

INBJUDAN

State-of-the-art symposium: Pediatric Acute onset Neuropsychiatric Syndrome (PANS) den 24 oktober 2025

Välkommen till ett endags-symposium med internationellt ledande experter inom det komplexa området PANS.

Syftet med symposiet är att erbjuda personer i vården i Sverige och nordiska grannländer som arbetar med dessa barn en uppdatering om det aktuella kunskapsläget och hur man skall se på olika typer av behandling. I synnerhet gäller det den viktiga frågan om immunologisk behandling och vilken evidens som egentligen finns för sådan. Se program för deltagande experter.

Datum: 24 oktober

Tid: 09.00 -16.30 (lunch och kaffe ingår)

Plats: Svenska Läkaresällskapet, Klara Östra Kyrkogata 10,
Stockholm

Deltagande i symposiet är kostnadsfritt tack vare stöd från Karolinska Institutet. Mötet hålls på engelska.

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INVITATION

State-of-the-Art Symposium: Pediatric Acute-onset Neuropsychiatric Syndrome (PANS), October 24, 2025

Welcome to a one-day symposium featuring internationally leading experts in the complex field of PANS. The aim of the symposium is to provide healthcare professionals in Sweden and the Nordic countries who work with these children an update on the current state of knowledge and how to approach various treatment options. In particular, the symposium will address the important issue of immunological treatment and the actual evidence supporting such approaches. Please see the program for participating experts.

Date: October 24

Time: 09:00–16:30 (lunch and coffee included)

Location: Swedish Society of Medicine, Klara Östra Kyrkogata 10,
Stockholm

Participation in the symposium is free of charge, thanks to support from Karolinska Institutet. The meeting will be held in English.

Please register via the following link before October 9th:

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AGENDA

	Title	Presenter
08.30	Registration	
09.00-09.10	Welcome and introduction to scope of symposium	Ronny Wickström, Karolinska Institutet
09.10-09.50	Novel immunological alterations in PANS and the Australian experience	Russell Dale, Kids Neuroscience Centre, Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, Australia
09.55-10.30	Inflammation in psychiatric disease	Michael Eriksen Benros, Copenhagen Research Centre for Biological and Precision Psychiatry and Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, University of Copenhagen
10.30-11.00	Coffee	
11.00-11.25	Experiences from the Swedish specialized PANS clinic	Selma Idring, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Karolinska Institutet Stockholm
11.30-11.50	Motor symptoms in PANS	Kristina Tedroff, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Karolinska Institutet Stockholm
11.55-12.30	Biomarkers in PANS	Eva Hesselmark, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Karolinska Institutet Stockholm
12.30-13.30	Lunch	
13.30-14.10	The important interaction between neurology and psychiatry – The German experience	Kevin Rostasy, Children's Hospital Datteln/Vestische Kinder-und Jugendknik, President EPNS
14.10-14.50	What is the evidence for immunological mechanisms in the pathophysiology of PANS? <i>Experimental data</i>	Ming Lim, Head of Children's Neurosciences, Evelina London Children's Hospital
14.50-15.10	Refreshment break	
15.10-15.50	What is the evidence for immunological mechanisms in the pathophysiology of PANS? <i>Clinical data</i>	Jennifer Frankovich, Director of PANS Program, Stanford Children's Health, US
15.50-16.30	Panel discussion <i>"What is the way forward in the short and long term?"</i>	All presenters