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Newborn Screening Translational Research Network Gets a New Look

The Newborn Screening Translational Research Network (NBSTRN) has done a major overhaul on their website www.nbstrn.org. The new website uses Drupal™, an open source content management platform powering millions of websites and applications.

The NBSTRN website is divided into three sections catering to our three main audiences: researchers, workgroup members, and parents. Since the goal of the NBSTRN is to provide tools for researchers, the website will be the portal to the **Virtual Dried Blood Spot Repository (VRDBS)**, Region 4 Stork Laboratory Performance Database, and the Long-Term Follow-Up Data Collection Tool. We welcome your feedback on the new website!

2011 ACMG Genetics Review Course held in June

The 2011 ACMG Genetics Review Course was held in early June at the Hilton DFW Lakes Conference Center and Hotel and was attended by 235

medical geneticists, laboratory directors, genetic counselors and fellows preparing for their Board exams, Maintenance of Certification or for a general review. Preliminary feedback from attendees was that it was an excellent learning experience. The Course Syllabus in printed and/or CD version is available for sale at www.acmg.net. The sessions were also recorded and will be made available at the soon to be initiated ACMG Live Learning Center in July.

2013 and 2014 ACMG Annual Meeting Dates and Locations Announced

ACMG is pleased to announce that the 2013 ACMG Annual Clinical Genetics Meeting will be held March 19 - 23 in Phoenix, Arizona and the 2014 ACMG Annual Clinical Genetics Meeting will be held March 25-29 in Nashville, Tennessee. Both cities have previously hosted the ACMG Annual Meetings and both have expanded or new convention centers that will provide outstanding facilities for the growing meeting.



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