American Partnership for Eosinophilic Disorders

EosConnection 2017:
15th Annual Patient Education Conference on Gastrointestinal Disorders
Hope for better treatments.
Hope for a brighter future.
Hope for a cure.

APFED's Hope on the Horizon Research Fund turns "hope" into "action" by offering peer-reviewed, competitive grants for researchers who are paving the way to a better understanding of eosinophil-associated diseases and improved treatments.

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Together, we can keep hope strong!
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Welcome!

Thank you for joining us for APFED’s 15th Annual Patient Conference! We dedicate this conference to the patients and families living with eosinophil-associated diseases, and to the members of the medical community who research and treat these illnesses.

This program contains a schedule of events, session descriptions, helpful information about the hotel and the Greenville area, copies of the presentations, and other helpful resources.

Conference Technology

**Facebook** - Like APFED’s official Facebook page (http://www.facebook.com/APFED) and follow us as we post photos and information about the conference. You may also wish to join the Facebook group for conference attendees, where you can connect with others: [https://www.facebook.com/groups/753122814850186/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/753122814850186/)

**Twitter Hashtag - #EosConnection** – For those who will be tweeting or following tweets throughout the conference, please add #EosConnection to all of your tweets.

**Wi-Fi Access**

Complimentary Wi-Fi is available in guestrooms and in common areas.

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APFED is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to passionately embrace, support, and improve the lives of patients and families affected by eosinophil-associated diseases through education and awareness, research, support, and advocacy. For more information about the programs and services we offer, visit apfed.org.

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**Disclaimer**

All information presented at this conference is for the sole use of the attendees. Permission for the use of this information and all associated materials must be obtained from the individual speakers. Information presented here is the opinion of the speakers; any questions that arise as a result of this conference regarding patient care should be directed to your consulting physician. Agenda and speakers are subject to change.
# Schedule of Events

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## Thursday, July 6

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*Breakfast on your own*

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## 9:30 AM-Noon – Concurrent Sessions

### Session 1:

**EGIDs: The Journey Begins**

*Suggested for patients and caregivers who are new to APFED's conferences and/or those who are within 3 years of diagnosis.*

**Location:** Regency D/E

### Session 2:

**EGIDs: The Journey Continues**

*Suggested for patients and caregivers who have previously attended APFED's conferences and/or those who have been living with EGI D for longer than 3 years.*

**Location:** Regency C

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**1:15-2:45 PM – SESSION 3: Dietary Management**

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**Twitter**

Join the conversation and share what you are learning with others during the conference on Twitter. Use hashtag #EosConnection so others can follow along with the updates.
Thank you to our Education Partners for making APFED’s EosConnection 2017 possible:

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Supporting Level Education Partner

Academic Partner
SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Thursday, July 6
Family Fun Pool Party
Hotel Pool
10:30 AM-1:30 PM

If you are arriving onsite on Thursday, join us for a pool party at the hotel pool! This gathering is open to all conference attendees and their families – all are welcome! Come meet up with old friends, or make new connections that will last a lifetime! Look for signs in the pool area to locate our group.

Attendee Meet & Greet
Hotel Lounge Area
4:00 PM-5:00 PM
This casual meet and greet is designed to help families meet one another and help them make the most of their conference experience. Come say "hi" and introduce yourself! Look for signs in the hotel lounge area to locate our group.

Friday, July 7
Fundraiser: APFED’s HOPE on the Horizon Twilight Walk for Eos
Join us as we walk, rain or shine, to raise funds for research! Make new friends, meet other families, and walk for a great cause!

6:15 PM
Walk check-in in Regency Foyer (Hyatt), and to meet the shuttle that will take our group to Cleveland Park.

6:30 PM-8:30 PM
Walk in Cleveland Park

Saturday, July 8
Saturday Night Social/Anniversary Party – Family Friendly Event
6:30 PM-9:00 PM
Join us as we celebrate APFED’s 15th Anniversary! Light fare, music, dancing, and entertainment provided. A cash bar will be available, and we will be hosting a silent auction. Conference registrants and their children and travel companions are invited to attend.

Sunday, July 9
If your travel plans include a day in Greenville on Sunday, why not make plans to meet up with the friends you have made at the conference? Find other attendees who are looking to connect on our Facebook Group page: https://www.facebook.com/groups/753122814850186/
Social Mixer for Families

Saturday, July 8, 2017
6:30pm to 9:00pm
Studio 220
Hyatt Regency, 2nd Floor

Join us in celebration of APFED’s 15th Anniversary!

- DJ
- Dancing
- Light fare and cash bar
- “Science on Wheels” demonstration
- Silent auction
- Fun for all ages

Conference attendees, their children, and their travel companions are welcome!
PARENT AND CHILD PROGRAM

Ages 4-10
Saturday, July 8
8:30 - 11:30 AM

Room: Teal Suite (2nd floor)
Pre-Registration and Chaperone Required

We are pleased to offer a Children’s Program again this year, thanks to the generosity of the staff at Child Life Services at Children’s Hospital of Greenville Health System who have volunteered their time, effort, and supplies to make this program available. The program is open to all children aged 4-10 of APFED conference registrants. There is no cost for children to participate. All children attending this program must have an adult chaperone with them at all times. NO food or beverages will be allowed in the room where the activities are being held. (Backpacks with feeding pumps necessary for continuous feeds are permitted).

Schedule:

8:15-8:30  Check In
8:30-8:50  Welcome, Introductions and Ice Breaker
9:00-9:15  Bathroom Break
9:15-10:15 Station Journey
  ➢ Station #1: Gravity Feeding Bag Toss
    Test your aim! Toss gravity feeding bags into bedpans
  ➢ Station #2: Syringe Robots
    Make robots out of syringes
    *Syringes are new/unused, made of plastic, and do not contain needles
  ➢ Station #3: Play Doctor
    The kids get the chance to play doctor/nurse on medical play dolls
  ➢ Station #4: Peg tube painting
    Paint pictures using peg tube with syringe
    *Syringes are new/unused, made of plastic, and do not contain needles

10:15-10:30  Bathroom Break
10:30-11:00  Medical Bingo
  Bingo with a twist! Instead of numbers, our Bingo cards feature pictures of equipment that kids may see in doctor’s offices and hospitals.
11:00-11:30  Medical Collages
11:30  Say our good-byes!

Special thanks to Billy Chrouser, MS, CCLS, Child Life Specialist, Greenville Health System for making this program possible
Tweens & Teens Session Agenda
Friday, July 7 and Saturday, July 8
Ages 11-19 (no parents, please)

All teens and tweens attending sessions must be registered for the conference

Schedule

**Friday, July 7**
9:00 AM-11:00 AM  Kid’s Scavenger Hunt (Volunteers needed)
11:00 AM-12:30 PM  Banner Making
12:30 PM-1:15 PM  Bring-a-Lunch Get-Together
2:15 PM-6:15 PM  Escape Room/ Banner and Video Making
6:30 PM-8:30 PM  HOPE on the Horizon Twilight Walk
8:30 PM - ?  Video Making

**Saturday, July 8**
10:00 AM-12:00 PM  Teen Activities*
12:00 PM-1:00 PM  Lunch (allergy-friendly boxed lunch provided for those who eat)
1:00 PM-3:00 PM  Teen Activities*
3:00 PM-6:00 PM  Video Making
7:00 PM-10:00 PM  Video Competition – Saturday Night Anniversary Party in Studio 220
(all videos will be shown & judged at this event)

*Team Building Games and Breakout Session Mentoring Program
Sessions will be geared toward ages, not grade-specific
HELPFUL INFORMATION

Onsite Conference Contact
Laura Jackson
Phone: 317-509-1164

Hotel Information
Hyatt Regency Greenville
220 N. Main Street
Greenville, South Carolina 29601
Phone: (864) 235-1234

Check in: 3:00 PM
Check out: Noon

The hotel features complimentary Wi-Fi, a 24 hour fitness facility, outdoor pool, and jogging paths.

