

Annual Fragile X Conference



Please join us for our annual Fragile X Conference featuring special guest speakers Drs. Paul and Randi Hagerman.

Seattle Children's Hospital

Saturday, May 4, 2013
9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Agenda

9:00 - Welcome Reception (beverages & muffins)
9:30 – Randi Hagerman, MD
11:00-11:15 break
11:15-Bryan King, Ph.D.
11:45 – Q & A
12:00 – 12:45 Boxed lunch, provided
12:45 –Mendy Minjarez, Ph.D.
1:30 – Paul Hagerman, MD
3:00 – Q & A
3:30 - Parent Panel – Experienced parents to answer your questions.

Children's Hospital is a secure facility.
Pre-registration is required. You will receive directions with RSVP confirmation.
Please, remit registration form with payment by **April 20, 2013**

An email address must accompany payment (for instructions and confirmation). Non-registered guests are not permitted. For questions contact: Cathy Broberg at 425-488-2948 or cathyann402@gmail.com.

Special Guest Speakers

Dr. Randi Hagerman, head of the M.I.N.D. institute at UC Davis, has more than 20 years of experience in the field of neurodevelopmental disorders and Fragile X syndrome. She also has a strong clinical and research interest in autism and has conducted research examining the association between autism and Fragile X syndrome.

Dr. Paul Hagerman, a molecular biologist with particular expertise in nucleic acid biochemistry, was recruited to the M.I.N.D. Institute and the Dept. of Biological Chemistry from the Univ. of Colorado School of Medicine. He is currently on the scientific advisory board of the Muscular Dystrophy Assoc. and recently shifted toward the study of the molecular biology of neurodevelopmental disorders, with particular emphasis on Fragile X syndrome.

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[Fragile X Association of Washington State](http://www.wafragilex.org)

Bryan King, Ph.D. – Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences. Dr. King studies psychopathology in persons with developmental disabilities and potential treatments for persons with these conditions. His primary focus is repetitive self-injurious behavior (SIB). He has explored animal models of self-biting with the aim of better understanding the causes of SIB in persons with autism spectrum disorders and other development disabilities.

Mendy Minjarez, Ph.D. - Psychologist with Seattle Children's Hospital in the Autism Center/Dept of Child Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences.

Education clock hours are available

Increasing awareness about Fragile X in our community
www.wafragilex.org