

2008 EHDI Conference Topical Session Agenda

PLENARY SESSIONS

Opening Plenary: Monday, February 25, 8:15–9:15 am

Through Deaf Eyes

Presenters: Harry Lang, Irene W. Leigh, Carolyn McCaskill, James Tucker
Moderator: Barbara Raimondo
Room: Grand Ballroom

Plenary II: Monday, February 25, 4:10–5:10 pm

Cortical Development and Re-organization in Auditory Deprivation

Presenter: Anu Sharma
Moderator: Susan Wiley
Room: Grand Ballroom

Plenary III: Tuesday, February 26, 8:00–9:00 am

Parents & Professionals UNPLUGGED

Presenters: Beth Benedict, JoDee Crace, Janet DesGeorges, Susan Elliott, Julia Hecht,
Michelle King, Lisa Kovacs, Curt Leitz, Ruth Mathers, Djenne Morris,
Stephanie Olson,
Kylie Sharp, Rachel St. John, Cami Wright
Moderator: LEEANNE SEAVER
Room: Grand Ballroom

Closing Plenary: Tuesday, February 26, 4:00–4:45 pm

Language Development in Deaf Children: Foundations and Outcomes

Presenter: Marc Marschark
Room: Grand Ballroom

POSTER SESSION

Monday, February 25, 12:15 to 1:00

Posters will be located in the Astor Gallery and the Grand Gallery.

Poster Title and Presenter(s):

1000 Hz Tympanometry for the Older End of the EHDI Spectrum
Wendy D. Hanks

A New Frontier: Current EHDI Activities in Latin America

Barbara Gerner De Garcia, Claudia Gaffney, Susan Chacon

Assessing Needs of Diverse Populations in the EHDI System

John Ribera, Claudia Gaffney, Susan Chacon

Beyond UNHS: Outcomes from Comprehensive Periodic Screening

William Eiserman, Terry Foust

Data Compliance Scorecard

Christy Taylor, Sonni Aponte

Deaf Adults' Perspectives on EI for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children

Kayla Buswell

Don't Leave Home Without It: Assessment Guidelines

Mary Ann Lyon, Kylie Sharp

Effects of Health Professionals' Advice on Parental Decision-Making

Lori A. Day

Evidence-Based Medical Algorithm for Infants with SNHL

Mary Meier, Yaoli Li

Families Resistant to Hearing Aid Use for their Children

Jana L. Zeigberman

Findings from an Evaluation of Loss to Follow-Up in Five State EHDI Programs

Lucia Rojas Smith

Hearing Loss and "Very Early" EI: Emerging Language & Behavior at Two

Betty Vohr

Integrating EHDI & Metabolic Screens: Break Down of Information Silos

Thalia Wood, John Cartwright

Issues in Unilateral and Bilateral Minimal Hearing Loss - Part 1

Judith Gravel, Carol Knightly, Sarah McKay, Estelle Goldsmith

Issues in Unilateral and Bilateral Minimal Hearing Loss - Part 2

Judith Gravel, Carol Knightly, Sarah McKay, Estelle Goldsmith

Issues in Unilateral and Bilateral Minimal Hearing Loss - Part 3

Judith Gravel, Carol Knightly, Sarah McKay, Estelle Goldsmith

Knowledge Needs on Cochlear Implantation

Donna L. Sorkin

Lost to Follow-up: Proving a Small Change Can Make a Difference
Lori Mibus

Multidisciplinary Care of Childhood Hearing Loss: CATIPIHLER
Eileen Rall

New 2006 CDC EHDI Data: What Progress Has Been Made?
Marcus Gaffney, Claudia Gaffney

One, Two, Three - Red Light! Data Management and Tracking... at a glance
Sallie C. McCall

Partnering with Families
Maryann C. Swann

The New Jersey Pediatric Hearing Health Care Directory
Karyn A. Dynak

TN-CHP: Web Model to Improve Follow-up of Hearing Screening
Carmen B. Lozzio

Washington State EHDDI Summits: Creating Partnerships
Amber Roche, Karin Neidt

TOPICAL SESSION 1

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St. Charles A

Public Policy, Citizen Advocates, and Coalition Building: Your new BFF
Mary Hartnett, Toni Fairbanks, Nicole Brown

St. Charles B

NHS Training Module
Randi Winston

Grand Ballroom A

"Hey, What About Us?" - Supporting Families of Young Children who are Hard of Hearing
Janet DesGeorges, Melissa Wagner

From the Parent's Perspective: What we need to feel supported
Nannette Nicholson, Patti Martin, Jan Stroud

Grand Ballroom C

EI Screening for Developmental Delays in Children who are Deaf/HOH
Susan Wiley

MH Prevalence of ADHD and LD in Children with Hearing Loss
Krista Biernath

Grand Ballroom D

Language Outcomes for Young Children with Hearing Loss
Joni Alberg, Christene Tashjian, Kathryn Wilson