Parking
The Hyatt Regency Greenville offers convenient parking options:

Valet parking: $20 per day with in/out privileges
Self-parking: Available in the adjacent City Parking Garage called Commons Parking. This four level garage is connected to the Hyatt Regency Greenville by a covered walkway. Costs are determined on an hourly basis; each time a guest exits the parking structure, they will need to pay the current charge. The overnight parking charge is $7.50.

Airport Transportation
The Hyatt Regency Greenville offers complimentary shuttle service to and from Greenville-Spartanburg Airport, which is 14 miles away. The shuttle runs daily from 5:30 AM - 12:00 AM. Please call guest services, (864) 235-1234, twenty-four (24) hours prior to your arrival to confirm shuttle times and arrange pick-up.

Refrigerators & Microwaves
The hotel has a limited supply of in-room mini refrigerators available for use. Refrigerators will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. Please contact the front desk if you would like a refrigerator for your room.

In-room microwaves are not permitted. We do offer a Hospitality Suite, exclusively for APFED conference attendees that is equipped with a full size refrigerator with freezer for storage of formula and safe foods, microwave, and sink. The Hospitality Suite will be open and staffed during published hours (see next page).
HELPFUL INFORMATION

Meals
A continental breakfast and a boxed lunch will be provided to registered conference attendees on Saturday. We work hard to provide options for those following a 6-food elimination diet.

APFED works with the catering staff to educate them on how to avoid cross-contact and provides ingredient substitution and specialty food recommendations. We work to ensure catering staff labels all ingredients carefully, and that buffet items are separated with designated serving utensils. Please be cautious, read all food labels, and be aware that some foods may contain ingredients that you should avoid.

Hospitality Suite
To provide for conference attendees who have formula or other dietary needs, we have provided a Hospitality Suite for food storage and preparation. The suite includes a refrigerator/freezer, microwave, sink, dish soap, paper towels, and disposable tableware. This room will be staffed and open during posted hours only. Anyone using the suite must be a conference attendee and must be over the age of 16 or with a legal adult.

Location: Room 460 (4th Floor)
Thursday, July 6  4:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Friday, July 7  7:00 AM – 1:00 PM; 4:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Saturday, July 8  7:00 AM – 1:00 PM; 4:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Sunday, July 9  7:00 AM – Noon

This room will be open during posted hours and locked when not in use. If you need to access the Hospitality Suite outside of the posted hours, please visit the registration desk or contact Laura Jackson, (317) 509-1164 for assistance.

Childcare
We are unable to accommodate children age 11 and under in regular conference sessions on Friday and Saturday. A children’s program is offered on Saturday for children ages 4-10 with a chaperone, who have pre-registered. No childcare services are provided by APFED. Below are local services you may wish to contact to arrange childcare.**

Smart Sitters
Phone: (864) 630-8503, (864) 518-0093
Email: SmartSitters@gmail.com

Executive Sitters
Website: http://www.execsitters.com/index.html

**Please note, APFED has provided this information as a courtesy only. APFED does not endorse or recommend any particular childcare service. We recommend you consult with other sources to determine the reputation, reliability, and safety of childcare services.
Explore Greenville!

This guide offers a sampling of things to see and experience, as well as some practical resources, during your visit to Greenville for APFED’s 15th Annual Patient Conference.

Be sure to visit the website links for specific hours, ticket prices, exhibit descriptions, etc. If you have special needs, be sure to contact the venue and ask about its ability to accommodate.

Special thanks to Niki Peters for her assistance with compiling this information.

**ATTRACTIONS**

**The Children’s Museum of the Upstate**  
[www.tcmupstate.org](http://www.tcmupstate.org)  
0.2 miles from the Hyatt, 6 minute walk  
300 College St, Greenville 29601  
(864) 233-7755  
Hours: Tues – Sat 9AM-5PM, Sun 11AM-5PM  
All-Day Admission: Child (age 1-15) - $9, Under age 1 – Free, Adult - $10. Senior - $9.50  
Allow 3-4 hours to see and do everything. Free parking on Saturday & Sunday, and on weekdays if you exit parking area after 5PM (regardless of when you arrived). Weekday parking is 50 cents per hour with max of $4/day. No outside food or drink permitted, but families can bring a picnic lunch to eat on the lawn right outside on Heritage Green. Wristbands allow you to leave the museum and re-enter. A café in the museum serves a limited Chick-Fil-A menu and snacks from 11AM-2PM Tues – Sat and 12:30-4PM Sunday (no CFA on Sundays).

**Greenville Gemstone Mine**  
[www.greenvillegemstonemine.com](http://www.greenvillegemstonemine.com)  
Across the street from the Hyatt, 1 minute walk  
205 N. Main St, Greenville 29601  
(864) 283-6300  
Open 7 days a week, 10AM – 7PM  
Indoor Mining Experience! Purchase a bucket of mine dirt and enjoy the hands-on experience of flume mining with lots of running water. Bucket prices start at $9. All equipment is provided. Guaranteed gem find every time. The store also has an impressive selection of gems, minerals, fossils and petrified wood from as far away as Africa, the Middle East and Brazil.

**Mice on Main**  
[www.miceonmain.com/mousehunthints.html](http://www.miceonmain.com/mousehunthints.html)  
Go on a mouse hunt!  
Along both sides of Main Street from the Hyatt to the Poinsett Hotel (0.3 miles)  
See the website for clues, and go on a scavenger hunt to find the 9 little bronze mice!
Swamp Rabbit Trail
www.greenvillerec.com/swamprabbit/
17.5 mile paved trail made along a former railroad track. The trail stretches from downtown Greenville past Furman University and through downtown Travelers Rest. The Swamp Rabbit Trail is moderately flat and closed to traffic, so it’s perfect for bike riding, walking, and running! You can rent bikes and have them delivered to the Hyatt.

Greenville County Museum of Art
www.gcma.org
0.3 miles from the Hyatt, 6 minute walk
420 College St, Greenville 29601
(864) 271-7570
Open Wed – Sat 10AM-6PM, Sun 1-5PM
Admission is Free!
Food and beverages are not permitted.
Features American art with a focus on Southern American artists from colonial times to the present. The world’s largest collection of watercolors by world-renowned artist Andrew Wyeth. Extensive collection of contemporary pieces by Jasper Johns. Explore the museum on your own, or schedule a docent-led tour for groups of 10 or more on Wed, Thurs and Fri. Tours last 1 hour and free of charge. They can customize tours for children/families.

