

# **Lipodystrophy 2024 Consensus Symposium: Building Bridges and Solving the Puzzle**

*Note that this agenda is subject to change and/or may not reflect exact sessions. The final and most up to date agenda will be hosted on our website and sent out to registered attendees.*

## **Part 1: Building Bridges**

### **Draft Schedule of the Patient-Only Symposium**

#### **Thursday, November 7th – Lipodystrophy 2024 Symposium**

**10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

##### **Patient Arrival and Check-In**

- **Check-In Process:** Attendees check in at Hilton Garden Inn or TownePlace Suites Marriott, assisted by volunteers who will guide them to their rooms and help locate the correct hotel.
  - **Meet & Greet: Storytelling Café:**  
Attendees will network with others who have the same type of lipodystrophy, sharing stories over light snacks and drinks.
  - **Lipodystrophy United Booth:**  
Educational materials and information about Lipodystrophy United will be available.
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**2:30 PM - 5:00 PM**

##### **Storytelling (Videography/Photography)**

- **Videography (To be confirmed):**  
Community members can share their story, or a part of it, while being filmed by a videographer.
  - **Storytelling Training:**  
Those not participating in the photoshoot can attend a storytelling training session.
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**5:30 PM - 8:00 PM**

##### **Keynote and Dinner (Conference Space - Hotel Venue/Catering details TBD)**

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### Friday, November 8th – Lipodystrophy 2024 Symposium

**8:00 AM - 9:00 AM**

**Breakfast at Hotel**

**9:15 AM - 10:15 AM**

**Patient Advocacy Training**

**10:30 AM - 11:00 AM**

**Lipodystrophy United - Shaping the Future of the Foundation**

**11:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

**Preparation for Consensus Session**

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**1:00 PM - 2:00 PM**

**Lunch**

**2:00 PM - 4:00 PM**

**Break**

**4:00 PM - 4:30 PM**

**Shuttle to University of Michigan**

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### Part 2: Solving the Puzzle of Lipodystrophy

**Draft Schedule of the University of Michigan Symposium (including people with lipodystrophy and caregivers)**

**4:30 PM - 5:30 PM**

**Keynote Lecture at UMichigan**

**5:30 PM - 7:00 PM**

**Poster Reception**

**7:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

**Dinner Gala**

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**Saturday, November 9th, 2024**

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**8:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Science Talks**

**10:00 AM - 10:20 AM**

**Break**

**10:20 AM - 11:00 AM**

**Three Short Talks and Discussion**

**11:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Consensus Statement Outline**

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**12:00 PM - 1:00 PM**

**Lunch**

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**1:00 PM - 3:00 PM**

**Breakout Sessions (4 Tracks)**

- **Track 1:** Disease Definition and Classification
- **Track 2:** FPLD Definition vs. FPLD-like Phenotype and Truncal Apple-Shaped Obesity
- **Track 3:** Acquired Generalized Lipodystrophy Definition and Diagnostic Issues
- **Track 4:** Treatment Guidelines and PRO Development (recommended for caregivers and people with lipodystrophy)

**4:00 PM - 5:00 PM**

**Reports from Breakout Sessions**

- 10 minutes per track, followed by a 20-minute discussion.
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**5:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

**Regulatory Panel**

**7:00 PM - 10:00 PM**

**Art Show and Dinner Reception**

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**Sunday, November 10th, 2024**

**8:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Parallel Sessions**

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- **Session 1:** Advocacy (Patients/Caregivers) (recommended for caregivers and people with lipodystrophy)
  - **Session 2:** Missing Links in Basic Research
  - **Session 3:** Missing Links in Clinical Research
  - **Session 4:** Regional Priorities in Global Research
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**12:00 PM - 1:00 PM**

**Chair Reports from Parallel Sessions**

**1:00 PM**

**Conclusions and Next Steps**

**1:30 PM**

**Adjournment**