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Webinar time:

17.00 – CET (Central European Time)

11.00 – EST (Eastern Standard Time)

08.00 – PST (Pacific Standard Time)

This webinar is an international initiative designed to spread the knowledge and awareness regarding the pathology, the diagnosis (especially early diagnosis), and therapy of Leber's Hereditary Optic Neuropathy (LHON).

Program

17.00 - 17.10 LHON DISEASE DESCRIPTION (*Patrick Yu-Wai-Man*)

- Introduction and background
- Epidemiology
- Disease demographics

17.10 - 17.20 Proposed pathophysiology (*Alfredo A. Sadun*)

- Mitochondrial gene defects
- Anatomical and metabolic consideration

17.20 - 17.30 LHON CLINICAL MANIFESTATIONS (*Rustum Karanjia*)

17.30 - 17.40 DIAGNOSIS (*Nancy J. Newman*)

- Differential Diagnosis
- Clinical and Genetic diagnosis

LHON Management and Therapies

17.40 - 17.50 Visual prognosis and recovery (*Nancy J. Newman*)

17.50 - 18.00 Therapy/Management (*Alfredo A. Sadun*)

18.00 - 18.10 Follow up (*Rustum Karanjia*)

18.10 - 18.30 Take home messages and panel discussion with cases and Q&A

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