

FA SYMPOSIUM BRUNCH



USF TAMPA | DEC 6

Program & Speaker Details

10:00 AM ● **Registration + Breakfast Meet & Greet**

10:40 AM ● **Welcome**

Charles J. Lockwood, MD, MHCM
Executive Vice President, USF Health
Dean, Morsani College of Medicine

10:45 AM ● **Advancing Research at the University of South Florida (USF) Ataxia Research Center**

Theresa Zesiewicz, MD
Division Director, USF Health Ataxia Research Center

Thomas V. McDonald, MD, FAHA
Professor, Departments of Medicine (Cardiology) and
Molecular Pharmacology & Physiology
Director, USF - Cardiogenetics Program
USF Morsani College of Medicine

11:05 AM ● **Your Impact on FARA's Mission to Treat & Cure Friedrich's Ataxia**

Ron Bartek, President, FARA
Jennifer Farmer, Chief Executive Officer, FARA

11:25 AM ● **Clinical Stage Programs in FA - Research Panel**
Moderated by: Jennifer Farmer, Chief Executive Officer, FARA

Featuring: Representatives from Pharmaceutical Companies with Clinical Stage Programs in FA
Astellas Pharma, Biogen, Larimar Therapeutics, Lexeo Therapeutics, PTC Therapeutics, and Stealth BioTherapeutics

11:55 PM ● **Living with FA - Patient Panel**

Moderated by: Kara Fick, Director of Patient Engagement, FARA
Featuring: Mary Francis, Claire Juip, Jake Juip, and Brittany Sommerfield

12:25 PM ● **Closing Remarks**

Clifton Gooch, MD, Chair of USF Neurology



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