

2026 Annual MAPK8IP3 Family Conference

Join us for an exciting opportunity to connect with other MAPK8IP3 families, learn from scientists and clinicians about ongoing MAPK8IP3 research, and participate in our Natural History Study!



The CureMAPK8IP3 Foundation
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NOVEMBER 6-7*, 2026 BOSTON, MA, USA

*SOME ASSESSMENTS MAY TAKE PLACE ON NOVEMBER 5TH

KEY CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

In-Person Assesments as part of the Natural Histoy Study

In-person assessments will be coordinated through Boston Children's Hospital and may include an EEG, neuropsychological testing, and a motor assessment. A genetic counselor from Boston Children's will coordinate times. **Please note some assessments may be scheduled for November 5th if needed.**

Research Presentations on Saturday

Experience impactful research updates from scientists and clinicians who work in the MAPK8IP3 space. Sessions will also be available over Zoom and recorded pending presenter permission for families not able to attend in-person.

Opportunities to Connect

Join us for dinner on Friday evening and a family social event on Saturday after the research presentations for opportunities to meet other families affected by this disorder and share experiences.

FRIDAY

- Join **Amy McCooe** from the Wolverine Foundation for breakfast
- Patient Natural History Study Assessments at Boston Children's Hospital. Families who want to participate should fill out this [survey](#)
- Alternative Outing for Families not Participating in Natural History Study Assessments
- Evening Italian Buffet Dinner & Social Hour at Hotel

SATURDAY

- Catered Grab and Go Breakfast and Deli Lunch
- Research Presentations from:
 - **Amica Müller-Nedebock/Dr. Platzer**, Institute of Human Genetics, Leipzig
 - **Dr. Andrew Carter**, Cambridge
 - **Dr. Matt Anderson**, Oxford-Harrington Rare Disease Centre
 - **Dr. Swetha Gowrishankar**, University of Illinois Chicago
 - **Dr. Camerron Crowder**, University of Alabama Birmingham
 - **Dr. Wendy Chung/Alexa Geltzeiler**, Boston Children's Hospital
- Family Social Event: Magic Show!

We hope you can join us!

Are you a family interested in attending? Please fill out this [survey](#) so we add you to our registration list and make sure we don't miss sending you important updates!

Hotel Information: Please send us an email at connect@curemapk8ip3.org for the hotel details and discounted room block link for reservations (held until October 5th). Saturday research presentations will take place in a conference room at the hotel.

