



## MEETING OBJECTIVE

The Allergy Asthma & Immunology Society of Ontario is pleased to present ALLERGY UPDATE 2023. This is the 38th annual SPECIAL SYMPOSIUM FOR THE PRACTICING PHYSICIAN.

### PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

Our objective is to continue to provide practical, topical, and up to date information related to the practice of allergy, asthma, and immunology. Information presented will result in a better understanding of basic and clinical allergy and will present strategies for the treatment of allergic diseases.

Throughout the day, participants will be presented with the latest research in the following areas:

- **ASTHMA**
- **DRUG ALLERGY**
- **FOOD ALLERGY**
- **ANAPHYLAXIS**
- **ATOPIC DERMATITIS**
- **INSECT ALLERGY**

We invite full audience participation and discussion. This will enable participants to better address their own clinical concerns and current issues in the therapeutic management of allergy and asthma. Your involvement will help the planning of future meetings, ensuring that each annual Allergy Update continues to be informative and useful.

## ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

**DR. ERIC LEITH, CHAIR**

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## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2023

### MORNING CHAIRPERSON DR. ERIC LEITH

7:00 - 8:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast  
8:00 - 8:10 Welcome - **DR. Gordon Sussman**  
8:10 - 8:40 **DR. ANNA NOWAK-WEGRZYN**  
THE ENIGMA OF NON IgE MEDIATED  
FOOD ALLERGY

8:40 - 9:10 **DR. PAUL TURNER**  
EPINEPHRINE AUTO-INJECTORS - DOES  
SIZE MATTER?

9:10 - 9:40 INTERACTIVE DEBATE & DISCUSSION  
WITH AUDIENCE

9:40 - 10:00 BREAK

10:00 - 10:30 **DR. PAUL O'BYRNE**  
BIOLOGICS IN ASTHMA MANAGEMENT  
10:30 - 10:45 DISCUSSION - CURRENT RESEARCH  
10:45 - 11:30 **DR. PETER CRETICOS**

AIT: SCIT SLIT AND NEW THERAPEUTIC  
OPTIONS (DR. CRETICOS WILL CIRCULATE PRE/POST  
QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES FOR DISCUSSION)  
11:30 - 12:15 INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION, CLARIFICATION  
OF GUIDELINES, CASE HISTORIES  
12:15 - 13:00 LUNCH

### AFTERNOON CHAIRPERSON: DR. BENNY WONG

13:00 - 13:30 **DR. LISA BECK**  
GAME CHANGING THERAPY FOR ATOPIC DERMATITIS  
13:30 - 13:45 INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION AND QUESTIONS  
13:45 - 14:30 **DR. DAVID GOLDEN**

INSECT ALLERGY AND ANAPHYLAXIS IN PRACTICE  
14:30 - 15:00 INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION - AUDIENCE  
APPROACH TO ANAPHYLAXIS, NEW GUIDELINES  
15:00 - 15:15 BREAK  
15:15 - 15:45 **DR. ROLAND SOLENSKY**

HIGHLIGHTS FROM DRUG ALLERGY: A  
2022 PRACTICE PARAMETER UPDATE  
15:45 - 16:15 **DR. PAUL TURNER**  
IMPROVING ALLERGEN LABELLING ON A GLOBAL SCALE  
16:15 - 17:00 PANEL DISCUSSION - REVIEW, TREATMENTS

## FACULTY

### LISA A. BECK, MD

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## REGISTRATION:

PHYSICIANS/ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS \$175.00  
(\$200.00 after October 5, 2023)

ON SITE REGISTRATION CHEQUE OR CASH ONLY \$200.00

RESIDENTS/INTERNS CHEQUE OR CASH ONLY \$50.00

PLEASE NOTE SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS:

For Information regarding Corporate Registration,  
please call 416-633-2215.

Please check one:

☐ Physician Family Practice

☐ Specialist – Specialty: \_\_\_\_\_

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CANCELLATIONS must be in writing: There  
will be no refunds for cancellations  
received after OCTOBER 15, 2023.

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## LOCATION & ACCOMMODATION

The Pan Pacific Hotel is located at 900 York Mills Road, Toronto, M3B 3H2.

A block of rooms has been reserved for Symposium Registrants at a special rate of \$179.00, single or double occupancy. Please reserve your room before **OCTOBER 5, 2023**, as availability cannot be guaranteed after that date.

PLEASE MENTION ALLERGY UPDATE 2023.

416 444 2511 or

reserve.pptor@panpacific.com

## REGISTRATION

The fee for the symposium is \$175.00 before **October 5, 2023**, and \$200.00 after **October 5, 2023**.

This includes breakfast and lunch during the session.

## PARKING INFORMATION

Parking at the Pan Pacific Toronto will be complementary for this event. Parking lots are gated and each car's plate is scanned upon arrival prior to opening (no parking tickets.) A kiosk/tablet will be stationed outside of the Prince Ballroom. Please be sure to input your license plate number before you leave for the day. Complementary parking is for non-overnight guests.

## ACCREDITATION

Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Canada  
Section 1

This event is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, approved by Continuing Professional Development, Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto. You may claim a maximum of 7.5 hours (credits are automatically calculated.)

College of Family Physicians of Canada – Mainpro+:

This one-credit per hour Group Learning program meets the certification criteria of The College of Family Physicians of Canada and has been certified by Continuing Professional Development, Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, for up to 7.5 Mainpro+ credits.

Each participant should claim only those hours of credit actually spent participating in the educational program.

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