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National Cushing's Patient Education Day, February 28 - March 1, 2014

Friday, February 28

6:00 – 7:30 PM **Dinner Buffet Reception**

7:30 – 9:30 PM **Stay and mingle**

Saturday, March 1

8:00 - 9:00 AM **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

9:00 - 9:15 **Welcome** *Louise Pace, President, CSR, Karen Campbell, Director, Ellen Whitton, Director*

9:15 - 9:45 **Introduction to Cushing's and Diagnostic Testing**
Dr. Adriana Ioachimescu, Endocrinologist, Emory University, Atlanta, GA

9:45 - 10:15 **Pituitary Surgery for Cushing's**
Dr. Nelson Oyesiku, Neurosurgeon, Emory University, Atlanta GA

10:15 - 10:45 **What to Expect During Recovery, Tapering and Follow-up**
Dr. Mary Lee Vance, Endocrinologist, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

10:45 - 11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00 – 11:30 **Options for Treatment of Unsuccessful Pituitary Surgery and Recurrent Cushing's**
Dr. Edward Oldfield, Neurosurgeon, Univ. of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

11:30 – 12:00 **Medical Therapy for Cushing's**
Dr. Adriana Ioachimescu, Endocrinologist, Emory University, Atlanta, GA

12:00 - 12:30 **Panel Discussion for Questions**

12:30 - 1:30 **Lunch**

1:30 - 2:15 **Cushing's and Quality of Life**
Dr. Mary Lee Vance, Endocrinologist, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

2:15 - 3:00 **From Coping to Thriving: Connecting to a Life Worth Living with Chronic Disease**
Dr. Jarad DeFife, Clinical Psychologist, Emory University, Atlanta, GA

3:00 - 3:15 **Coffee Break**

3:15 - 4:00 **Panel Discussion**

4:00 - ????? **Stay and talk with other patients!**