Upcountry History Museum
www.Upcountryhistory.org
0.4 miles from Hyatt, 9 minute walk
540 Buncombe St, Greenville 29601
(864) 467-3100
Tues-Sat: 10AM - 5PM, Sunday: 1 - 5PM
$4 for children age 4-18, Free for kids age 0-3, $6/adult, $5 for seniors 65+, $5 for college students with ID, $3/person with EBT card & photo ID (up to 4 people per EBT card holder). See “Weekly Events” below for free admission 5:30-8:30PM on Thurs July 6th!

Falls Park on the Reedy River / Liberty Bridge
www.fallspark.com
0.7 miles from the Hyatt, 14 minute walk
601 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
7AM-9PM every day - Free!
You MUST stop by Falls Park while you’re in Greenville! Beautiful place for a picnic by the falls or a stroll across the pedestrian suspension bridge! 32 acres for kids to run and explore, right in the middle of downtown. Wheelchair accessible trails and ramps and elevator access to all levels of the park. Public restroom open 9AM-9PM
The Greenville Zoo
www.greenvillezoo.com
1.3 miles from the Hyatt, 6 minute drive
150 Cleveland Park Dr, Greenville 29601
(864) 467-4300
Open 9AM – 5PM Everyday
Adults: $9, Children 3-15: $5.75, Children 2 & under: Free
Outside food is allowed. 2 covered picnic areas. All exhibits are handicap accessible.
50-100% discount to members of over 130 other zoos and aquariums through the AZA reciprocal program. The playground at Cleveland Park is also located right outside the entrance to the zoo, and connects to the Swamp Rabbit Trail. Playground and parking are free.

Free Weekly Events Downtown

Thursday, July 6th:

Downtown Alive
Free live music at NOMA Square – right outside the Hyatt on Main St!
5:30-8:30PM. Band plays 2 sets: 5:50 & 7:20PM.

Upcountry History Museum
0.4 mile from Hyatt, 9 minute walk
540 Buncombe St, Greenville 29601
(864) 467-3100
www.Upcountryhistory.org
5:30-8:30PM: FREE Admission during Neighborhood Nights! Each child receives a free book, and younger kids can enjoy special story times. Museum is very family friendly, but it’s not just for kids! Hands-on interactive exhibits for all ages and interesting for adults.

Friday, July 7th:

Main Street Fridays
At NOMA Square – right outside the Hyatt!
5:30-9:30PM. Free live music! Band plays 2 sets: 5:50 & 7:40PM. Free kids’ area features variety of inflatables.

First Friday Art Gallery Crawl
Free! 6-9PM - located throughout downtown.
(864) 467-3132
www.firstfridaysgreenville.com
Galleries & venues featuring oils, watercolors, acrylics, pottery, jewelry, glassworks, wood works, photography & mixed media.
Saturday, July 8th:

**Saturday Farmer’s Market**
8AM-12PM - Main Street at McBee Ave  
(864) 467-4494  
[www.saturdaymarketlive.com](http://www.saturdaymarketlive.com)  
Cooking demos, live music and a kids’ activity. All food is grown or produced within 100 miles of Greenville.

**Saturday Morning Children’s Story Time**
Free - 0.4 miles from the Hyatt, 7 minute walk  
10:30-11:00AM at M. Judson Booksellers & Storytellers  
130 S. Main St, Greenville 29601  
(864) 603-2412  
[www.mjudsonbooks.com](http://www.mjudsonbooks.com)  
Free mini cupcake from the Chocolate Moose!

**Live Music at Art Crossing**
Free - 1.1 mile from Hyatt – 12 minute walk  
2-4PM on the Reedy River  
300 River St, Greenville 29601  
(864) 423-8863  
Email: steve@creativeconceptsfoto.com

**A Short Drive from Downtown**

**Sky Zone**
4 miles from the Hyatt, 10 minute drive  
2465 Laurens Rd, Greenville 29607  
(864) 558-2400  
[www.skyzone.com/greenville/](http://www.skyzone.com/greenville/)  
Indoor Trampoline Park. Hours and prices vary.

**Paris Mountain State Park**
6.3 miles from the Hyatt, 13 minute drive  
2401 State Park Rd, Greenville 29609  
(864) 244-5565  
Open 8AM – 9PM Daily  
Hiking, Geocaching, Lake Swimming, Picnic tables and shelters. Canoe, Kayak and Pedal Boat rentals (Call to verify times available).
The Pavilion Recreation Center
7.4 miles from Hyatt, 13 minute drive
400 Scottswood Rd, Taylors 29687
(864) 322-PLAY
Bounce Houses:  $8 for kids. Parents are Free.
Slide, Obstacle course, Joust Arena, Sports Combo, Toddler Bounce House
Mon-Thurs 10AM-8PM, Fri-Sat 10AM-10PM, Sun 1-8PM
Boundless Playground – Everyone can play! All-inclusive playground specially designed to provide play
opportunities for children with disabilities. All children can interact on accessible slides, ramps, climbing
structures, swings and more! Playground is adjacent to the Pavilion, but its address is 4806 Old Spartanburg Rd,
Taylors 29687. Free!

7th Inning Stretch Water Park
6.3 miles from the Hyatt, 13 minute drive
At Lakeside Park, 1500 Piedmont Hwy, Piedmont 29673
(864) 299-1842
www.greenvillerec.com/waterparks/
Mon-Sat 12 - 5PM, Sunday 1 - 5PM
$7 for 48” and taller.  $6 for 47” & under and seniors. $3 Land Lovers. 2 & under Free.
*Greenville Recreation has 2 other water parks, Otter Creek and Discovery Island. Both parks are about
a 20 minute drive from the Hyatt. Each park offers different features.

Gravitopia Extreme Air Sports
9.5 miles from Hyatt, 15 minute drive
48 Brookfield Oaks Dr, Greenville 29607
(864) 412-3434
www.gravitopia.us
Indoor Trampoline Park. Hours and prices vary. Special times for young kids and teens.
GREENVILLE RESTAURANTS

Roost
Adjacent to the Hyatt
220 N. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 298-2424
www.roostrestaurant.com
Breakfast: Mon-Fri 6-11AM, Sat 6:30-11AM, Sun 6:30-10:30AM
Brunch: Sun 11AM-3PM
Lunch: Mon-Sat 11:30AM - 3PM (Harvest Table Lunch Buffet: Mon-Fri 11AM - 2PM)
Bar Menu: Mon-Sat 3 - 11PM, Sun 5:30 - 11PM
Dinner: Everyday 5:30 - 10PM
Soil-to-City organic, seasonal, local food. “If you have dietary restrictions, please let your server know, and we will be happy to accommodate your needs.” Gluten-Free items are noted on lunch and dinner menus. Dinner reservations recommended.

Subway
Across the street from the Hyatt
606-A S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 603-3334
www.Subway.com
Mon-Fri 7AM - 8:30PM, Sat 9AM - 9PM, Sun 10AM - 9PM
On Subway’s website, click Nutrition Information, then Allergy & Ingredient Info. A chart shows each menu item and whether it contains any of the top 8 foods, as well as sesame, gluten, sulfites, and nitrates/nitrites. Upon request, they will put on new gloves, prepare your sandwich on a clean piece of butcher paper, and have the same person follow your sandwich down the line.

