

Please come to the third meeting of the

North Carolina 22q11 Deletion Support Group

Sunday, March 15, 2009
1:00 – 5:00pm

Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center
Ground Floor of the Nutrition Building, Hawthorne Rd
Winston-Salem, NC 27103

We are excited to welcome Donna Cutler-Landsman, educational consultant and author of Educating Children with Velo-Cardio-Facial Syndrome, as well as Dr. Matcheri Keshavan, a well-known psychiatrist, who will address medication use for behavioral/mental health concerns in children and adults with chromosome 22q11.2 deletion syndrome. This meeting is primarily for individuals with 22q11.2 deletion syndrome (Velocardiofacial/DiGeorge syndrome) and their families. The meeting is open to the public and is free.

Agenda:

- 1-1:30 Registration
1:30-1:40 Introduction- Dr. Vandana Shashi
1:40-2:25 Donna Cutler-Landsman – Learning Disabilities in Children with 22q11 deletion syndrome
2:30-3:15 Dr. Matcheri Keshavan – Medications for Behavior/Mental Disorders in Children with 22q11 deletion syndrome
3:15- 4:00 Donna Cutler-Landsman – Teenage Years and 22q11 deletion syndrome
4:00- 5:00 Social time with refreshments

Because of the length of the meeting and the expected numbers of participants, we respectfully request that young children not attend, unless you feel they will benefit from these presentations.

To RSVP and for more information, including parking directions contact:

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The NC 22q11 Support Group Mission: To provide information and support to families who have a child/family member with Chromosome 22q11 Deletion syndrome