

Turner Syndrome

S O C I E T Y OF CANADA

Turner Syndrome Society of Canada 30th Annual Conference 2010 May 13-15, 2011

Delta Bow Valley Hotel, 209 4th Ave. SE, Calgary, Alberta

PROGRAM

Friday May 13

5:00 – 8:00 p.m. Conservatory Room

Reception / Cash Bar

Conference early sign-in for those who are preregistered

Join others for a “night in Calgary” www.Calgaryattractions.com

Saturday May 14

Garden Patio Room

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. Registration and continental breakfast

9:00 – 9:15 Welcome

9:15 – 2:45 – Teen and Preteen program – “icebreaker” activities then leave for Calgary Zoo

www.calgaryzoo.org

9:15 – 10:30 Panel: *Hearing and TS*

Sarah Blenkhorn, audiologist, Apex Hearing

Dr. Derek Drummond, ENT specialist, Alberta Children’s Hospital

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45 – 12:15 Concurrent Sessions

Den Room - Adult women

Lifelong Learning and TS

Dr. Bria Dunkin, Center for Interdisciplinary Brain Sciences Research, Stanford University

Garden Patio Room - Parents

Growth Hormone: Physical, Emotional and Psychosocial Aspects

Dr. Joanne Rovet, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto

12:15 – 1:45 p.m.

Garden Patio Room Lunch and AGM

1:45 – 3:00 Concurrent Sessions

Garden Patio Room - Adult Women

Networking/discussion workshop

Moderators – **Mary Edwards and Shirley Underwood**

Den Room Parents

Networking/discussion workshop Moderator – **Debbi Thompson**

3:00 – 3:15 **Garden Patio Room** Break
Teen and preteen program returns from Calgary Zoo

3:15 – 4:30 Concurrent sessions

Den Room Adult Women

Endocrine Aspects of Women's health and TS - **Dr. Hanan Bassyouni**, Division of Endocrinology, University of Calgary

Garden Patio Room - Parents

Overcoming Learning Difficulties in TS - **Dr. Bria Dunkin**, Center for Interdisciplinary Brain Sciences Research, Stanford University

Olympic Room - Teens

"Big Sister" discussion workshop with panel of young adult women with TS
Moderator – **Mel Sandford**, psychologist

Kananaskis Room - Preschool and Preteens

"Canada's Favorite Family Entertainer and Edutainer!" **Christopher Cool**
[<http://www.CalgaryDaycareMagician.com>,
<http://www.CalgaryBirthdayMagician.com>]

Garden Patio Room

6:00 – 6:30 Reception/cash bar

Powerpoint slide show about previous conferences/ TSS history

6:30 – 7:00 Banquet

Raffle of items from TSS chapters and groups across Canada

8:00 – 8:30 Calgary Fiddlers <http://www.calgaryfiddlers.com>

8:30 – 9:00 Mpact Hip Hop dance group <http://www.mpactdance.com>

Sunday May 15

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. **Garden Patio Room**

Hot buffet breakfast

9:00 – 10:15 Concurrent workshops

Garden Patio Room *Pathways to Parenthood*

New Reproductive Technologies - **Dr. Bernard Corenblum**, Division of Endocrinology, University of Calgary

Adoption – **Janet Patterson**, MSW, RSW – Social Worker, Adoption by Choice
www.adoptionbychoice.ca

Den Room For teens and preteens

Scrapbooking workshop **Jennifer Rowsell**

Sponsored by Enchanted Events <http://www.enchantedevents.moonfruit.com/>

10:15 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 11:45

Garden Patio Room *Self esteem*

Michael Watts, MSW, RSW, Endocrine Dept, Alberta Children's Hospital and Mount Royal University, Calgary

Den Room For preteens – networking

11:45 – 12:00

Garden Patio Room

concluding remarks

Shirley Underwood, President, Turner Syndrome Society of Canada