2:00PM-3:30PM	Ask the Expert Panel Session		
3:00PM-4:30PM	Coffee with the Experts – Round Table Discussions		
5:00PM-6:00PM	Support Group Leaders Meeting		
7:00PM-8:00PM	Cocktail Reception (cash bar)		
8:00PM-11:00PM	CARF Hosted Dinner for Attendees and their registered GuestsChicago River Ballroom		

# CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Sunday, April 6, 2014			
7:00AM-7:45AM	Yoga (Pre-registration required)Karen Payne, Instructor	Ohio River Room	
8:00AM-9:15AM	Express Yourself Support Groups		
9:30AM-11:45AM	Morning Session	Chicago River Ballroom	
9:30-10:00	Research Update	Ken Washenik, MD, PhD, New York University	
	There's More to Care For than Hair		
10:00-10:25	The Role for Integrative Medicine	Dominic Patawaran, MD	
10:25-10:55	Nutrition and Inflammation	Sharon P. Foley, PhD, RD, LDN	
10:55-11:15	Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine	Brendan Mattson, L.Ac, MSAOM	
11:15-11:40	Tools for Stress Management	Amanda Kleinman, MD	
11:40-11:45	Closing Remarks	Mary Clay, MS	

# SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

#### Willie Baldwin

Dedicated husband and supporter of a wife with cicatricial alopecia

#### Victoria Barbosa, MD, MPH, MBA

Dr. Victoria Barbosa is the founder of Millennium Park Dermatology and an Assistant Professor in the Rush University Department of Dermatology. She holds an undergraduate degree from Harvard College and a medical degree from the Yale University School of Medicine. She completed an internship in internal medicine at the Massachusetts General Hospital, and completed her residency in dermatology at Yale. She went on to enjoy a research fellowship as a Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholar at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, where she also earned a Master's Degree in Public Health from the Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health. Dr. Barbosa later earned a Master's Degree in Business Administration from Northwestern University's Kellogg School of Management. She is an internationally recognized expert in hair and scalp disorders, ethnic skin disorders, and cosmetics and cosmeceuticals. As both a respected authority and a gifted communicator, Dr. Barbosa has lectured at countless scientific meetings and community events, has appeared on numerous local and national radio and television broadcasts, and is often quoted in magazines and newspapers including the New York Times, the Chicago Tribune, the Chicago Sun Times, Essence and Ebony Magazines, to name a few. She has co-authored The Reader's Digest Guide to Skin Care which had been met with praise for being enlightening and easy-to-read. She has also co-edited Skin of Color, a textbook published by Springer last year. One of the few dermatologists in the country who is also a cosmetics industry insider, Dr. Barbosa was formerly a Vice President in Research and Development at the global beauty giant L'Oréal. She serves as a scientific advisor to the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation, on the board of the North American Hair Research Society and on the Board of Trustees of Dillard University.

### Mary Clay, MS

Mary Clay is the Director of the Transfusion Medicine Research and Development Program at the University of Minnesota Medical School. Her experience as a research scientist and administrator spans a period of 42 years and a range of responsibilities directed at managing and conducting research studies and clinical trials sponsored by the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, several biotechnology companies and the American Red Cross Biomedical Services. Her diagnosis of lichen planopilaris in 2006 was both her introduction to CARF and her CARF immersion therapy as she became involved with the planning and conductance of the CARF Patient - Doctor Conference that was held in Minneapolis that year. As a scientist, she is very familiar with the proposed inflammatory mechanisms associated with cicatricial alopecia and, as a patient, she understands the magnitude of the psychological and emotional distress associated with scarring hair loss. Over the past 8 years patient support has been a primary focus of her sustaining involvement with CARF and is now her initiative as a member of CARF's Board of Directors.

### Maria Colavincenzo, MD

Dr. Colavincenzo is a board-certified general medical dermatologist with a special interest in hair loss (alopecia). She also has expertise in the detection and treatment of skin cancer and benign skin growths, and management of acne, eczema, and many other skin conditions. Dr. Colavincenzo completed her undergraduate degree in biology at Princeton University, attended medical school at the University of Pennsylvania, and completed an internship in internal medicine at Northwestern Memorial Hospital. Following her dermatology residency at the Weill Cornell Medical Center/New York Presbyterian Hospital in New York City, Dr. Colavincenzo joined the full-time faculty as an Assistant Professor of clinical dermatology at Cornell before joining the full-time faculty at Northwestern in 2009.

