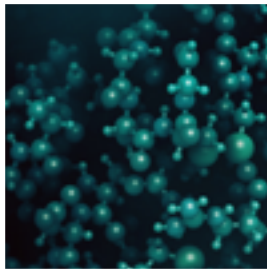


LIVE WEBINAR ON GROWTH DISORDERS

Recognition and Diagnosis

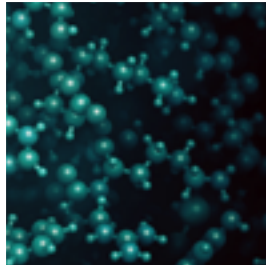
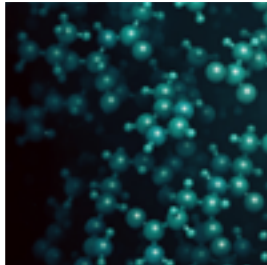


Webinar 4

Key Components of GH Therapy

Thursday, 17 March 2022

from 18:00 to 19:00 SGT (*Singapore Time*)
from 11:00 to 12:00 CET





OVERVIEW

There are many components of hGH therapy beyond those of efficacy and safety. Here we address three important components, namely adherence to the hGH treatment regimen, the transitional care of a severely GH deficient adolescent or young adult including transfer to an adult endocrinology unit from paediatric care and thirdly the future of hGH therapy which of course encompasses long-acting hGH. These components will be addressed in detail.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusions of the live webinar 4 “Key Components of GH Therapy” delegates will understand:

- Safety of long-term rhGH therapy
- Adherence to GH treatment regimen
- Link between poor adherence and poor growth response
- Causes and management of non-adherence
- Digital tools and patient support to improve adherence
- What is transitional care
- Management of GH deficiency through transition to adult care
- Symptoms and signs of Adult GH deficiency
- Effects of discontinuation of rhGH after completion of linear growth
- Effects of rhGH replacement
- Future of rhGH therapy
- Long-acting GH (LArhGH) therapy
- GH secretagogue therapy
- Focus points of LArhGH and GH secretagogue therapy

TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity is designed for pediatricians, pediatric endocrinologists and general practitioners from the Asia Pacific Region.

LANGUAGE

The official language of this live educational conference is English.

REGISTRATION

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THURSDAY, 17 MARCH 2022
FROM 18:00 TO 19:00 SGT (SINGAPORE TIME)

18.00	A	Safety and adherence to hGH therapeutic regimen <i>Welcome and introduction</i> • Safety of long-term hGH therapy - SAGhE data • What is adherence - Evidence of poor adherence in hGH therapy - Causes of poor adherence - Links between poor adherence and poor growth response - Electromagnetic device for improvement in adherence
18.15	B	Transitional care and adult hGH therapy • Adult GH deficiency syndrome - Signs and symptoms - hGH discontinuation studies - Effect of hGH replacement up to 25 years of age - Guidelines for transitional care
18.25	C	The future of hGH therapy • Development of LA hGH preparations - Pegylation - Prodrug - Fusion proteins - Evidence of efficacy - GH secretagogue in GH deficiency - Focus points for LA hGH and GH secretagogue • Conclusions
18.40		Q & A and General Discussion
19.00		End of the live webinar

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