Toulouse A

A Learning Collaborative Approach to EHDI System Improvement
Shirley Russ, Doris Hanna, Hallie Morrow, Janet DesGeorges

Toulouse B

Business Case for Integrating EHDI and other Info Systems
Karen Torghele, Alan Hinman

Iberville

Free Money and Where to Find It: Offering Families Financial Support
Genevieve DelRosario

Bienville

Implementing EI Services Using the SKI-HI Model within a South African context
Paula Pittman

Bourbon

Monitoring Risk Factors for Late Onset Hearing Loss
Susan J. Norton, Richard C. Folsom

Burgundy

Cochlear Implants: The Role of the EI Specialist
Carissa Moeggenberg

TOPICAL SESSION 2

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St. Charles A

EHDI Experts' New Role in Early Childhood Screening
William Eiserman, Terry Foust

St. Charles B

Family Support: Take it to the next level!
Patti Martin, LEEANNE SEAVER, Joni Alberg, Galya Hutsell

Grand Ballroom A

Outcomes for Children with HL: Effects of age of ID, sign Support, and auditory prosthesis

Susan Nittrouer

Grand Ballroom C

Professional Development for EI Providers

Marilyn Sass-Lehrer, Beth Benedict

ID Models of Professional Development for Early Interventionists

Laurie Cochenour, Mary Ellen Nevins

Grand Ballroom D

Loss to Follow-up Rate of 10%-- You Can Get There Too!

Hallie Morrow, Jennifer Sherwood, Lisa Satterfield

Toulouse A

Developing Community Partnerships for Cultural Diversity Training

Jill Ellis

Toulouse B

Working Together at the EHDI Program

Gayla Hutsell, Bob Bowman, Kristi Zonno, Winnie Chung, Richard Harward, Kurt Randall

Iberville

Over the River and Through the Woods: Serving Rural Families

Jennie Germano, Nanette Thompson, Dinah Beams

Reaching Families in rural areas through Video-conferencing

Jan North, Melissa McCarthy

Bienville

Cued Speech: Visual Access to Spoken Language

Barbara LeBlanc, Denise Taylor, Penny Hakim

American Sign Language and Cued Languages: Partners in Bilingualism

Allison Kaftan, Polly Earl

Bourbon

ASHA Policy Documents: Providing Guidance for Improving EHDI Outcomes

Allan O. Diefendorf, Judith S. Gravel, Anne Marie Tharpe

Burgundy

Advocacy for Children Using the Individuals with Disabilities Act

Barbara Raimondo

TOPICAL SESSION 3

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St. Charles A

Comparison of Intervention Settings for Infants and Toddlers with Hearing Loss
Anne Marie Tharpe

St. Charles B

HEAR Chart -- Hierarchy of Early Auditory Responses
Diana Lee, Elizabeth Hopkins

Grand Ballroom A

Effectiveness of Ohio's EI on Language Outcomes
Jareen Meinzen-Derr, Susan Wiley, Constance Block, Daniel Choo

Grand Ballroom C

Factors Associated with Newborn Hearing Screening Follow-up
Vickie Thomson

Grand Ballroom D

Auditory Neuropathy / Dys-synchrony
Jan Stroud, Patti Martin, Nannette Nicholson

Toulouse A

Making I.T. Work for You
Nick Waddell

Toulouse B

KIDSNET and RITRACK... Partnering for Audiological Reporting
Mary Catherine Hess, Michael Berry

Iberville

Signing with Babies-- hearing... deaf... Does it Matter?
Cheri Dowling

Bienville

Expanding Skills of Providers and Culturally Diverse Families
Jill Ellis

Bourbon

Parents' views of the Impact of Early Diagnosis on Child Development
Alys Young

Burgundy

Opening Doors: Collaborating to Develop Family Friendly Resources

Eric S. Cahill, Fran Hardin, Cathy Howle, Wendy Keown

TOPICAL SESSION 4

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St. Charles A

Doing What it Takes: Advancing Outcomes for Children with Hearing Loss

Teresa H. Caraway, Tamara H. Elder

St. Charles B

Decision-making Processes of EHDI Families

Marilyn Sass-Lehrer, Sarah Wainscott, Carol Croyle

Tough Choices: Parental Perspectives on Decision Making

Nannette Nicholson, Patti Martin, Jan Stroud, Meghan Powell

Grand Ballroom A

Auditory Access for Infants Utilizing PFM Technology

Johnnie Sexton

Grand Ballroom C

It Takes a Village: Serving Children with Hearing Loss and their Families

Todd Houston, Karen Munoz

Grand Ballroom D

Parents to Professionals: What We REALLY Need You to Know

Amanda Kaahanui

"Sweeten the Pot" - Why EHDI Programs and Service Providers Should Have Parents as Equal Partners on their Teams

Kylie Sharp

Toulouse A

Tackling Transition: Resources and Strategies

Marcia Kolvitz

Toulouse B

Quality Assurance - What Happens to Your Babies?

