



香港神經肌肉疾病學會

The Hong Kong Society of
Neuromuscular Diseases

Annual Scientific Meeting *cum* Annual General Meeting

Theme: Motor Neuron Disease

Invited Speaker: Professor Kevin TALBOT

Head of Clinical Neurology & Professor of Motor Neuron Biology
Director, Oxford Motor Neuron Disease Care & Research Centre
Nuffield Department of Clinical Neuroscience, University of Oxford, UK

Pre-ASM Teaching Course

Date: **8th September 2017 (Fri)**
Time: **19:00 – 21:00**
Venue: **Multi-function Room, G/F, Block D**, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Kowloon
Topics: ***Practical Tips on Management of Motor Neuron Disease***

Annual Scientific Meeting *cum* Annual General Meeting

Date: **9th September 2017 (Sat)**
Time: **13:30 – 18:00**
Venue: **Lecture Theatre, G/F, Block M**, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Kowloon
Topics: ***Advances in Motor Neuron Disease***

All are welcome.

Registration: Free of Charge.

CME/CPD accreditation pending: HKCP / HKCPaed / HKCPath / HK PT/OT Associations



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(*Limited seats)



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All healthcare professionals interested in motor neuron disease are welcome.

Registration fee: Free-of-charge

R.S.V.P. Before 1st September 2017

Enquiry: Dr. LEE Chi Nam (Email: leecn2@ha.org.hk)

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Programme of Annual Scientific Meeting 2017

Day 1 Pre-ASM Teaching Course

Date: 8 Sept 2017 (Fri)
Time: **19:00 – 21:00**
Venue: **Multi-function Room, G/F, Block D**, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Kowloon
Speaker: Prof. Kevin TALBOT (Oxford, UK)
Moderator: Dr. Michael FU (HKS NMD)

Theme: **Practical tips on the management of motor neuron disease**
Target Audience: Medical and allied health groups taking care of MND patients
Objective: Upon completion, audience will better understand the current overseas standard of care for MND patients, the common problems & solutions during their course of the disease and the new treatments on the horizon.

Rundown:

19:00	Welcome	Dr. Michael FU
19:00 – 20:30	Management of motor neuron disease* Part 1: Overview on common problems & solutions Part 2: Case illustration with practical tips	Prof. TALBOT
20:30 – 21:00	Q&A	
21:00	Closing remark	Dr. Michael FU

*Remark: Prof. Talbot will cover many practical issues in MND care, such as variation in the natural history of MND and prognostication, symptomatic management (pain, cramps, etc.), nutritional care (including timing of gastrostomy), respiratory monitoring and NIV, end of life planning, the prospects for new therapy, and more.

Participants are **welcome to submit your specific questions or clinical cases to Prof. Talbot** beforehand so that they can be included in the presentation. The **deadline of submission** (by email to Dr. Michael Fu at fuyup@ha.org.hk) is **18/8/2017**.

Co-organized by:

Department of Medicine,
Queen Elizabeth Hospital



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Day 2 Annual Scientific Meeting cum Annual General Meeting

Date: 9 Sept 2017 (Sat)
Time: 13:30 – 18:00
Venue: Lecture Theatre, G/F, **Block M**, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Kowloon

Theme: **Advances in Motor Neuron Disease**
Target Audience: Healthcare professionals with interest in MND
Objective: Upon completion, audience will better understand the recent advances of MND, with focus on the molecular biology, aetiologies, drug & technical developments for treatment and the new concepts of the model of care.

Rundown:

13:30 – 13:50	Registration	
13:50	Welcome	Dr. Winnie WONG
13:50 – 14:00	Opening Address	Dr. Sophelia CHAN President of HKSND
Plenary Lecture <i>Chairperson: Dr. Winnie WONG (HKSND)</i>		
14:00 – 15:15	What's New in Pathogenesis, Aetiologies, and Treatment of MND	Prof. TALBOT
15:15 – 15:30	Q&A	
15:30 – 16:00	Annual General Meeting of HKSND	Coffee Break of ASM
Joint Symposium of Hong Kong Society of Neuromuscular Diseases and Hong Kong Society of Palliative Medicine <i>Chairpersons: Dr. LEE Chi Nam (HKSND), Dr. NG Sheung Ching (HKSPM)</i>		
16:00	Welcome	Dr. NG Sheung Ching
16:05 – 16:45	Sharing on Model of Care in Hong Kong	Dr. Annie KWOK (CMC MND Care Team) Dr. Benjamin CHENG (TMH MND Care Team)
16:45 – 17:30	Model of Care for MND- Past, Present, Future	Prof. TALBOT
17:30 – 17:45	Q&A	
17:45	Closing Remark	Dr. LEE Chi Nam

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Short Biography



Prof. Kevin Talbot

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Kevin Talbot qualified in medicine (MB BS) with Distinction from the University of London and trained in Neurology in London and Oxford. He joined the laboratory of Professor Kay Davies in 1995 to work on the childhood motor neuron disorder spinal muscular atrophy, which has remained a major focus of his research ever since. From 1998-2001 he was Clinical Lecturer in Neurology and from 2001-2006 held an MRC Clinician Scientist Fellowship. He leads a multidisciplinary team providing a clinical service for patients with motor neuron disease from all over the South of England. In 2010 he became Professor of Motor Neuron Biology.

The main aim of his research is to overcome the barriers to translational medicine in neurodegenerative diseases by identifying the earliest pathological pathways activated in motor neuron disease in order to define the most therapeutically tractable areas for drug therapy and to apply these findings to clinical studies in patients. In particular, his research group aim to understand why ubiquitously expressed proteins involved in RNA processing and trafficking (SMN, FUS and TDP-43) are critically important for motor neuron integrity. Their research encompasses basic molecular studies in model systems in the laboratory and tissue from patients. A major biomarkers study in ALS (BioMOx), led by Dr Martin Turner is developing ways of tracking disease using imaging and proteomics, but is also providing important new insights into basic disease mechanisms.