



LEUKODYSTROPHIES: NOVEL PERSPECTIVES ON TREATMENTS AND DISEASE MONITORING COURSE:

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> 25-27 SEPTEMBER 2025 PARIS, FRANCE

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COURSE OVERVIEW AND LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Introduction to leukodystrophies: definition, classification, mri patterns, physiopathology, main entities.
- New molecular and imaging tools to diagnose and monitor disease progression in leukodystrophies.
- Update on existing and emerging treatments in leukodystrophies (cell therapy, gene therapy, small molecules).
- Ethical challenges: burden of long-term MRI monitoring, impact of newborn screening, burden of therapeutic trials for children.



Applicants are strongly recommended to apply with a case before 27 JULY 2025



Leukodystrophies, inherited white matter disorders, require differentiation from acquired forms. This course explores their complex pathophysiology, including various cell and tissue involvements. Emphasis will be placed on novel biological and imaging markers for monitoring disease and treatment response. The increasing therapeutic options, such as cell and gene therapy, and the ethical implications of new-born screening programs will also be discussed.