Jennifer Sherwood, Hallie Morrow, Lisa Satterfield

Iberville

Civil Rights to Effective Communication
Barbara Raimondo

Bienville

Long-Term Consequences of Language and Educational Options
Gina Oliva, Tami Hossler, Erica Hossler

Bourbon

Creative Strategies for Serving Non-English Speaking Families
Jennie Germano, Dinah Beams

Burgundy

Intervention for Children with Vision Loss and Cochlear Implants
Kathleen Stremel

TOPICAL SESSION 5

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EXHIBITOR - Astor Ballroom II (presentation 1)

Automated ABR Screening in the NICU with Zero Re-tests
Sokolov

EXHIBITOR - Astor Ballroom II (presentation 2)

Non-sedated ABR evaluation
Sokolov

St. Charles A

EHDI State Model Bill Phase II Campaign
James Potter, Anne Oyler, Rend Al-Mondhiry

St. Charles B

Focusing on the "I" in EHDI
Marilyn Sass-Lehrer, Arlene Stredler Brown, Mary Pat Moeller

Grand Ballroom A

Bridge to Preschool: Ensuring a Successful Transition
Janet DesGeorges, Dinah Beams

Grand Ballroom C

Hands & Voices' Guide By your Side: A Replicable Family Support Program
Leeanne Seaver, Stephanie Olson, Elizabeth Seeliger, Candace Lindow Davies

Grand Ballroom D

Model Program for Periodic Medical Home Childhood Hearing Screening
Christine Gilmore Eubanks, Parul Bhatia

Toulouse A

Indiana's EHDI Alert Response System (EARS)
Bob Bowman, Gayla Hutsell

Toulouse B

Finding the Lost EHDI Babies-- Utilizing Partnerships
Chris Watkins

Iberville

What is Audism? What Professionals Need to Know
Ben Bahan, Beth Benedict, Barbara Raimondo

Bienville

Addressing the Shortage of Qualified Pediatric Audiologists
Les R. Schmeltz

Bourbon

Personnel Preparation for EHDI Service Providers
Jackson Roush, Anne Marie Tharpe, Judith Gravel

Burgundy

Thinking Outside the Box: Creating Private-Public Partnerships
Teresa H. Caraway, Tamara H. Elder, Jim Schmealzle

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St. Charles A

American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Working Lunch* 11:45 - 2:00
*Continuing Medical Education Provided

St. Charles B

Building Community Capacity for EHDI Services Statewide
Kelly Daniel, Eric S. Cahill, Lou Ann Jones

Grand Ballroom A

Bone Conduction Hearing: A Natural Pathway to Hearing
George Cire, Donna Sorkin

Grand Ballroom C

What's Your hIQ: Defining High Quality (hIQ) Intervention Services

Paula Pittman, Arlene Stredler-Brown

Grand Ballroom D

Supporting Informed Choice for Families of Deaf Children

Gwen Carr

The Infant Hearing Guide: A Tool for Early Interventionists

Patti Martin, Nannette Nicholson

Toulouse A

CNMI and Our Efforts to Reduce Loss to Follow-up

Angie Mister, Elizabeth Palacios

"Like a Good Neighbor" - Integrate with Other State Databases to Help Improve Follow-up

Michelle Garcia, Erin Estrada

Toulouse B

Sound START of KS: Across the Prairie

Carol Busch, Kim M. Aeillo

1-3-6 in Kansas: The Role of Sound START in Supporting Sound Beginnings

Carol Busch, Kim M. Aeillo

Iberville

Understanding Sensory Orientations of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children

Benjamin J. Bahan, Beth Benedict

Bienville

Language Rights

Susan Schaller

Bourbon

Lobbying for Beginners: You Really Can Make a Difference!

Joni Alberg

Burgundy

Ensuring Quality Audiology Services - Roundtable Discussion

Lisa Satterfield, Jennifer Sherwood, Hallie Morrow

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A Diamond in the Rough
Lorie Lang, Kylie Sharp

St. Charles B

NHS in England: Implementing and Maintaining a Quality Programme
Nick Waddell

Grand Ballroom A

Identifying the Most Common Causes of Hearing Loss
Brenda Sommer

Grand Ballroom C

Tracking and Referral via Web Reports and GIS Technology
Shihfen Tu

Grand Ballroom D

"Think Different": How to Simplify an EHDI program to keep updated in a fast paced world
Michelle Garcia

Toulouse A

Ways to Help Parents Feel Comfortable with ASL and Deaf Culture
Barb Di Giovanni, Lisa DeWindt-Sommer

Toulouse B

EHDI Challenges and Strategies in Addressing Privacy Regulations
Todd Houston, Diane Behl

Iberville

Cytomegalovirus: Survey of Physicians' Knowledge and Practices
Danielle S. Ross

Bienville

Caregiver Stress in Families of Young Children with Hearing Loss
Jareen Meinzen-Derr

Bourbon

Successful Support of Families
Joni Alberg

Burgundy

The Double-Edged Sword of Early Hearing Detection and Intervention
Karen Hopkins, Lynn Schardel, Vivian Mikhail