### Jeff Conrad

Dedicated husband and supporter of a wife with cicatricial alopecia

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#### Lady Dy, MD

Dr. Lady C. Dy is a board certified dermatologist and dermatopathologist. She is an associate professor of dermatology, the director of dermatopathology and the residency program director of the dermatology program at Rush University Medical Center. Dr. Dy has expertise in hair disorders, scalp diseases and ethnic and skin and scalp conditions. With her expertise in dermatopathology, Dr. Dy 's medical practice provides a combined clinical and histologic approach in diagnosing hair and scalp diseases in all skin types. Dr. Dy received her BS degree, Magna Cum Laude, in Biomedical Sciences and an Master's in Science with highest distinction in Biological Sciences from Western Michigan University. She obtained her medical degree from the highly regarded McMaster University Medical School in Ontario, Canada. Following medical school, she completed an internship in Internal Medicine at Spectrum Health System in Grand Rapids, MI and a basic science research fellowship in Dermatology at Indiana University School of Medicine. She stayed at Indiana University and completed a Dermatology residency followed by a fellowship in Dermatopathology at the University of Chicago, Pritzker School of Medicine. During her graduate studies and post-graduate medical training Dr. Dy became a clinical studies co-investigator in the Clinical Outpatient Research Center at Indiana University Medical Center, an instructor in skin care and prevention in the Indianapolis community and an assistant attending in Dermatology at Moi University in Kenya. She joined the Department of Dermatology at RUSH University Medical Center in 2003. Since her appointment Dr. Dy has lectured and presented nationally on various topics on hair. She has also published numerous articles and has written book chapter on the biology of hair, ethnic hair and office diagnosis of hair shaft diosrders. Dr. Dy is fluent in various Chinese dialects as well as Tagalog, the native language of the Philippines.

#### Sharon P. Foley, PhD, RD, LDN

Sharon Foley, PhD, RD, is an assistant professor in the Department of Clinical Nutrition at Rush University Medical Center, Chicago, Illinois. Previous to her appointment at Rush she worked at Hines VA Hospital in a variety of positions including nutrition support specialist, Clinical Manager, Dietetic Internship Director, and Assistant Director of Nutrition and Food Services. She has served as Co-Chair on both the Research and Professional Oversight Sub-Committee and the Education Sub-Committee of the National Advisory Board, Nutrition & Food Services, Department of Veterans Affairs. She has been a Site Visitor for many years and board member of the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND). She currently teaches courses in statistics, research methodology, management, leadership, and metabolism at Rush. Her research interests include assessing psychometric properties of measures using Rasch analysis.

Lynne J. Goldberg, MD Professor of Dermatology and Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, Boston University School of Medicine
Dr. Goldberg attended medical school at Downstate Medical Center in New York, and then went on to complete residencies in both Internal
Medicine at New York University and Dermatology at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine. She relocated to Boston in 1992 to train in
Dermatopathology at Boston University under Dr. Jag Bhawan. Following her fellowship, she joined the Dermatology faculty at Boston University
School of Medicine, where she is currently a Professor of Dermatology and Pathology and Laboratory Medicine. Dr. Goldberg divides her time
between the practices of dermatopathology and clinical dermatology. She has a special interest in alopecia, and runs the Hair Clinic at Boston
Medical Center.

**Daniel Groth** Clinical Research Fellow at the Department of Dermatology, University of Minnesota; 4th year medical student at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.

Daniel has spent the last year researching cicatricial and non-cicatricial alopecias, with a focus on examining how cutaneous innervation and neurogenic inflammation may affect these diseases. After his research fellowship ends, Daniel will return to NYC to complete his last year of medical school at Mount Sinai. Prior to medical school, he spent one year in South Korea teaching English on a Fulbright Grant. Daniel will return to Korea this spring to present at the Korean Hair Research Society Meeting.

### Maria Hordinsky, MD Professor and Chair of the Department of Dermatology, University of Minnesota

Dr. Hordinsky is nationally and internationally recognized for her expertise and research in hair diseases and the peripheral nervous system as it relates to hair follicle biology. Dr. Hordinsky completed her dermatology residency at the University of Minnesota Medical School. Additional training in translational and clinical research was subsequently supported with a fellowship from the Dermatology Foundation and then a National Research Service Award from the National Institute of Health. Dr. Hordinsky is Chair of the Clinical Research Advisory Council of the National Alopecia Areata Foundation, a member of the Scientific Advisory Board, Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation, and Secretary Treasurer to the North American Hair Research Society. Currently she is also President of the Association of Professors of Dermatology.

### Amanda S. Kleinman, MD

Dr. Kleinman is an assistant professor of Psychiatry and Dermatology at Rush University Medical Center in Chicago, Illinois. Dr. Kleinman attended medical school at Northwestern University in Chicago and completed a psychiatry residency at the University of Washington in Seattle. Dr. Kleinman joined Rush in 2007 as the Director of Outpatient Psychiatry, overseeing growth and development of the central outpatient clinic and transforming resident education in the outpatient setting. Dr. Kleinman additionally has served as an Assistant Program Director for the Psychiatry Residency at Rush University. Dr. Kleinman entered the field of Psychodermatology in 2009, partnering with Dermatologists Dr. Michael Tharp of Rush University and Dr. Warren Piette of John H. Stroger Jr. Hospital of Cook County. Special areas of interest include hair loss, unresolvable itch and delusions of parasitosis. Dr. Kleinman will be entering private practice in July 2014, practicing general psychiatry and psychodermatology.

