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HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM GFB



GFB INTERVIEW ON SPAZIO LIBERO | DECEMBER 12, 2023

GFB's interview on RAI 3 for 10 YEARS OF RESEARCH is online.

Let's all relive April 10, the day on the boat where 10 years of research was celebrated in the dedicated report of Tuesday, December 12.

This is the tenth RAI interview for the GFB Foundation, in which it discusses news about scientific research for Limb-girdle muscular Dystrophies and its plans (subtitles can also be set on GFB's Youtube channel).

You can watch the interview again here: <https://youtu.be/Ap533QXjscQ?si=y1mzNkv0siHkO8lZ>





LIMB-GIRDLE MUSCULAR DYSTROPHIES, THANKS TO DIAGNOSTIC PROGRESS TODAY THERE IS A NEW NOMENCLATURE

Prof. Yvan Torrente was interviewed by OMAR Osservatorio Malattie Rare.

These are complex diseases that require multidisciplinary care: distinguishing them is difficult but essential to provide patients with the right therapeutic approach.

In recent years, the scientific community has felt the urgency of introducing a new nomenclature for the various forms of disease falling under this umbrella. A need also dictated by the fact that new advanced therapies are being developed, as explained by Yvan Torrente, Professor of Neurology at the University of Milan, neurologist at the Fondazione IRCCS Cà Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico in Milan and Director of the Simple Structure of Cell and Gene Therapies at the Policlinico in Milan.

<https://www.osservatoriomalattierare.it/news/ricerca-scientifica/20183-distrofie-muscolari-di-cinghie-grazie-al-progresso-diagnostico-oggi-esiste-una-nomenclatura>

GFB PARTICIPATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL LGMD CONFERENCE 2023 IN WASHINGTON



GFB Foundation participated in the INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LGMDs held in Washington, DC (United States) from October 27-29, 2023. Luca, Roberto and Marco Perlini, members of the Foundation, represented GFB.

During the Congress, they presented updates on the Quality project and the Foundation's new project, entitled "IPSCs generation, characterization and differentiation for patients with LGMDR4/2E."

The new project will involve 5 research centers in 3 countries-Canada, UK and Italy. The generation phase of IPSCs has already been completed. This project will serve to meet better study the impact of new advanced therapies, especially on the heart muscle.

Photographs of the conference at the link: <https://www.beta-sarcoglicanopatie.it/?view=article&id=324:international-lgmd-conference-2023-foto&catid=2:uncategorised>

Recordings of the conference sessions at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?si=MYUNqiSWRdau3Lle&v=LQeokR8a1y4&feature=youtu.be>

UPCOMING GFB EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 - JANUARY 28, 2024 | GFB'S THIRD CHARITY RAFFLE "YOU DONATETHEY GET CURED"

December 6, 2023 | GFB will participate in the Talamona markets by selling raffle tickets

APRIL 22-25, 2024 | GFB will participate in the MYOLOGY 2024 CONGRESS IN PARIS
