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You are invited to a  
**FREE 2024 Alpha-1**  
**Education Day**

**Salt Lake City, UT**  
**Saturday,**  
**August 24th**



# Salt Lake City Alpha-1 Education Day

An Alpha-1 Education Day is a chance for patients, their families, caregivers and healthcare professionals to:

- Learn about Alpha-1
- Meet Alpha-1 experts
- Network with the Alpha-1 community
- Get Alpha-1 Foundation resources

Please avoid wearing perfumes, colognes or other scented items. This can trigger a serious asthma attack for some Alphas. We recommend that attendees bring a sweater. The meeting rooms may be cold.

## Friday, August 23rd

7:00 - 9:00 pm MT

### Patient Dinner: Meet the Alpha-1 Community!

Join us for a free dinner sponsored by AlphaNet, CSL Behring, Grifols, and Takeda.

## Saturday, August 24th

9:00 - 10:00 am MT

### Regional Alpha-1 Support Group Meeting

Join us before the A1F Education Day on Saturday to meet local Alpha-1 Support Group Leaders and other Alpha-1 patients and families in the region. All patients and family members are invited to attend.

10:00 - 11:00 am MT

### Registration, Breakfast & Exhibits

11:00 - 11:30 am MT

### Alpha-1 Foundation Welcome & Update

Scott Santarella, President & CEO,  
Alpha-1 Foundation

11:30 - 12:00 pm MT

### Alpha-1 Lung & Liver Disease

Cheryl Pirozzi, MD, MS, Pulmonary and Critical Care  
Medicine, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

12:00 - 12:30 pm MT

### Transplant Evaluation Process

Matthew Morrell, MD, Medical Director, Lung  
Transplant Program, University of Utah, Salt Lake  
City, UT

12:30 - 1:30 pm MT

### Lunch & Exhibits

1:30 - 2:00 pm MT

### Lung Valves

Gregory A. Grandio, MD, Interventional  
Pulmonologist, Intermountain Health, Murray, UT

2:00 - 2:30 pm MT

### Alpha-1 Patient Panel

2:30 - 3:00 pm MT

### Update on the Alpha-1 Biomarker Consortium (A1BC) Study & the Importance of Participating in Clinical Trials

Cheryl Pirozzi, MD, MS, Pulmonary and Critical Care  
Medicine, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

## Program Schedule

## Event Registration

Register to attend at <https://alpha1.org/education-days/> or contact the Alpha-1 Foundation at 877-228-7321 ext 323. Please register to attend by **Monday, August 19, 2024.**

Will  
You Be  
Attending?

Need a  
Hotel  
Room?

## Location

**Sheraton Salt Lake City**  
150 West 500 South  
Salt Lake City, UT 84101  
(801) 401-2000

## Hotel Reservations

Contact Marriott's Reservations at +1 888-627-8152 to reserve your room. The discounted rate is \$160 plus tax and the booking code is Alpha-1 Foundation Education Day August 2024. The deadline is **Thursday, August 1, 2024.**

## AARC Accreditation

This learning activity has been approved by the American Association for Respiratory Care (AARC) for 4 hours of Continuing Respiratory Care Education (CRCE).

Are You  
an RT?

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Oxygen?

## Oxygen Travel Fund

The Alpha-1 Foundation provides oxygen for Alphas in financial need to travel to Alpha-1 educational events. To apply, please call (877) 228-7321 ext 251 with at least 30 days notice.

## Want to participate virtually?

Virtual attendees can watch the presentations live and submit questions during the Q&A sessions. A moderator will direct questions submitted to the speakers, if possible. Virtual registrants will receive a confirmation email with the link to participate after registering.

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