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Stanford, CA Alopecia Areata Support Group

Our Mission

To provide individuals with alopecia areata, their families and their friends, a safe, comfortable and trusting environment in which to share their personal experiences with this challenging condition.

The group strives to enhance self-esteem, self-confidence, and sense of community, while increasing their capacity to effectively manage the various aspects of living with alopecia areata.

Support Meeting

Saturday, February 18, 2017

10:00-11:30 AM

Location:

Lucile Packard Children's Hospital

First Floor Board Room

725 Welch Road

Palo Alto, CA 94304

Guest Speaker: Dr. Derek Chu, a Stanford pediatric dermatologist, will give a short presentation on alopecia areata and answer medical questions.

In addition to learning from Dr. Chu, the adults and older children in the boardroom will also have the opportunity to share about their personal journeys with alopecia areata. During the meeting, the younger children will be cared for by Lisa Taylor (Stanford pediatric dermatology nurse) and Anna Bowman (our 16 year old daughter who lives with AA). Anna will be assisting the children in fun crafts and games.

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The support group is an ideal place to come and talk with others about living with alopecia areata. It is the place to gain knowledge from those who have had years of experience. With time comes the ability to deal and cope with your own hair loss or that of a loved one. We are very fortunate that so many are willing to bring to the meetings their wisdom and advice to share in a direct but compassionate manner that reflects understanding and concern. The support group experience has its rewards for all who attend.