Luna Rosa Gelato Café
0.2 miles from Hyatt, 5 minute walk
9 W. Washington St, Greenville 29601
(864) 241-4040
www.lunarosagelato.com
Mon-Thurs 11AM – 9PM, Fri-Sat 12PM – 11PM, Sunday 12 – 9PM
Authentic artisan gelato made fresh daily. Several of the 20 daily flavors of gelato & sorbetto are dairy free and most are gluten-free.

The Trappe Door
0.3 miles from Hyatt, 5 minute walk
23 W. Washington St, Greenville 29601
(864) 451-7490
www.trappedoor.com
Lunch: Tues-Sun 11:30AM – 3PM
Dinner: Fri-Sat 5-11PM, Tues-Thurs and Sunday 5-10PM
Belgian restaurant and pub with an old European atmosphere. Below street level, beneath Barley’s. Website does not mention allergies, but local families have had great experiences here.
Nose Dive
0.3 miles from Hyatt, 6 minute walk
16 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 373-7300
www.thenosedive.com
See website for summer hours.
Gastropub – Urban Comfort Food. Menu has a large number of items that are Gluten-Free or can be prepared GF. From the chefs: “We have a strong desire to serve food that is creative and delicious to all of our guests regardless of their dietary preferences. Please let your server know of these preferences or any food allergies you may have so we can prepare for you the best food possible.”

The Chocolate Moose Bakery
0.4 miles from Hyatt, 7 minute walk
130 S. Main St, 29601
(864) 232-2121
www.thechocolatemoosesc.com
Mon-Thurs 9AM - 9PM, Fri-Sat 9AM - 10PM, Sunday 12 - 7PM
Dairy-Free/Egg-Free (Vegan) Cupcakes and Gluten-Free Cupcakes. They can also make Soy-Free frosting by request. Gluten-Free cupcakes are made with tapioca and millet flour. Call to find out Vegan and Gluten-Free flavors of the day. Note: The Kitchen is NOT free of nuts and peanuts. Vegan & Gluten-Free items are prepared and baked in separate batches, but not in a separate allergy-free kitchen.

Soby’s
0.4 miles from Hyatt, 7 minute walk
207 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 232-7007
www.Sobys.com
See website for summer hours.
Valet parking during dinner & Sunday brunch
New South Cuisine. Our culinary team at Soby’s is more than happy to work with our guests to meet their dietary needs and allergy restrictions, or to create delicious vegetarian and vegan dishes. Call with questions or to discuss menu options. For our guests who are looking for Gluten-free options, we’ve identified dishes from the Soby’s seasonal menu that are gluten-free or can be prepared gluten-free. Chef is also open to custom creating dishes that will suit both the guests’ dietary needs and cuisine likes, so please don’t hesitate to talk with your server about the other options as well. Reservations recommended.

Grill Marks
0.4 miles from Hyatt, 7 minute walk
209 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 233-5825
www.GrillMarks.com
Mon-Thurs 11AM - 10PM, Fri-Sat 11AM - 11PM, Sunday 11AM - 9PM
A sophisticated burger joint. Lots of Gluten-Free Options.
Larkin's On the River
0.5 miles from Hyatt, 9 minute walk
318 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 467-9777
www.Larkinsontheriver.com
Mon-Sat 11:30AM - 10PM, Sunday 11:30AM - 9PM
White tablecloth restaurant specializing in steak and seafood. Our Gluten Free items are prepared in a kitchen that also serves products made with wheat. We will make every effort to accommodate any specific allergy request. Reservations recommended. Valet parking offered from 5PM nightly. Located beside the Peace Center for the Performing Arts.

The Lazy Goat
0.7 miles from Hyatt, 13 minute walk
170 River Place, Greenville 29601
(864) 679-5299 (LAZY)
www.thelazygoat.com
Lunch: Monday-Saturday 11AM - 2:30PM
Intermezzo: Monday-Saturday 2:30 - 5:00PM
Dinner: Monday-Thursday 5:30 – 10PM, Friday-Saturday 5:30 – 11PM
Closed Sunday
Mediterranean restaurant with small plates “to graze & nibble” and main dishes. Overlooks Reedy River.
Dietary Restrictions & Food Allergies: Our culinary team is more than happy to work with any of our guest to meet any dietary or allergy restrictions or to create delicious vegetarian and vegan dishes. Call to discuss menu options. Located beside the Peace Center for the Performing Arts.

Passerelle Bistro
0.6 mile from Hyatt, 13 minute walk
601 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 509-0142
www.Passerelleinthepark.com
See website for summer hours.
French inspired casual bistro with amazing view overlooking Falls Park. Chef Teryi and the culinary team at Passerelle are more than happy to work with our guests to meet their dietary needs and allergy restrictions, or to create delicious vegetarian and vegan dishes. Please call with any questions or to discuss menu options.

Pomegranate on Main
0.7 miles from Hyatt, 13 minute walk
618 S. Main St, Greenville 29601
(864) 467-9777
www.pomegranateonmain.com
Mon-Fri 11:30AM - 2:30PM and 5:30 - Until. Saturday 11:30AM - Until
Persian cuisine. All entrees are Gluten-Free. If you have other allergy related needs, please ask your server for assistance.
Mellow Mushroom
0.8 miles from Hyatt, 4 minute drive or 16 minute walk down Main St.
1 Augusta St, Greenville 29601
(864) 233-9020
www.Mellowmushroom.com
Fri–Sat 11AM - 12AM, Sunday noon - 9PM, Mon-Thurs 11AM - 10PM
Daiya Dairy-Free cheese and Gluten-Free Vegan crust available. Online allergen menu for customers avoiding:
peanut, tree nut, milk, egg, soy, fish, shellfish, wheat, gluten, corn, garlic, onion, and/or yeast.
Vegan menu is on website. Our cooks have been trained on the importance of preventing cross contamination.
The kitchen will wash hands, put on fresh gloves and a fresh apron, and only use Gluten-Free dedicated cooking
utensils and ingredients. Everything is made to order and prepared in a separate area. A screen pan is used
during the baking process so the Gluten-Free crust never makes direct contact with the pizza stone. While we
take every precaution to ensure that cross contamination of ingredients does not occur, these items are being
prepared in a kitchen that also processes foods containing wheat, milk, soy, tree nuts, peanuts, and seeds.

Ruby Tuesday Cherrydale Point
2.8 miles from Hyatt, 7 minute drive
6 State Park Rd, 29609
(864) 242-5017
www.Rubytuesday.com
Fri–Sat 11AM - 11PM, Sun-Thurs 11AM - 10PM
Simple, fresh American dining chain. Online allergen menu allows you to choose menu items that are free from
any of the top 8 allergens, as well as vegan, vegetarian and gluten-free. The manager can bring out a book that
lists the ingredients of every item on the menu. They will cook food on foil or a clean pan, prepare salads in the
kitchen to avoid cross-contamination from the salad bar, and make changes such as cooking a steak without
steak butter.

