

## Conference Planning Committee

- TaLana Hughes, MPH, Executive Director
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## Conference Objectives

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Upon completion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Identify current evidence based practices to improve care of individuals with sickle cell disease
- Discuss complications related to sickle cell disease
- Explain historical perspectives of sickle cell disease

## Conference Purpose and Target

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This conference is designed for nurses, health care professionals, educators, social workers, parents, students and the community at large. The purpose of this educational activity is to strengthen participants' knowledge base about sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait through lecture, discussion and sharing of current and future treatment regimen.

The Sickle Cell Disease Association of Illinois' (SCDAI's) primary mission is to enhance the quality of life for people with sickle cell disease and their families. To effectively achieve this goal, SCDAI acts as an advocate for improved health care and services for sickle cell patients by educating and informing the community through outreach programs.

## Directions

From Downtown Chicago:

I-55 south to Cicero Avenue south to 94th Street and turn left to the hotel.

From O'Hare/Milwaukee/Northern Suburbs:

I-294 south to 95th Street Exit East. 95th Street Exit east to Cicero Avenue north. Go 1 block north on Cicero Avenue and turn right to the hotel.

From Midway Airport:

South on Cicero to 94th Street and turn left to hotel.

From Indiana/Southern Suburbs:

I-80/I-94 to I-294 North to Cicero Avenue Exit North. Cicero Avenue north to 94th Street and turn right to hotel.

From Western Suburbs:

I-88 East to I-294 South to 95th Street Exit East. 95th Street East to Cicero Avenue North. Go 1 block on Cicero Avenue north and turn right to hotel.

Hotel also accessible via public transportation.

Hilton Oak Lawn  
9333 S. Cicero Ave.  
Oak Lawn, IL 60453

For room reservations please call:  
1-800-315-1058



## Sickle Cell Disease Association of Illinois

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And  
Community Health Charities of Illinois

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# Sickle Cell Disease Association of Illinois

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## *Management of Sickle Cell Disease Conference 2010*



***Hilton Oak Lawn  
9333 S. Cicero Ave.  
Oak Lawn, IL 60453***

***Wednesday, December 1, 2010***

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## Program Speakers

**Linda Drawhorn, MS, RN**, Project Manager, Illinois Sickle Cell Action Network, Christian Community Health Center

**Carlton Haywood, Jr. PhD, MA**, Assistant Professor of Medicine; Associate Faculty in Bioethics, The Johns Hopkins University

**Talana Hughes, MPH**, Executive Director of the Sickle Cell Disease Association of Illinois (SCDAI)

**Lanetta Jordan, MD, MPH, MSPH**, Director of Sickle Cell Services at Memorial Healthcare System/South Broward Hospital District Hollywood, FL; Chief Medical Officer for the Sickle Cell Disease Association of America, Inc.

**Shonda King, MSW, LSW**, Coordinator of Social Work, University of Illinois at Chicago Comprehensive Sickle Cell Center

**Robert Molokie, MD**, Director, Hematology/Oncology Jesse Brown VA Medical Center; Co-Director Univ. of IL at Chicago Comprehensive Sickle Cell Center

**Allan Platt, PA-C, MMSc**, Faculty, Emory University, School of Medicine, Physician Assistant Program

**Aaron Sumrall, Esq.**, Attorney & Counselor at Law, Sumrall Law, PC, Chicago, IL and Lansing, Michigan

**Paula Tanabe, PhD, MPH, RN**, Research Associate Professor, Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University, Department of Emergency Medicine and the Institute for Healthcare Studies

**Alexis A. Thompson, MD, MPH**, Hematology Section Head, Children's Memorial Hospital, Assoc. Professor of Pediatrics, Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University

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## Conference Agenda

**7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.**  
**Registration/Continental Breakfast**

**8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.**  
**Welcome, Introduction & SCDAI Mission**  
**Talana Hughes, MPH, Executive Director**

**8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.**  
**Hemoglobinopathies & Thalassemia**  
**Alexis A. Thompson, MD, MPH**

**9:15 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.**  
**Progress & Promise: Race in the History of Sickle Cell Disease**  
**Carlton Haywood, Jr., PhD, MA**

**10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. - Break**

**10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**  
**New Hope & New Destiny for Sickle Cell Disease**  
**Allan Platt, PA-C, MMSc**

**11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**  
**"Living with Sickle Cell Disease" - Consumer Panel**

**11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**  
**Sickle Cell Trait in Athletes**  
**Lanetta Jordan, MD, MPH, MSPH**

**12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Lunch**

**Break Out Sessions?**  
**1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.**

- **Social Security Disability Law & Patient's Rights** - Aaron Sumrall, Esq., Attorney at Law
- **Care Coordination & the Medical Home** - Linda Drawhorn, MS, RN

**1:45 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. - Break**

**2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.**  
**Pharmaceuticals & Sickle Cell Disease "Why people respond to medicines differently"**  
**Robert Molokie, MD**

**2:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.**  
**Development & Application of Emergency Department Sickle Cell Assessment of Needs & Strengths (ED-SCANS)**  
**Paula Tanabe, PhD, MPH, RN**

**3:15 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.**  
**After the Transition: Adjustment of Pediatric Patients with Sickle Cell Disease to Adult Centered Care**  
**Shonda King, MSW, LSW**

**4:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.**  
**Questions/Answers; Evaluations/Closing**

## Registration Form

**Wednesday, December 1, 2010**

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**Registration Fee:** \$65.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**Break Out Sessions:** Please Check One:

- 1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.
- Social Security Disability Law & Patient's Rights
- Care Coordination & The Medical Home

**Method of Payment:**

- Check:** Made Payable to: Sickle Cell Disease Association of Illinois or SCDAI
- Via Pay Pal On-line:** [www.sicklecelldisease-illinois.org](http://www.sicklecelldisease-illinois.org)

**Please detach this form and submit with payment or Register Online at**

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