**OPNPG Meeting Minutes 8-11-16**

**Continuing Education Presentation:**

*Providence’s Screen & Intervene Program, Food Pharmacy & Teaching Kitchen*

Speaker: Aaron Curtis, MS RD LD

**Business Meeting:**

***Old Business***

* Approval of minutes for June 9th, 2016 meeting.
	+ Approved by members.
* Treasurer Report/Membership Update (Katharine Jeffcoat)
	+ Current members: 16 people
	+ Current balance: $3899.96

***New Business***

* University of Minnesota Continued Education Opportunity
	+ Group votes to participate in this opportunity again this year.
	+ Stephanie will manage this again this year.
* Meeting Day/Time: does this work? try something different?
	+ Group suggests we send a survey email out to help capture preferences.
		- Group consensus from those present at today’s meeting: central locations are best & mornings are still preferred.
		- We’ll open up the discussion for other days of the week/locations, possibly via a survey.
* Announcements from the group:
	+ Education opportunity through Nestle Nutrition “The Importance of the First Feed: How Protein Choices Can Affect Long Term Health Outcomes” by Dr. Yinka Davies, GI MD
		- Tuesday, August 23rd 6:30pm dinner at Andina Restaurant
		- RSVP by Aug 19th to Meghan Ladrum, RD, LD megan.landrum@us.nestle.com
	+ Education opportunity through Abbot Nutrition “Detecting Pediatric Malnutrition through Nutrition-Focused Physical Exam” by Sandra Bouma, MS, RDN, CSP
		- Tuesday, October 11th, 12:30-5:15pm The Westin Hotel in Seattle, Washington.
		- Qualifies for 4 CPEUs, $20
		- Registration required: <http://anhi.advanceu.com/reg.aspx?ID=1753>
		- (Please note, this information was on a brochure handed out during the meeting, I was unable to link to the website provided on the brochure or find ANYTHING online about this conference on Abbott’s website)
	+ Preemie guidelines – Melissa reports having gotten an email from a university hospital in China & they would like to be able to translate the guidelines into Chinese.
		- This would need to be approved by the OPNPG members to OK this (we would send them the word document to translate) – technically the PDF version of this document is available to the public already.
			* Group asks that if this is approved that we be sent the final version.
			* Group approves this with the caveat of wanting to have editorial review after the translation is done.

***Next Meeting Ideas***

* eWIC presentation
* Behavioral therapy with RD guidance (Sarah Stahl – Feeding Clinic)
* Innovator agents from CCO’s
* Community RDs in local hospitals sharing how they managing premature infants - post NICU discharge
	+ some are doing things differently from the Preemie Guidelines (and are not current members of the OPNPG group)
* Formula update

***Next Meetings***

* October 13th, topic & location TBD
* December 8th