Zoë's Kitchen
2.8 miles from Hyatt, 9 minute drive
2123 Augusta St, Greenville 29605
(864) 400-4005
www.Zoeskitchen.com
11AM - 9PM Everyday
Mediterranean Fast Food. Online menu notes items that are Gluten-Free, Vegan and/or Vegetarian. Kitchen
staff will change gloves and use a clean cooking surface upon request.

Saskatoon
4.8 miles from Hyatt, 8 minute drive
477 Haywood Rd, Greenville 29607
(864) 297-7244
www.Saskatoonrestaurant.com
Dinner only: Mon-Sat 5 - 10PM, Sunday 5 - 9PM
Wild game, steaks and fish. Fine dining with a hunting lodge atmosphere. “Please inform your server of any
food allergies so that we can ensure everyone enjoys tonight’s dining experience.” Saskatoon also prepares
Paleo take-home meals, so the staff is familiar with gluten-free and dairy-free cooking. Reservations recommended.

**Jason’s Deli**
4.3 miles from Hyatt, 8 minute drive
824 Woods Crossing Rd, 29607
(864) 284-9870
[www.jasonsdeli.com](http://www.jasonsdeli.com)
10AM - 10PM 7 days a week
Ingredient lists for all menu items are available online. Employees will put on clean gloves and custom prepare a sandwich while you watch. They will check ingredient labels and get items from the back or from the refill container to minimize risk of cross-contamination. They offer Udi’s gluten-free bread and gluten-free snickerdoodle cookies. Fresh fruit to dip in chocolate sauce is a tasty dairy-free dessert! Free ice cream for all customers.

**Chipotle Mexican Grill**
4.5 miles from Hyatt, 9 minute drive
640 Haywood Rd, Greenville 29607
(864) 234-5882
[www.Chipotle.com](http://www.Chipotle.com)
11AM - 10PM 7 days a week
Website has a detailed Ingredient Statement that lists every ingredient for every item on the menu. Employees will wash hands & put on new gloves. They will also get items from refill bins in the back to minimize cross-contamination.

**Red Robin**
6.9 miles from Hyatt, 10 minute drive
125 Woodruff Rd, Greenville 29607
(864) 286-1077
[www.Redrobin.com](http://www.Redrobin.com)
Fri-Sat 11AM - 11PM, Sun-Thurs 11AM - 10PM
Online interactive allergen menu shows which menu items are free of any of the top 8 foods. They have gluten free buns for burgers. Servers mark tickets for allergy customers and the manager is happy to come to your table to discuss your order.

**Brixx Wood Fired Pizza**
7.8 miles from Hyatt, 12 minute drive
1125 Woodruff Rd, Greenville 29607
(864) 286-1070
Mon-Sat 11AM - 2AM, Sunday 11AM - 1AM
Gluten-Free and Vegan menus available. Daiya vegan cheese can be used on pizzas and salads. Ingredients in gluten-free crust are listed on website. List on website tells which menu items contain Milk, Eggs, Nuts, Soy, Wheat/Gluten, Fish/Shellfish, Garlic, Onion, and MSG.
EMERGENCY CARE

Greenville Memorial Hospital
701 Grove Rd
Greenville, SC 29605
Phone: (864) 455-7000
3 miles, approx. 10 min from Hyatt

Shriners Hospitals for Children
950 West Faris Rd
Greenville, SC 29605
Phone: (864) 271-3444
3.2 miles, approx. 9 min from Hyatt

St. Francis Downtown
1 Saint Francis Dr
Greenville, SC 29601
Phone: (864) 255-1000
2 miles, approx. 7 min from Hyatt

PHARMACIES & ALLERGY-FRIENDLY GROCERY STORES

CVS Pharmacy
0.3 miles from the Hyatt, 5 minute walk *Closest pharmacy to the Hyatt
35 S. Main St, Greenville 29601 (corner of E. McBee Ave)
(864) 370-4848
Store hours: 7AM-10PM daily
Pharmacy hours: Mon-Fri 9AM - 8PM, Sat-Sun 10AM - 5PM

Publix
0.5 miles from Hyatt, 10 minute walk or 4 minute drive *Closest grocery store
McBee Station, 400 E. McBee Ave, Greenville 29601
(864) 240-2015
Store hours: 7AM-10PM.
Pharmacy hours: Mon-Fri 9AM - 9PM, Sat 9AM - 7PM, Sunday 11AM - 6PM.
3 miles from Hyatt, 10 minute drive
McAlister Square, 235 S. Pleasantburg Dr, Greenville 29607
(864) 250-4700

Walgreens
2.5 miles from the Hyatt, 6 minute drive
2018 Augusta St, Greenville 29605 (corner of Faris Rd)
(864) 232-4781
Store hours: Mon-Fri 7AM - 10PM, Sat-Sun 8AM - 10PM
Pharmacy hours: Mon-Fri 9AM - 9PM, Sat 9AM - 6PM, Sun 10AM - 6PM
Ingles at Cherrydale Point
2.8 miles from the Hyatt, 8 minute drive
1500 Poinsett Hwy, Greenville 29609
(864) 242-0041
Store hours: 7AM – 11PM Everyday
Pharmacy hours: Mon-Fri 9AM - 9PM, Sat-Sun 9AM - 6PM

The Fresh Market
2.6 miles from Hyatt, 8 minute drive
27 S. Pleasantburg Dr, Greenville 29607
(864) 242-9616
8AM – 9PM Everyday
This specialty store is smaller than a typical grocery store.

Trader Joe’s
7 miles from Hyatt, 12 minute drive
59 Woodruff Industrial Rd, Greenville 29607 (access from Woodruff Rd)
(864) 286-0231
8AM – 9PM Everyday

Whole Foods
7.1 miles from Hyatt, 13 minute drive
1140 Woodruff Rd, Greenville 29607
(864) 335-2300
8AM – 10PM Everyday

Earthfare
8.3 miles from Hyatt, 17 minute drive
3620 Pelham Rd, Greenville 29615
(864) 527-4220
7AM – 10PM Everyday
GETTING AROUND GREENVILLE

Taxi Services
The hotel concierge can also assist with arranging a taxi.

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Directions to Greenville-Spartanburg International Airport
- Head South on N Main Toward E North St
- Turn left at the 1st cross street onto E North St
- Continue onto I-385 S
- Take exit 36 to merge onto I-85 N toward Spartanburg
- Take exit 57 toward GSP International Airport

Downtown Trolley
[www.greenvillesc.gov/597/Trolley](http://www.greenvillesc.gov/597/Trolley)
Thursday-Friday: 6-11PM
Friday LunchLink: 11AM - 2PM limited route up and down Main Street
Saturday: 10AM - 11PM
Sunday: 1 - 8PM
35 passenger trolley/bus runs a loop Thurs-Sunday evening with stops at convenient locations throughout downtown and is completely free! Wheelchair accessible with bike racks.
2017 Speakers and Moderators

Alexia Beauregard, MS, RD, CSP, LD
Food Allergy Specialist, Eating & Feeding Specialist
Alexia received her Master’s degree in human nutrition from Winthrop University. She knew when she started her graduate program that she wanted to sub-specialize in food allergy. Her self-directed, independent study in graduate school culminated in the thesis, “Food Hypersensitivity: Mechanisms, Management, and Treatment”.

