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UNDERSTANDING MEDICAL AND CAREGIVING ISSUES IN THE FRONTOTEMPORAL DEMENTIAS

First Massachusetts FTD Education Symposium

Developed by the Massachusetts General Hospital Frontotemporal Dementia Unit
and the Association for Frontotemporal Dementias

Thursday, October 29 2009

Bay Colony Corporate Conference Center | 1100 Winter Street – Center Building – First Floor | Waltham MA 02451

A CONFERENCE FOR CAREGIVERS AND HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

8:30 AM	Registration	Refreshments provided
9:15 AM	Introduction	Susan Dickinson Executive Director, Association for Frontotemporal Dementias
9:30	Overview of FTD	Brad Dickerson, MD M.MSc Associate Professor, Neurology, Harvard Medical School and Director, MGH FTD Unit
10:30	Genetics and FTD	Diane Lucente, MS Molecular Neurogenetics Unit, MGH
11:20	Break	
11:30	Research Issues in FTD	Mary Austrom, PhD Professor of Clinical Psychology, Indiana University
12:30	Q&A	All speakers
12:45 PM	LUNCH	A light lunch will be provided.
1:15	Communication in PPA/FTD	Daisy Sapolsky, M.S., CCC-SLP MGH Speech Pathology, MGH FTD Unit
2:00	Managing Difficult Behaviors	Paul Raia, PhD Vice President of Clinical Services, Alzheimer's Association, MA/NH Chapter
2:50	Break	
3:00	Managing Caregiving	Lisa Radin Author, "What if it's not Alzheimers" and Association for Frontotemporal Dementias
4:00	Final Q&A / Closing	Brad Dickerson/Susan Dickinson

Free parking on site. Directions available at <http://www.baycolonyma.com/location.aspx>

Space is limited, advance registration by mail with payment by check **required**.

Continuing education credits (CEU) for social workers only.

Cost

\$25 family members, friends, caregivers
\$40 Social Workers requesting CEUs, and other healthcare professionals

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