AGENDA

AUGUST 23

7:00-8:00 Check-In and Breakfast *(Tables outside of Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

Breakfast includes warm breakfast sandwiches, pastries, bagels, yogurt, fruit, coffee, tea, and orange juice.

7:30-10:30 Ongoing Blood Draws for Sample Donation *(CDCN Small Room-Smilow 01-103)*

8:00-8:15 Welcome Session *(Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

8:15-9:10 What is Castleman Disease: Overview & Diagnosis *(Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

9:10-9:30 CDCN Impact *(Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

9:30-9:45 Break

9:45-10:30 Small Group Discussion: Tell Your Story *(Tables outside of Auditorium)*

An opportunity for you to share your story and meet other patients and loved ones affected by Castleman disease.

10:30-12:00 Treatments, Research Updates, and Symptom Management *(2 sessions, Group 1: UCD-Smilow 08-146AB and Group 2: MCD-Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

Two simultaneous sessions will run and include info on CD treatments, research updates, and symptom management. Dr. Nasta will run the session for MCD patients and loved ones, and Dr. Chandrakasan will run the session for UCD patients and loved ones. Both sessions will end with a question & answer session.

12:00-12:45 Lunch *(Tables outside of Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

Lunch includes sandwiches, fruit, cut veggies, chips/snacks, cookies, and beverages.

12:45-2:00 Physician Q&A Panel *(Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

An opportunity to ask experts Dr. Chandrakasan, Dr. Nasta, and Dr. Fajgenbaum questions about CD.

2:00-2:15 Break

2:15-3:00 Coping with Castleman Disease *(2 sessions, Group 1: Patients-Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1; Group 2: Loved Ones-Smilow 08-146AB)*

Patients and loved ones have the opportunity to separate to discuss coping with Castleman disease.

3:00-3:45 How to Fight Back *(Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

Led by Mileva Repasky, Chief Patient & Development Officer.

3:45-4:00 Chan Zuckerberg Initiative Introduction, Rare as One Project

4:00-4:45 Future of CDCN Discussion *(Tables outside of Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*

Small group break-out session to brainstorm ideas for the CDCN’s future. Refreshments will be provided. Led by the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative and CDCN teams.

4:45-5:15 Warrior Awards & Closing Session *(Arthur Rubenstein Auditorium, Smilow 1)*
COMMUNITY DAY

AUGUST 24

10:20-11:00 Buses depart from the Sheraton University City Hotel (3549 Chestnut St)
   Buses will depart from the Sheraton University City Hotel at 10:20 and 11:00. Please arrive in the lobby 10 min prior to when the bus is scheduled to leave.

11:00-3:00 Bowling at Lucky Strike in Center City Philadelphia (1336 Chestnut St)
   Lunch will be provided.

2:30-3:30 Buses return to the Sheraton University City Hotel (3549 Chestnut St)
   Buses will depart from Lucky Strike beginning at 2:30 and continue approximately every 40 minutes until everyone has left.