She is the dietitian for the large private practice, Gastroenterology Associates, PA, in Greenville, SC. She also serves as a faculty member of the Ellyn Satter Institute where she concentrates on the eating and feeding disturbances that can be a consequence of food allergy. Her goal as a food allergy specialist dietitian is to improve quality of life and bring the joy back to eating.

Pampal Bhullar, MD, CPE
Medical Director, Division of Palliative Care
Greenville Health System
Dr. Parampal Bhullar graduated from Manipal University in India. He completed his palliative care fellowship training at the Mt. Sinai Medical Center Veterans Affairs program in New York City. He is board certified in Internal Medicine, Geriatric Medicine, Hospice and Palliative Medicine. He is also a certified physician executive. Following his training, he worked as an assistant professor at the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at Lubbock. There he established the Palliative Care program at the University Medical Center.

Dr. Bhullar chose medicine because he wanted to help people, and he found palliative care to be the best way to do that. During his training, he realized there was a great need among people with serious illnesses to find ways to live with their illnesses and have the best lives possible.

Dr. Bhullar and GHS are members of the Center to Advance Palliative Care, a national organization dedicated to increasing the availability of quality palliative care services for people facing serious illness, and provides palliative care information for people coping with serious illnesses on GetPalliativeCare.org.

Zachary Brunet
Student, PRISMS
Zachary was diagnosed with EoE in 2003 at 13 months of age. Zachary has been actively involved with the EoE community since 2004. Zachary has done multiple fundraisers over the years for research, took part in the first National Eosinophil Awareness Week event in Washington DC, written a blog about EoE, supported newly diagnosed kids with EoE and most recently took part in a public service announcement about EoE to be released later this year. Zachary is now 14 and just completed his first year of boarding school. Zachary manages his EoE with diet and formula by himself while attending school, sleep away camps, and playing travel hockey. Zachary has traveled throughout the US, Canada and China.
Steven B. Clayton MD, FAAFP, FACP  
Assistant Professor of Medicine  
University of South Carolina School of Medicine Greenville  
Dr. Steven Clayton, MD is a gastroenterologist at GHS Gastroenterology and Liver Center. He trained at the Joy McCann Culverhouse Center for swallowing disorders located at the University of South Florida Morsani Center and is an expert in the diagnosis and treatment of swallowing disorders and esophageal disease. His research interests are focused on dysphagia, gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD), extra-esophageal manifestations of GERD, achalasia, esophageal spasm, eosinophilic esophagitis, and esophageal manometry. He has particular interest in the immunologic profiles of eosinophilic esophagitis (EoE), achalasia and GERD.

Victoria DeLano  
Patient Advocate  
Victoria DeLano is a nutrition consumer advocate for ThriveRx. She previously served five years as a volunteer member of APFED’s Board of Directors, where she directed the organization's advocacy efforts. Her son lives with an eosinophilic gastrointestinal disorder, a mitochondrial disorder, and has successfully attended school while tube fed, on IV hydration, and on TPN.

Evan Dellon, MD  
Associate Professor of Medicine & Epidemiology  
University of North Carolina School of Medicine  
Evan S. Dellon, MD, MPH, is an Associate Professor of Medicine and Epidemiology at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine and School of Public Health in Chapel Hill. Dr. Dellon received his undergraduate degree from Brown University and his medical degree from Johns Hopkins School of Medicine. He completed internship and residency in Internal Medicine at Massachusetts General Hospital. He performed a clinical and a research fellowship in Adult Gastroenterology at UNC, during which he also received a master’s degree in Epidemiology from the UNC School of Public Health. Dr. Dellon’s main clinical focus is on disorders of swallowing, and in particular eosinophilic esophagitis (EoE). His main research interest is in the epidemiology, pathogenesis, diagnosis, and treatment of eosinophilic esophagitis and the other EGIDs. The goal of his research is to improve the lives of patients with EoE and EGIDs by learning how to better diagnose, treat, and monitor the condition. Dr. Dellon has received research funding from NIH, the American College of Gastroenterology, the American Gastroenterological Association, UNC, the CURED Foundation, AstraZeneca, Meritage, Receptos, and Regeneron to study EoE.

Raquel Durban, MS, RD, CSP, LD/N  
Asthma & Allergy Specialists, PA (Charlotte, NC)  
Raquel is a registered dietitian at Asthma & Allergy Specialists, PA. She is board certificated in pediatric nutrition. In addition to ensuring her patient’s quality of life through practical and appropriate nutrition, Raquel serves on the steering committee for the International Network for Diet and Nutrition in Allergy (INDANA) and is an active member of the American Academy of Asthma, Allergy and Immunology (AAAAI) as a member of the Eosinophilic Gastrointestinal Disorders and Adverse Reactions to Foods committees. Through these committees, she participates in education, research initiatives and academic publications. Additionally, Raquel is a medical advisor to the Food Allergy and Anaphylaxis Connection Team (FAACT) and the International FPIES Association (I-FPIES).
Raquel Durban, MS, RD, CSP, LD/N (continued)
To further her dedication and support to the food allergic community, Raquel hosts a grant funded annual summer camp for children with food allergy, sponsored patient conferences and quarterly community educational sessions. She also facilitates a support group for patients/caregivers with eosinophilic disorders, Charlotte Supports EOS.

Raquel also has a love for teaching nutrition and is an adjunct professor for Winthrop University, Appalachian State University and Meredith College helping to provide coursework and hands on education to budding dietitians.

Steven Gottlieb, DO
Allergy & Immunology
Self Regional Healthcare (Greenwood, SC)
A graduate of the University of Michigan, Dr. Gottlieb obtained his medical degree from Des Moines University. His internal medicine residency was at William Beaumont Hospital, followed by an adult and pediatric allergy/immunology fellowship at St. Louis University School of Medicine/Cardinal Glennon Children’s Hospital. His clinical interests include the medical treatment of sinus disease, food allergies, and eosinophilic esophagitis, and he has published on food sensitization patterns using multimodality food testing in pediatric and adult patients with EoE.

Benjamin Jones, PsyD
Pediatric Psychologist
Greenville Health System, Pediatric Gastroenterology, BI-LO Charities Children’s Cancer Center
Dr. Benjamin A. Jones received his Psy.D. in Clinical Psychology from the Georgia School of Professional Psychology in 2001. He completed the O’Grady Residency in Pediatric Psychology at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center, where he received specialized training in the psychological treatment of children and adolescents with chronic medical conditions. This was followed by postdoctoral fellowship at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center, focusing on treatment and research in pediatric chronic pain. Dr. Jones has been with the Greenville Health System Children’s Hospital since 2003, where he provides therapy services to pediatric patients with gastrointestinal disorders, cancer and blood disorders. He has published and presented in the areas of pain, cognitive-behavioral intervention in the pediatric population, hospital-based school intervention programs, anxiety and chronic medical conditions.

