



# JIA DIAGNOSIS UNLOCKED

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An Online Health Care Workers Guide To Early Diagnosis  
And Management Of Childhood Arthritis.

15 - 24th OCTOBER 2024



6:30PM - 7:30PM (EAT)



## INSTRUCTORS



### **Dr. Angela Migowa**

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Dr. Angela Migowa is the Founder of Hope Arthritis Foundation, Founding President of the Paediatric Society of the African League Against Rheumatism (PAFLAR) and National Vice Chair of Kenya Paediatric Association (2020-2024). She is an Assistant Professor and Pediatric Rheumatologist in the department of Pediatrics and Child Health at Aga Khan University Medical College East Africa Nairobi, Kenya. She completed a postdoctoral fellowship in Pediatric Rheumatology at McGill University Health Centre, Montreal Canada and holds a Master's Degree in Paediatrics and Child Health (AKUH). She is currently a PHD Candidate at University of Ghent in Belgium and her research work is focused on addressing diagnostic challenges for paediatric rheumatic diseases in Kenya.



### **Dr . Raffaella Carlomagno**

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Dr . Raffaella Carlomagno is a pediatric rheumatologist in Lausanne, Switzerland. In Switzerland, she completed her residency in Pediatrics and a fellowship in Pediatric Rheumatology at the University Hospitals in Lausanne (CHUV) and Geneva (HUG), allowing her to acquire the Swiss title (FMH) of pediatrician and pediatric rheumatologist. She accomplished the Diplôme Inter-Universitaire (DIU) in Pediatric Rheumatology in Lyon and Paris, France. She completed a 2-year Lupus Fellowship at the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto, Canada, where she fortified her clinical experience on childhood-onset systemic lupus erythematosus (cSLE) and neonatal lupus. During her Lupus fellowship, her research work was focused on genetic epidemiology of age of lupus diagnosis and of cSLE risk.



### **Dr. Rosie Scuccimarri**

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Dr. Rosie Scuccimarri is a Pediatric Rheumatologist at the Montreal Children's Hospital and an Associate Professor in the Department of Pediatrics of McGill University. She was the Pediatric Rheumatology Residency program director from 2011-2018. Her research interests include Rheumatology Global Health, Kawasaki Disease and Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis. She was previously on the board of the Canadian Rheumatology Association and also served as chair of both the Therapeutics and Pediatrics Committees. She is a founding board member of Rheumatology For All; and has been involved in educational and research activities in Kenya, Ethiopia and Rwanda.

# Dates and Time

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Tuesday October 15th, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Signs and Symptoms of JIA – Dr Raffaella Carlomagno

Wednesday October 16th, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Treatment of JIA – Dr. Angela Migowa

Thursday October 17th, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Nursing care in JIA – Ms Charlene Hopper

Tuesday October 22nd, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Rehabilitation care in JIA – Mr. Martin Ong'wen

Wednesday October 23rd, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Complications of JIA – Dr. Rosie Scuccimarri

Thursday October 24th, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Radiological Investigations in JIA – Dr. Gaelle Chedeville

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**Mr. Otieno Martin Ong'wen**

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Mr. Otieno Martin Ong'wen is a passionate Physiotherapist out of Nairobi Kenya, currently the Clinical Director at Afyafrica Orthopedic Services and former Kenyan Program Director for Therapists Beyond Borders. Mr. Ong'wen has received specialty training in Orthopedic Manual therapy, Cardiac- Rehabilitation, Pediatric care, Neurorehabilitation, Sports Physiotherapy, Cancer Rehabilitation as well as Modern-Evidence Based Pain science and Global Mental Health.



**Charlene Hopper**

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Charlene Hopper is a nurse clinician in the Rheumatology Division of the Montreal Children's Hospital (MCH) in Quebec, Canada. Her nursing experience spans 35 years, practicing in various settings, the last 20 in pediatric rheumatology. She studied in Canada and holds a Bachelor of Nursing from the University of New Brunswick and a Master of Science in Nursing from McGill University.



**Dr Gaëlle Chédeville**

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Dr Gaëlle Chédeville is a Pediatric Rheumatologist at the Montreal Children's Hospital, McGill University Health Centre since October 2003. She is a clinician interested in all aspects of Pediatric Rheumatology especially Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis (JIA) and Lupus. She has developed an interest in Imaging and created Radiology lectures for the residents in the pediatric rheumatology residency program so they are more familiar with findings that they may encounter in their patients. As well, Dr Gaëlle Chédeville did additional training to perform bedside ultrasound in selected patients for diagnostic and therapeutic purposes. She is also active in clinical research with the Canadian Alliance of Pediatric Rheumatology Investigators (CAPRI), which is mostly focused on JIA research with a goal to help better understand this disease and its outcomes.

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