

Eating in the Early Years

An Immersive Virtual Experience on
Beef's Role in Early Childhood Nutrition



Monday, September 14

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Fireside Chat: Why the Early Years?

Shalene McNeill, PhD, RD • Bob Murray, MD • Elizabeth Widen, PhD, RD • Dayle Hayes, MS, RD

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Feeding the Next Generation: What Do the Experts Say?

Bob Murray, MD • Erin Quann, PhD, RD, LDN • Sharon Donovan, PhD, RD

Tuesday, September 15

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Ideal First Foods: Solving for Nutrient Gaps and the Impact of Maternal Practices

Shalene McNeill, PhD, RD • Julie Mennella, PhD • Lindsay Allen, PhD • Susan Johnson, PhD

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Exploring Practices for Feeding and Nourishing Throughout Childhood

Liz Ward, MS, RDN • Katie Ferraro, MPH, RD, CDE • Dawn Winkelmann, MS, CCC-SLP • Peggy Crum, MA, RD

Wednesday, September 16

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

A Peek into the Mind of a New Parent: The How, What and Why Behind Nutrition and Feeding Practices

Caitlin Mondelli, MS, RD • Mike Garrison • Shawn Darcy

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Real Parents, Real Stories

Jill Castle, MS, RDN • Christy Brissette, MS, RD • Dezi Abeyta, RDN

Thursday, September 17

1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Innovations in Food and Feeding Development for Infants and Toddlers

Keli Hawthorne, MS, RD • Erin Quann, PhD, RD, LDN • Molly McAdams, PhD • Dawn Winkelmann, MS, CCC-SLP

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Closing Session: Evidence to Action

Shalene McNeill, PhD, RD • Jill Castle, MS, RDN • Keli Hawthorne, MS, RD • Sharon Donovan, PhD, RD

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