

Friday, October 25	PWSA (USA) 2019 General Conference Overview Unmask The Possibilities -Day 1				
Welcome 9:00–10:15am Ball Room	Welcome to PWSA (USA) 35th National Convention – General Conference Michelle Torbert, Jackie Mallow and Kristi Rickenbach Keynote Speaker –Positive Exposure- Rick Guidotti				
Break Exhibit Hall	10:15 – 10:30am				
Workshop Session 1 10:30-11:45am	Muscle, Bone, Balance & Tone Harold van Bosse, MD Janice Agarwal, PT, CNDT	Siblings Ashley Loker Jade King Molly Bruckner	New Federal Rules Impact Your Future Lisa Graziano	“Journey of the Heart” A Grandparent’s Role Steve & Nancy Burlingame	
Lunch (box) Sharing Sessions 11:45–12:45pm	(0-4)	(5-14)	(15-23)	(24 +)	Grandparents
Workshop Session 1 1:00–2:15pm	Using the Science of Resilience to Thrive as a PWS Family Emily Felt	Understanding Research 101 James Loker, MD	Preparing for the Future: Physical Health & Well Being Linda Gourash, MD	Legal Planning & Guardianship Protection Lisa Thornton	
Break Exhibit Hall	2:15 – 2:30pm				
Workshop Session 2 2:30–4:00pm	Endocrine Infants/Children Nathan Bingham, MD	Practical Behavioral Solutions Cindy Szapacs Amy McDougall	Siblings & PTSD Laura Bennet Murphy, Ph.D	Aging - Cognitive, Physical & Social Health Jackie Mallow, Lizabeth Moser MSW Larry Genstil, Ph.D	
Exhibit Hall 4:00-4:15pm	Pick up from YIP, YAP, Siblings by 4:15pm Please be Prompt				
4:15-5:30pm	Time to get “Dolled Up” for The Galas				
General Gala Banquet 5:30–10:00pm	YAP Gala Banquet/Dance 5:30 – 9:00pm Parents please pick up your YAP participants at 9:00pm from the YAP GALA, or feel free to come down earlier and join in on the fun and dancing.				

Saturday, October 26	PWSA (USA) 2019 General Conference Overview Unmask the Possibilities -Day 2			
Workshop Session 3 9:00–10:15am	The Future Of PWS – “Unmasking The Possibilities” Tony Holland, Ph.D (IPWSO) & Jennifer Miller, MD			
Break Exhibit Hall	10:15 – 10:30am			
Workshop Session 4 10:30–11:45am	Nutrition Erika Williams, RD,CSP,CSR	Preparing for your Child’s IEP Mary K. Ziccardi	Relationships Patrice Carroll, MSW Amy McTighe Ph.D	Special Needs Financial Planning Patrick MacGrath
11:45–1:00pm Ball Room	PWSA (USA) Luncheon Scientific Recap - Dr. Jessica Duis			
Workshop Session 5 1:15-2:30pm	Creating a Positive Message :) Kathryn Lucero, Kristi Rickenbach & Michelle Torbert	Understanding Psychological & Neuropsychological Test Scores Karen Tyson, MD	Best Practices on GI Issues in PWS Ann Scheimann, MD	Living with PWS Panel – Young Teens/Adults with PWS
Break Exhibit Hall	2:30 – 3:00pm			
Workshop Session 6 3:00–4:15pm	Sleep Disorders in PWS Althea Shelton, MD,M.P.H	Parenting – Supporting The Whole Family Stefanie Varga, Ph.D., LP	Psychiatric Medications Janice Forster, MD	Transition Planning Supportive Living Options Stacy Ward
Closing Ceremony 4:15–5:00pm Ball Room	YIP, YAP & Sibling Production – Please pick up your loved one in program areas following Closing Ceremony			