

# Nemours Children's Health Hosts Annual Hot Topics in Neonatology Conference

*The internationally recognized conference brings together neonatology leaders to discuss and debate the latest research and therapies*

**WILMINGTON, DEL** (Dec. 5, 2022) – Today through Wednesday, December 7, Nemours Children's Health will host the annual Hot Topics in Neonatology Conference at the National Harbor in Maryland. This conference brings together more than 1,000 neonatologists and perinatologists from around the world to discuss and debate promising new research and therapies for newborns.

Conference presenters were selected by an independent committee of prominent neonatology leaders. Following each presentation, attendees will have the opportunity to debate with their peers.

"I've been attending the Hot Topics in Neonatology conference since I was a fellow in Burlington, VT, and it's always been the premier conference for neonatology," said Dr. Kanekal Gautham, Chair of the Department of Pediatrics, Nemours Children's Health, and speaker at Hot Topics in Neonatology. "In my opinion, the topics discussed in this conference are 'hot' not only because they are hot off the press, the latest and best evidence in our field, but also because there is vigorous debate between experts, experienced clinicians, and intellectuals. Such debate advances our knowledge and expands our critical thinking."

This year's conference will include presentations by Dmytro Dobryanskyy, MD, PhD, and parent Oleksandra Balyasna about the challenges of neonatal care in Ukraine and delivering a preemie during war. The conference will also feature presentations of groundbreaking research studies funded by the National Institutes of Health.

To learn more about the Hot Topics in Neonatology conference, please visit: <http://www.hottopicsinneonatology.org/>.

## **About Nemours Children's Health**

Nemours Children's Health is one of the nation's largest multistate pediatric health systems, which includes two free-standing children's hospitals and a network of more than 70 primary and specialty care practices. Nemours Children's seeks to transform the health of children by adopting a holistic health model that utilizes innovative, safe, and high-quality care, while also caring for the health of the whole child beyond medicine. Nemours Children's also powers the world's most-visited website for information on the health of children and teens, [Nemours KidsHealth.org](http://NemoursKidsHealth.org).

The Nemours Foundation, established through the legacy and philanthropy of Alfred I. duPont, provides pediatric clinical care, research, education, advocacy, and prevention programs to the children, families and communities it serves. For more information, visit [Nemours.org](http://Nemours.org).



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