### Brendan Mattson, DAOM, L.Ac,

Brendan Mattson is the Chair of the Herbal Medicine Department at Pacific College of Oriental Medicine in Chicago Illinois, where he also teaches classes in Traditional Chinese Medicine theory, Tai Chi, and herbal medicine. Brendan studied Chinese language, history, and philosophy at DePaul University before going on the masters and doctorate programs in Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine at Bastyr University in Seattle. Brendan practices acupuncture, bodywork, and Chinese herbal medicine at Ravenswood Healing Arts, specializing in integrative care for cancer patients.

# SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

#### Amy J. McMichael, MD

Dr. McMichael is a Professor of Dermatology at Wake Forest Baptist Health in Winston-Salem, NC. She has published numerous articles and book chapters in the area of scalp and hair disorders, as well as quality of life issues surrounding disorders of pigmentation. She is currently listed in Best Doctors in America and is a diplomat of the American Board of Dermatology. She has also served on several editorial review boards and presently is a contributing editor for Cosmetic Dermatology as well as the continuing medical education editor for *The Dermatologist*. She is Program Director and Chair of dermatology at Wake Forest Baptist.

#### Mette H. Menotti

Mette Menotti originally from Copenhagen, Denmark founded World Hair Institute in Chicago, IL. The Institute works solely with clients that are in need of Hair Addition, Non-Surgical Hair Replacement, and Combinations by providing customized solutions that do not damage and in many situations improves the client's existing hair. Mette's journey into Hair Addition began when she went through the devastation of thinning; she lost about 40% of her hair when she was 20. Fortunately some of it returned. Due to the many specialized Methods developed by Mette, clients are local but also come from further away; Kentucky, New York, Florida, Nebraska and the Canary Islands. World Hair Institute also works within the community by partnering with among others Wigs For Kids and the American Cancer Society's Look Good Feel Better program.

#### Stavonnie S.L. Patterson, MD

Dr. Patterson is an assistant professor of dermatology at Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine. She received her undergraduate degree in Biology from Stanford University and attended Morehouse School of Medicine. Dr. Patterson completed a residency in Internal Medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital of the Harvard Medical School. Following this training she worked as a hospitalist at the Dallas Veterans Affairs Medical Center. She then went on to complete her dermatology residency at Duke University Hospital where she served as Chief Resident. Dr. Patterson is board certified in both internal medicine and dermatology. Her clinical interests include ethnic skin care, hair loss disorders and medical dermatology.

### Vera H. Price, MD, F.R.C.P.C

Vera Price is Professor of Dermatology at the University of California, San Francisco. Her special expertise is in hair and hair biology. Dr. Price received her medical degree from the University of Toronto, Canada, and trained in Dermatology at New York University Postgraduate Medical School. She is credited with describing several new hair disorders. Dr. Price is co-founder of two non-profit organizations, the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation (CARF) and the National Alopecia Areata Foundation (NAAF). She is a fervent advocate of patient support organizations and is keenly aware of the huge role they play in the lives of many patients. She is also a founding member of the North American Hair Research Society. Dr. Price recently coauthored a book with Dr. Paradi Mirmirani, entitled "Cicatricial Alopecia: An Approach to Diagnosis and Management", published in May, 2011. This book is the first devoted to this topic and DVD copies of the book have been donated to dermatology residents in the U.S. and Canada.

#### Carlos J. Puig, DO

Founding member of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery. Over the years, Houston hair restoration specialist, Dr. Puig has presented papers, workshops and surgical demonstrations on many topics including: female Hair Restoration, Complex Hair Transplant Case management, Professional Marketing of Hair Transplantation, Professional Ethics, Emergency Preparedness in Hair Transplant Surgery Practice, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Hair Restoration Surgery Office Design, Hair Restoration Surgery Tea Management, Complication Management, Hair Transplant Fellowship Instructor Training. Dr. Puig is a Fellow of the American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery, Fellow of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery, and the Diplomate, and the past President of the American Board of Hair Restoration Surgery. Dr. Puig is a clinical instructor in hair restoration surgery at the Baylor Facial Plastic Surgery Center, in Houston. Dr. Puig has had a special interest in Continuous Quality Improvement and the application of Six Sigma Principals to Hair Restoration Surgery for nearly 15 years. He has studied with W. Edwards Deming and other authorities on this topic. Dr. Puig has served as chair of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery Fellowship Training Committee, helping to complete the new Guidelines for International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery Fellowship Training Progarms and expanding the available programs from three to seven during his tenure; he also has chaired the Core Curriculum Committee, and the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery Task Force for Physician and Assistant Education. Dr. Puig is currently the immediate Past President of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery Board of Governors.