Richard Knox, MD
Greenville Anesthesiology
Dr. Richard Knox is a graduate of Auburn University and The Medical College of Georgia. He completed his internship and residency in anesthesiology at The Medical College of Georgia in 1985. He then completed a fellowship year in pediatric anesthesiology at The Children’s Hospital of Denver in 1986. He has been a pediatric anesthesiologist with the Greenville Health System since that time, serving as Director of Pediatric Anesthesia Services from 1986 - 2016. He was named Director of Anesthesia Services for the Shriners’ Hospital of Greenville in 2011 and continues in that position today.
Russell Kolarik, MD, FAACP, FAAP  
Associate Professor of Internal Medicine & Pediatrics  
University of South Carolina School of Medicine, Greenville  
Program Director, Combined Internal Medicine & Pediatrics Residency  
Greenville Health System/USC SOM Greenville  

Dr. Kolarik is an Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society graduate of University of Toledo College of Medicine. He completed his combined Adult and Pediatric residency at the University of Cincinnati and Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center in 1999. After residency, Dr. Kolarik completed a General Internal Medicine Faculty Development Fellowship at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center. Dr. Kolarik served as the Med-Peds residency director at the University of Pittsburgh for 5 years and developed an elective rotation in transitional care for the residents there. He also provided adult primary care services for young adults with chronic health care conditions from childhood from the Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh. Dr. Kolarik has served as the President of the National Med-Peds Program Director’s Association, and is currently serving as a member of the Review Committee for Internal Medicine for the Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education. Dr. Kolarik has been the Program Director for Med-Peds at GHS since 2008 and is currently working with all the pediatric specialty clinics at GHS to help facilitate and coordinate effective transition from the pediatric to adult care settings.

Douglas Johnston, DO  
Assistant Professor, Internal Medicine / Allergy & Immunology, Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med  
Adjunct Professor, Department of Public Health Sciences College of Health & Human Services, UNC  

Douglas Johnston, D.O., is an Allergist/Immunologist with Asthma & Allergy Specialists, PA in Charlotte, NC. Dr. Johnston received his medical degree from New York College of Osteopathic Medicine in Old Westbury, New York. He then completed his residency in Internal Medicine at Winthrop University Hospital in Mineola, New York, and received fellowship training in Allergy and Immunology at the University of Alabama at Birmingham / Children’s of Alabama Hospital.

Dr. Johnston is an Associate Professor of Internal Medicine/ Allergy & Immunology at the Edward Via School of Osteopathic Medicine in Spartanburg, SC and Adjunct Professor in the Department of Public Health Sciences in the College of Health and Human Services at University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

Dr. Johnston is the vice chair of the allergic skin disease committee, member of the EGID committee of the American Academy of Asthma, Allergy and Immunology and the featured allergist on Allergy and Asthma Foundation of America "Ask the Allergist" website.

In addition, Dr. Johnston is active in the ongoing research to further understand and manage EoE. He serves as a primary investigator for several clinical trials for new treatments for eosinophilic esophagitis and food desensitization. His passion for helping those with food allergy stems from having a child with severe peanut allergy. Direct patient care, research and education have contributed to his experience and expertise on EGIDs.
Jonathan E. Markowitz, M.D., MSCE
Director, Pediatric Gastroenterology Greenville Children's Hospital
GHS Professor of Clinical Pediatrics, University of South Carolina School of Medicine

Jonathan E. Markowitz, M.D., M.S.C.E. is Chief of Pediatric Gastroenterology at Greenville Children's Hospital in Greenville, South Carolina. He is a Clinical Professor of Pediatrics at the University of South Carolina School of Medicine in Greenville. Dr. Markowitz has a long-standing interest in eosinophilic esophagitis and other EGIDs. Dr. Markowitz has published extensively and has lectured nationally and internationally on the topics. Under Dr. Markowitz’ guidance, the South Carolina Center for Eosinophilic Esophagitis and associated Disorders (SuCCEED) in Greenville, South Carolina has developed into a robust clinical and research program that involves pediatric and adult GI specialists, dietitians, clinical psychologists, allergists, and a PhD overseeing clinical research.

Richard Noel, MD, PhD
Section Chief, Division of Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition
Duke University Medical Center

Dr. Richard Noel’s childhood was split between his native Mexico City and San Antonio, TX. He graduated from the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School (Dallas, TX) with combined MD and PhD degrees in 1998, and then trained in general pediatrics at Wake Forest University/NC Baptist Hospital (Winston-Salem, NC). He proceeded to train in pediatric gastroenterology at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center where his fellowship research on eosinophilic esophagitis was supervised by Drs. Phil Putnam and Marc Rothenberg. Dr. Noel took his first faculty position at the Medical College of Wisconsin (Milwaukee) where he spent 10 years before returning to North Carolina to become chief of the division of Pediatric Gastroenterology at Duke University in 2014.

Cathy Reidy
Co-Founder & Co-President
Eosinophilic Family Coalition

Cathy Reidy was an elementary school teacher for 7 years. She is the wife of Matt, and mother of Kayla, Adam and Megan. Both Matt and Adam share a diagnosis of Eosinophilic Esophagitis, with Adam additionally having Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome. As Co-Founder & Co-President of the Eosinophilic Family Coalition (EFC) she has focused her efforts on improving the lives of families living with Eosinophilic Disorders through the EFC multifaceted support model. She serves as the EFC representative for the Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) study for EGIDs and is on the Parent Advisory Group for Strengthening Families part of 4C for Children.

Francesca Rea, MD
Digestive Surgery & Endoscopy Unit
Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital and Research Institute (Rome, Italy)
Joel Richter, MD
Professor of Medicine, Hugh F Culverhouse Chair for Esophagology
University of South Florida
Joel E. Richter, MD, is currently Professor of Medicine and the Hugh F. Culverhouse Chair for Esophagology at the University of South Florida in Tampa. Joining the faculty in September 2011, he is also Director, Division of Digestive Diseases and Nutrition and Director, Joy McCann Culverhouse Center for Swallowing Disorders. He received his MD from the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, Dallas. He completed his internship at the Naval Regional Medical Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He went on to complete his residency in medicine and fellowship in medicine (gastroenterology) at the National Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Maryland. Among past academic appointments, Dr. Richter was chairman, Department of Gastroenterology, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Ohio, for 10 years and Chairman of Medicine at Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA for 7 years.

Dr. Richter is past president of the American College of Gastroenterology (ACG) and served as director, ACG, Institute for Clinical Research and Education from 1995 to 2004. He is the recipient of several awards for his work in digestive diseases, including the Berk/Fise Lifetime Clinical Achievement Award from ACG, Joseph B. Kirsner Award in Gastroenterology (2000), the Janssen Award in Gastroenterology for Clinical Research in Digestive Diseases (2001), and The Samuel Weiss Award for Outstanding Service to the ACG (2001). From 2002 to 2003, he served as president of the World Organization for Specialized Studies on Diseases of the Esophagus. He was co-editor in chief for the American Journal of Gastroenterology from 2003-2009. He was named to the Best Doctors in America for gastroenterology multiple times.

Dr. Richter is the author or coauthor of more than 325 original papers, 140 editorials/reviews, 15 books, and 116 book chapters. He and Don Castell are the editors of the new 5th Edition of The Esophagus. His research interests include gastroesophageal reflux disease, achalasia, Barrett’s esophagus, esophageal chest pain and eosinophilic esophagitis.

