

CONCLUDING REMARKS

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The science of sleep is relevant to several childhood neurological disorders. Paying attention to sleep-related issues during the routine assessment of patients in your office, regardless of whether they have epilepsy, migraine, or autism, or some other disorder, will no doubt advance your clinical skills and insights. It will also enhance the quality of life of your patients and their families. Over the past two hours, you have listened to presentations by prominent child neurologists who happen to be board-certified sleep specialists. I would submit, however, that what we have accomplished during this session is mere scratching of the surface of the tremendous potential that sleep medicine holds for Child Neurology. I would encourage you join the sleep section of the AAN for further, and ongoing interactions. I would also encourage trainees in this room to consider a career in sleep medicine – you will indeed find it very satisfying. Thank You!