### Nicole E. Rogers, MD

Dr. Nicole Rogers is a board certified dermatologist and fellow of both the American Academy of Dermatology and the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery. She is in private practice in New Orleans, Louisiana where she specializes in all forms of hair loss and scalp disorders, as well as performing hair transplant surgery. She is an Assistant Clinical Professor at Tulane School of Medicine for the Department of Dermatology. This year she will be heading up the CARF newsletter.

#### Ingrid Roseborough, MD

Dr. Ingrid Roseborough is a native Chicagoan and a board-certified dermatologist, practicing in Oakland, California. Dr. Roseborough treats a broad spectrum of dermatologic conditions, with a special focus on disorders of the hair and scalp. She serves as clinical faculty in the Hair Disorders Clinic in the Department of Dermatology at the University of California San Francisco.

# SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

#### Jerry Shapiro, MD

Dr. Shapiro is one of the most experienced hair dermatologists in the world and has specialized in hair disorders for the past 25 years. He is the first dermatologist in the world to exclusively restrict his practice to both medical hair and scalp disorders as well as hair transplant surgery. He holds dual academic appointments at the New York University Langone Medical Center and the University of British Columbia. He is also the Director of the Hair Transplant Centre in Vancouver at the University of British Columbia.

#### **Jacqueline Tarrant**

Jacqueline Tarrant is recognized as a beauty expert, author, consultant, columnist, salon owner, and founder of the Hair Trauma Center in downtown Chicago. As a 3rd generation beauty professional, International platform artist and former Director of Education and Product Development Specialist with L'Oreal USA, Jacqueline continues to add layers to her beauty expertise. Her knowledgeable approach to all things related to hair care and hair health is expressed monthly in national columns that reach millions through various publications like Sophisticates of Black Hair. Jacqueline's expert opinions have been seen in Seventeen, Cosmopolitan, Essence & the Wall Street Journal to name a few. She has had numerous Style & Beauty appearances nationwide on Good Morning America, NBC, CBS, & the Fox Network. Jacqueline's reputation as a renowned Educator, Trainer and Platform Artist have taken her throughout Canada, Europe, Africa, South America and the Caribbean. During the week you can find Jacqueline at her Michigan Ave Hair Trauma Center, where clients keep her busy. It is here where she utilizes cutting edge technology with Cool Light Laser as one of her most requested treatments to re-grow the hair of her loyal client base. In an effort to share her expertise with a broader audience, Jacqueline has penned the must have beauty publication, "Healthy Hair Rehab Now!" This insider's guide will empower the reader with the knowledge to identify the 3 key steps for the best hair at any age. "Healthy Hair Rehab Now" takes an informative approachable look at the causes and provides you with the solutions for problem hair. You may be surprised to learn how much power you have to change the factors causing you to lose your hair.

#### Rita Wanser

Rita has been a member of the Board of Directors for CARF since 2005, holding various positions and assuming the role as Chair in 2011. Her professional background is in Clinical Research and Medical Affairs, having experience across several therapeutic areas, including leading various hair re-growth projects. She has been a member of other non-profit boards. Rita holds a B.S. in Organizational Management and a M.S. in Psychology. She is married, with two sons, and lives in New Jersey.

## Ken Washenik, MD, PhD

Ken Washenik, MD, PhD, is the Chief Executive Officer and Medical Director of the Bosley Medical Groups, the world's largest hair restoration practice, and the former Chief Executive Officer of the Aderans Research Institute, a biotechnology firm involved in researching tissue engineered hair follicle neogenesis and cellular based hair restoration. Dr. Washenik is the immediate past President and a Board member of the North American Hair Research Society and Vice Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Hair Foundation. He is also on the Board of the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery and the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation as well as a member of the American Academy of Dermatology and the medical honor society, Alpha Omega Alpha. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Dermatology and a member of the Dermatological Society of Greater New York and the Los Angeles Metropolitan Dermatological Society. The former director of the Dermatopharmacology Unit at the New York University School of Medicine, Dr. Washenik continues to serve as a clinical investigator and faculty member in the Department of Dermatology. Dr. Washenik, a well known national and international lecturer, has presented many seminars on hair growth and loss, dermatopharmacology and dermatology-related issues. His Ph.D. is in Cell Biology and focused on hormone metabolism. Dr. Washenik has published numerous scientific and medical articles in peer review journals including Endocrinology, Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology, Archives of Dermatology, The Lancet and The New England Journal of Medicine.

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CARF expresses its sincere gratitude to Laurence Spector and Ken Washenik for donating this special raffle prize. Thank you!

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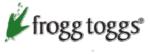






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