

Neurology Residents Agenda  
Team Training  
October 19-21, 2026  
Reston, VA



Updated 8/5/26

TIME		DAY 1: MONDAY, October 19 TOPICS	Emcee: Eli Pollard SPEAKERS
7:15 AM	8:00 AM	Attendee Registration	
		Sit in Assigned Teams	
8:00 AM	8:15 AM	Welcome, Introductions and Instructions	Parkinson's Foundation Eli Pollard, VP and Chief Education and Training Ofcr and Denise Beran, Assoc. Director, Professional Education
8:15 AM	9:15 AM	Ignite Talks: What you didn't know we do  Q & A	Parkinson's Foundation Team Training Faculty: Arvette Benson, MSN, RN Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW Nina Browner, MD Kathy Hyunh, NP Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS Rachel Rose, OTR/L Lucille Carriere, PhD
9:15 AM	10:20 AM	The "I" in Team Q & A	Denise Kornegay, MSW Lucille Carriere, PhD
10:20 AM	10:35 AM	Break	
10:35 AM	11:20 AM	Motor / Non-Motor Symptoms Q & A	Nina Browner, MD
11:20 AM	12:35 PM	PATIENT PANEL: People with Parkinson's Diagnosed for Less Than 5 Years  Panel debrief	Facilitator: Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP  Panel Debrief: Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS
12:35 PM	1:35 PM	Lunch Residents will take their food into meeting room	intros and debrief of leadership training
1:35 PM	3:00 PM	Video Rounds Part 1 (Phenomenology and Early PD)	Sneha Mantri, MD
3:00 PM	3:15 PM	Break - SIT AT TEAM TABLES FOR REMAINDER	
3:15 PM	4:20 PM	The "We" in Teams Q & A	Denise Kornegay, MSW Lucille Carriere, PhD
4:20 PM	4:50 PM	Managing Sleep & Fatigue Q & A	Lucille Carriere, PhD Rachel Rose, OTR/L Nina Browner, MD
4:50 PM	5:20 PM	Linking Back to the Workplace	Denise Kornegay, MSW
5:20 PM	5:30 PM	Instructions and Evaluation	Denise Beran

TIME		DAY 2: Tuesday, October 21 Resident Track Topics	Emcee: Denise Kornegay SPEAKERS
		Sit in Assigned Teams	
8:00 AM	8:45 AM	Overflow time for video rounds; if not necessary, residents go to general session room	Julia Wood, MOT, OTR/L Lucille Carriere, PhD and Team Training Faculty on Panel: Arvette Benson, MSN, RN Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW Nina Browner, MD Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS Kathy Hyunh, NP
8:45 AM	9:15 AM	Ups & Downs of Falls Q & A	Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS Julia Wood, MOT, OTR/L
9:15 AM	9:45 AM	When Swallowing Becomes a Problem Q & A	Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Arvette Benson, MSN, RN
9:45 AM	10:00 AM	Break - SIT AT TEAM TABLES FOR REMAINDER	
10:00 AM	11:15 AM	CASE PRESENTATION: Person with Mid-stage PD and Care Partner (Interprofessional Case Discussion) Q & A	Parkinson's Foundation Team Training Faculty: Arvette Benson, MSN, RN Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW Nina Browner, MD Kathy Hyunh, NP Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS Julia Wood, MOT/OTRL Lucille Carriere, PhD
11:15 AM	12:30 PM	PATIENT PANEL: People with Parkinson's Diagnosed for More Than 5 Years  Panel debrief	Facilitator: Lucille Carriere, PhD  Panel Debrief: Kathy Hyunh, NP
12:30 PM	1:30 PM	Lunch: OPEN SEATING	
1:30 PM	2:55 PM	Video Rounds Part 2 (Advanced PD/Atypicals)	Sneha Mantri, MD
2:55 PM	3:10 PM	Break	
3:10 PM	4:15 PM	The "Us" in Teams Q & A	Denise Kornegay, MSW Lucille Carriere, PhD
4:15 PM	5:00 PM	DBS and Device Aided Therapies  Q & A	Joan Miravite, DNP, RN, FNP-BC, FAAN, FAANP Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS
5:00 PM	5:30 PM	Linking Back to the Workplace	Denise Kornegay, MSW
5:30 PM	5:35 PM	Instructions and Evaluation	Denise Beran
		6:00 PM: Residents Dinner (meet in hotel lobby for dinner transportation)	

TIME		DAY 3: Wednesda, October 22 Resident Track Topics	Emcee: Eli Pollard SPEAKERS
8:00 AM	9:15 AM	<b>Ignite Talks</b> <b>Cognitive Changes in PD</b> <b>A team approach to care</b>	<b>Parkinson's Foundation Team Training Faculty:</b> Arvette Benson, MSN, RN Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW Kathy Hyunh, NP Julia Wood, MOT/OTRL Lucille Carriere, PhD Nina Browner, MD
9:15 AM	9:45 AM	<b>Team Review</b>	<b>Denise Kornegay, MSW</b>
9:45 AM	10:00 AM	<b>Break</b>	
10:00 AM	11:25 AM	<b>Residents go to the MD/APP Breakout Session</b> <b>(interprofessional Models of Care)</b>	<b>Parkinson's Foundation Team Training Faculty:</b> Arvette Benson, MSN, RN and Charlene Heavener, RN Darla Freeman, SLPD, CCC-SLP Allison Allen, MSW, LCSW & Elaine Book, MSW, RSW Nina Browner, MD Kathy Hyunh, NP Heather Cianci, PT, MS, GCS Julia Wood, MOT/OTRL and Rachel Rose, OTR/L Lucille Carriere, PhD
11:25 AM	12:25 PM	<b>PARKINSON'S CARE PARTNER PANEL</b> <b>Panel Debrief</b>	<b>Facilitator: Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW</b> <b>Debrief: Lucille Carriere, PhD</b>
12:25 PM	1:25 PM	<b>Lunch: OPEN SEATING</b>	
1:25 PM	1:55 PM	<b>Driving and Parkinson's</b>	<b>Rachel Rose, OTR/L</b>
1:55 PM	2:25 PM	<b>Collaborations to Expand Your Team</b> <b>Q &amp; A</b>	<b>Jennifer Goldman, MD, MS, FAAN, FANA</b> <b>Joan Hlas, MSW, LICSW</b>
2:25 PM	3:25 PM	<b>Residents go to PT/OT/SLP</b> <b>(Breakout #2)</b>	<b>MD/PA/NP/RN/SW/Psych - Breakout #1</b> <b>PT/OT/SLP - Breakout #2</b>
3:25 PM	3:40 PM	<b>Break</b>	
3:40 PM	4:25 PM	<b>Interprofessional Case Assessment Exercise</b> <b>Q &amp; A</b>	<b>Denise Kornegay, MSW</b>
4:25 PM	5:10 PM	<b>Linking Back to the Workplace</b>	<b>Denise Kornegay, MSW</b>
5:10 PM	5:30 PM	<b>Closing Remarks, Instructions and Evaluations</b>	<b>Eli Pollard</b> <b>Denise Beran</b>
5:30 PM	7:30 PM	<b>Cocktail Networking Reception</b>	<b>Team Training Attendees AND</b> <b>Advanced Team Training Attendees</b>