

# The Heartland Newborn Screening ECHO Series: Helping Babies Get off to a Good Start!

*Starting Winter 2024*



The Heartland Regional Genetics Network is offering an ECHO Series on Newborn Screening for Congenital Hypothyroidism (CH), Cystic Fibrosis (CF), and Mucopolysaccharidosis Type II (MPS II). These Newborn Screening conditions were chosen through regional surveys and the Heartland ECHO Hub Team. The ECHO trainings offered will include the etiology and importance of early treatment from a specialist, case presentation along with an interactive group discussion, long-term follow-up needs, and counseling/support provided to families.

**Register by clicking here or scanning the QR code below with your phone!**



## **Session 1 - Jan. 11th, 1-2pm CST** Congenital Hypothyroidism

The Frequently Misunderstood Screen!

## **Session 2 - Feb. 16th, 12-1pm CST** Cystic Fibrosis

The "Old" but "New" Condition!

## **Session 3 - Time and date TBD** Mucopolysaccharidosis type II

A New and Mighty Disorder!



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**THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 2024  
1-2PM CST**

## **Session 1 - Newborn Screening for Congenital Hypothyroidism (CH): The Frequently Misunderstood Screen!**

*With speakers Bradley Schaefer, MD, FAAP, FACMG  
and Jami Kiesling, BSN, RN*

The CH ECHO training will include the etiology, frequency of occurrence, the importance of early treatment, how often to monitor and sometimes treatment for life.

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The National Society of Genetic Counselors (NSGC) has authorized University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center (OUHSC)- Heartland Regional Genetics Network to offer up to 0.3 CEUs or 3 Category 1 contact hours (1 contact hour per session) for the activity The Heartland Newborn Screening ECHO Series. The American Board of Genetic Counseling (ABGC) will accept CEUs earned at this program for the purposes of genetic counselor recertification.



In support of improving patient care, this activity has been planned and implemented by University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center and Project ECHO. Project ECHO® is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.



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