Kathleen Sable
Board of Directors, APFED
Kathleen Sable is a pioneer in the EGID patient community. Her son Jeremy, now 22 and a recent college graduate, was diagnosed with EG and EoE in 1994. Since that time, Kathleen has been a passionate advocate, providing patient and caregiver perspective to researchers, lawmakers, pharmaceutical companies, and other stakeholders. Kathleen is a graduate of Vanderbilt University and has an MBA with emphasis in Economic Forecasting. She is a small business consultant and facilitator for the Love & Logic® parenting classes. Kathleen has been a dedicated APFED volunteer for a number of years and joined the APFED Board of Directors in 2012. She has been instrumental in shaping the organization’s research and education programs and services.
Melissa Scott
Co-Founder & Co-President
Eosinophilic Family Coalition
Melissa Scott has been a Registered Nurse for 13 years. Her current role is in safety and improvement in the Cancer & Blood Diseases Institute at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center (CCHMC). She is the mother to Jordan, who lives with Eosinophilic Esophagitis and Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome. As Co-Founder & Co-President of the Eosinophilic Family Coalition (EFC) she has focused her efforts on improving the lives of families living with Eosinophilic Disorders through the EFC multifaceted support model. She serves as the EFC representative in the Consortium of Eosinophilic Gastrointestinal Researchers (CEGIR) and is on the Family Advisory Council at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center.

Filippo Torroni, MD
Digestive Surgery & Endoscopy Unit
Bambino Gesù Children’s Hospitale and Research Institute (Rome, Italy)

Barry Wershil, MD
Division Chief, Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition
Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children’s Hospital of Chicago
Dr. Wershil received his medical degree at Washington University School of Medicine, and completed a pediatrics residency at St. Louis Children’s Hospital. He completed his GI fellow at the Combined Program in Pediatric GI at Harvard, and became a faculty member at Boston Children’s Hospital.

Dr. Wershil developed a research laboratory focused on the role of mast cells in GI inflammation and continued this line of research for the last 30 years. His clinical research interest has been on the mechanisms involved in causing eosinophilic esophagitis and finding biomarkers for the disease.

Dr. Wershil is the current Chief of the Division of Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition at Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children’s Hospital of Chicago and a Professor of Pediatrics at Feinberg School of Medicine at Northwestern University.

Janet Williams, MEd, RD, LD
Clinical Nutrition Specialist
Janet Williams, MEd, RD, LD has been a pediatric dietitian for over 30 years, and with Pediatric Gastroenterology of the Greenville Health System for the past 13 years. She has a bachelor’s degree from Middle Tennessee State University and a master’s degree from Vanderbilt University. She enjoys travel and cooking and is inspired by the creativity, tenacity, and courage of the families in the eosinophilic disorders community.
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EGIDs Overview: Presentation and Diagnostics
Jonathan E. Markowitz, M.D., MSCE

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EGIDs: The Journey Begins

EGID Therapies: What’s Available? Am I On the Right Treatment?

Steven Gottlieb, DO

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All About Scopes: When, Why, How, and How Often?
Steven Clayton, MD

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Who Should Be Involved In My Care And What If I Don’t Have Access?

Richard Noel, MD, PhD

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EGIDs: The Journey Continues
Mast Cells: What Is Their Role In EGIDs?
Barry Wershil, MD

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European Guidelines
Francesca Rea, MD and Filippo Torroni, MD

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Evan Dellon, MD

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Esophageal Remodeling: Can It Be Prevented? Can It Be Treated?
Richard Noel, MD, PhD

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Esophageal Dilation: What to Expect
Joel Richter, MD

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Research Updates: There is HOPE on the Horizon

EGID Research: Key Publications This Year And Their Impact

Douglas Johnston, DO

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EGID Research: What is on the Horizon? The Future of Diagnostics & Treatments  
Barry Wershil, MD  

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Dietary Management
Elimination Diets: Why, How, And For How Long
Janet Williams, MEd, RD, LD

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Dietary Management

Managing A Restricted Diet In The Real World: Tips To Help You Adhere To Your Diet

Raquel Durban, MS, RD, CSP, LD/N

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Dietary Management
Feeding Therapy: Who Can Benefit and How Does It Help?
Alexia Beauregard, MS, RD, CSP, LD

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Living Well Through Ages and Stages
Coping with a Chronic Illness (with Q&A)
Benjamin Jones, PsyD

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Asking a Question During Q&A

Attendees will have the opportunity to ask questions during designated Q&A time. Please refer to the schedule.

Speakers will not answer questions that relate to the specific care of an individual patient. The moderators can help you rephrase your questions if necessary. The physicians will not answer personal questions and if necessary, the question may be rejected or redirected so that the speaker may continue with his or her presentation.

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APFED Resources for EGID Patients

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APFED provides accurate, up-to-date information about eosinophil-associated diseases and related challenges. APFED’s goals are to increase awareness, to educate patients and physicians, to increase funding for research, and to provide support for patients and families. For more information about APFED’s programs and services, and for information about APFED’s Hope on the Horizon Research Fund, please visit www.apfed.org.

APFED’s Educational Webinar Series
Featuring recorded segments with top professionals in the field, recorded conference presentations, and live web chats, this online resource for patients and families managing EGIDs is freely available. Visit youtube.com/APFED to access these videos.

EOS Connections Online Community
EOS Connections is an online community that is monitored by Inspire and APFED. This forum gives patients, caregivers, and family members whose daily lives are affected by an eosinophil-associated disease, a chance connect with others for support and to share information. www.inspire.com/groups/eos-connections

APFED Social Media
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Other Facebook pages maintained by APFED:

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- EC Network: www.facebook.com/ECNetwork
- EGE Network: www.facebook.com/EGENetwork
- HES Network: www.facebook.com/HESNetwork
- CSS Network (Churg Strauss Syndrome): www.facebook.com/CSS.Network

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Twitter: twitter.com/APFEDorg
**Food Allergy Resources**

**Food Allergy & Anaphylaxis Connection Team**
www.foodallergyawareness.org
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**Food Allergy Research and Education (FARE)**
www.foodallergy.org
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**Food Allergy Living Blog**
www.neocate.com/blog/
Food Allergy Living is a resource for parents of children with food allergies, hosted by Nutricia, the makers of Neocate.

**Kids with Food Allergies (KFA)**
www.kidswithfoodallergies.org
KFA educates families and communities with practical food allergy management strategies to save lives and improve the quality of life for children and their families.

**Tube Feeding Support**

**Feeding Tube Awareness Foundation**
www.feedingtubeawareness.org
FTA’s mission is twofold: to share practical experience tube feeding infants and children to help other parents, and to raise positive awareness of tube feeding so that families have the support they need.

**Oley Foundation**
www.oley.org
The Oley Foundation enriches the lives of those requiring home intravenous and tube feeding through education, outreach, and networking.

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What is the RDCRN Contact Registry?

The RDCRN Contact Registry is a way that patients with rare disorders, like EGID, can receive information about new research studies, eligibility for participation in clinical studies/trials, and updates on results of such studies.

Why Join the RDCRN Contact Registry?

Patients who participate in research make it possible for researchers to find new treatments, create new studies, and work for the improvement of all EGID patients. It can also help connect you with Patient Advocacy Groups (PAGs).

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rdcrn.org/CEGIR

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