



June 2023

MSRGN Project Directors' Message

Welcome to Year 7 of the Grant Cycle

Hello Mountain State members-
As of June 1, 2023 we have embarked on the LAST year of our current 4 year grant cycle which began on 6/1/20. It is hard to believe when we wrote this grant application we had never heard the term COVID and now coming up on 4 years later, these 5 letters have radically impacted the world and some of the projects and delivery mechanisms for this MSRGN grant cycle.

We have learned many lessons and tried to stay agile as we shifted, pivoted and sometimes pirouetted our way to improving access to genetics care in our 8 state region. One of those lesson's learned was converting an in-person event to a virtual event. We did this event conversion for the first time with our Genetics Summit 2021, and again for Genetics Summit 2022 This yearly virtual event has been so successful

that we are doing it again this year!
Be sure to REGISTER for our virtual Genetics Summit 2023 here!

Thank you for all your involvement and we look forward to wrapping up year 7 with your participation!
the MSRGN Management team

Registration is OPEN!

MSRGN GENETICS SUMMIT 2023

PEAK
PERFORMANCE

OCTOBER 11-12, 2023

Mountain States
REGIONAL GENETICS NETWORK

Genetics Summit 2023

October 11&12th

This Year's Theme...

PEAK Performance

We are going virtual again this year with our Genetics Summit 2023!

Mark your calendars for **October 11-12th, 2023**

for the MSRGN Genetics Summit.

This year we will be focusing on 4 areas of **PEAK** Performance:

P- Primary Care and Genetics


E- Emotional Perspectives of Genetics

A- Access to Genetics Care for Underserved Populations

K- Karyotypes to Knockouts (Genetic Testing /Research)

Genetic Summit 2023
Registration

Reminder to State Teams:
Adding a Member to a State Team
is 4 Step Process



Adding State Team Members

After you have spoken with someone who has interest* in possibly joining your state team please follow these steps...

*Interest in being on a state team DOES NOT automatically guarantee state team membership.

Our state teams are expanding and growing in year 7 with lots of new recruiting and engagement going on in all 8 of our states. MSRGN has developed this [handy infographic](#) outlining 4 simple steps to add a person to a state team. State team members please click below and follow this process to make as smooth of an experience for prospective state team members and MSRGN as possible. Thank you for all your recruiting efforts and if anyone has questions about state team involvement or membership, please reach out to Jamie [here](#).

**Adding a State Team Member
Infographic**

From our sister region:
Midwest Genetics Network
Addressing Familial Hypercholesterolemia



Join us for a **free** online learning series!

*This project aims to improve pediatric lipid panel screening rates, understand the referral process, and provide strategies to manage Familial Hypercholesterolemia (FH). Clinicians can sign up to receive free **ABP MOC4, ABFM QI Points, CME** or **ABP/ABIM MOC2** credits.*

Presentation #1 - Familial Hypercholesterolemia 101

Presentation #2 - Familial Hypercholesterolemia Diagnosis

Presentation #3 - Your Patient Has FH. Now What?

To learn more about the project visit the [FH Project Page!](#)

[Register Here](#)

Questions? Contact educationshp@mphi.org

The Midwest Genetics Network is funded through HRSA and works to improve access to health and genetic services for medically underserved populations.

Midwest Genetics Network Continuing Education Learning Activity: Addressing Familial Hypercholesterolemia

Join MGN for a multi-state virtual learning collaborative to connect clinicians and their clinic staff interested in improving pediatric lipid panel screening rates, understanding the referral process, and providing strategies to manage Familial Hypercholesterolemia (FH).

This activity can be finished in 3 months and has been approved for 25-Pediatric MOC4 points, 20-Family Medicine Performance Improvement points, 3.25 - Pediatric or Internal Medicine MOC2 credits and has been approved for a maximum of 3.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™.

Registration is now open and closes for MOC4/ABFMPI credit on 8/24/23.

Registration will close for CME participation on 10/4/23. There is **no charge** for participation in this HRSA-funded project. To register for this opportunity, click [here](#). For additional details visit MGN's [website](#).

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State Team Corner
What's ROCK'n in **Montana**?



Each month we will be highlighting a project or resource created by one of our state teams that is ROCK'n the MSRGN Region. This month we are highlighting:

MONTANA

For a portion of Montana's Year 6, State Team project they hosted a portion of the documentary, UNSEEN, at the recent Shodair Children's Hospital Genetics Conference: Wide Open Spaces.

To learn more about the documentary and watch the trailer that the Montana state team helped to host please click the picture above or click [here](#).

*If you live in the mountain states and are interested in getting involved in the state team in the state where you live, please reach out to our state teams coordinator, [Jamie Stefanski](#) or fill out this form [here](#) and note your interest in the **state teams** in the "Why are you interested in connecting with MSRGN?" box.*

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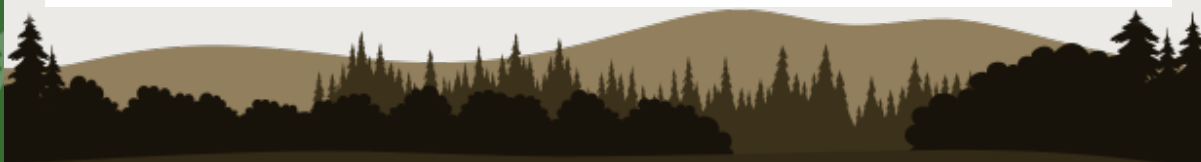
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