



Preliminary **PROGRAM**

May 26 to 30 , 2026

Hôtel Le Montagnais,
Saguenay, Québec, Canada

Tuesday, 26 May 2026

8:00 AM - 2:30 PM -
Pharma Day with Euro-DyMA and MDF

9:00 AM - 4:30 PM -
Registration

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM -
Welcome Address

6:30 PM - 11:00 PM - La Baie
Welcome Reception in La Baie

Wednesday, 27 May 2026

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM -
Registration

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM -
Session 1a: Pathogenic Mechanisms I

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM -
Speed Dating

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM -
Coffee Break

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM -
Poster Session A

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM -
Lunch

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM -
Patient Engagement in Research

2:30 PM - 2:45 PM -
Flash Posters

2:45 PM - 3:45 PM -
Session 1b: Pathogenic Mechanisms II

4:00 PM - 11:00 PM - Val-Jalbert
Step Back in Time: The Story of Val-Jalbert and Saguenay–Lac-Saint-Jean

Thursday, 28 May 2026

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM -
Registration

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM -
Session 2a: Development of Biomarkers and Clinical Outcome Assessments I

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM -
Session 3a: Clinical Manifestations, Activity and Participation I

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM -
Coffee Break

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM -
Session 4: Cell and Animal Models for DM

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM -
Lunch

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM -
Session 6: Children with DM

2:30 PM - 2:45 PM -

Flash Posters

2:45 PM - 3:15 PM -

Coffee Break

3:15 PM - 4:15 PM -

Late-Breaking Industry session

4:15 PM - 6:15 PM -

Poster session

6:30 PM - 10:00 PM - Downtown Chicoutimi

Bites, Sips & Saguenay Vibes

6:30 PM - 10:00 PM - La Voie Maltée

Special Activity for Trainees

Friday, 29 May 2026

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM -

Registration

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM -

Session 5: Preclinical and Clinical Drug Development

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM -

Coffee Break

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM -

Session 7a: Clinical Management, Rehabilitation and Quality of Life Improvement I

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM -

Session 2b: Development of Biomarkers and Clinical Outcome Assessments II

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM -

Lunch

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM -

Session 3b: Clinical Manifestations, Activity and Participation II

2:30 PM - 3:15 PM -

Session 7b: Clinical Management, Rehabilitation and Quality of Life Improvement II

3:15 PM - 4:15 PM -

Surprise activity

6:30 PM - 7:00 PM -

Awards and Closing Remarks

7:00 PM - 11:59 PM - Ball room

Gala Night: Dine, Dance & Celebrate!

Saturday, 30 May 2026

8:30 AM - 6:30 PM -

Family Day