

## ***Multiple Sclerosis Education Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between LACTRIMS and Horizon CME***

Horizon CME proposes an educational initiative designed to educate South and Central American-based neurologists and other medical professionals involved in the treatment of patients with MS. Utilizing expert faculty associated with the **Brazilian Committee for Treatment and Research in MS (BCTRIMS)** and the **Latin American Committee for Treatment and Research in MS (LACTRIMS)**, and moderated by a US-based neurologist, this panel of MS specialists will discuss the latest developments in the diagnosis and management of the disease. The objectives of the educational program are as follows:

1. Discuss environmental factors contributing to the mechanism of disease, particularly pertaining to Latin America
2. Address the differential diagnosis of MS with other emerging disorders in the Americas such as neuromyelitis optica and Anti-MOG associated encephalomyelitis
3. Outline procedures to accomplish diagnostic criteria and avoid misdiagnosis of MS in Latin America
4. Outline current and emerging therapies for the treatment of MS
5. Assess the latest advances regarding the treatment and assessment of RRMS and progressive MS
6. Review the differences between biosimilars and reference drugs and their appropriate use to ensure safety and efficacy for the treatment of MS
7. Apply the latest data to devise appropriate treatment plans for special populations with MS including pregnancy

The Roundtable will be simulcast LIVE to clinicians located throughout South and Central America and include the ability of participants to submit questions to which the faculty can respond. While the Roundtable will be presented in English, simultaneous translations in both Portuguese and Spanish will be available to all participants.

A certified enduring webcast of the Roundtable will be posted to expand reach to clinicians unable to participate in the LIVE event, specifically clinicians across South and Central America.

This Letter of Agreement is between the **Latin American Committee for Treatment and Research in MS (LACTRIMS)** and Horizon CME, Inc for the purpose of establishing an operational understanding whereby LACTRIMS will collaborate with Horizon CME on the development and promotion of an MS educational initiative consisting of a Live Simulcast and an online webcast, pending educational grant approval.

As of 25 day of Agost, 20 19, the parties hereby agree that the terms and conditions under which Horizon CME, Inc and LACTRIMS will cooperation on the MS educational initiative will be as follows:

### **Latin American Committee for Treatment and Research in MS (LACTRIMS):**

LACTRIMS will:

- Promote the MS Live Simulcast and enduring webcast to its members via e-mail, mail, calendars, and/or social media platforms
- Accredited both the Live Simulcast and enduring webcast for continuing medical education credit applicable for its members
- Post and maintain for 12 months the enduring webcast on [www.lactrimswb.org](http://www.lactrimswb.org)

- Send promotional communications to membership regarding the enduring webcast at least once every two months
- Permit and provide for the appropriate use of the LACTRIMS logo in association with the educational initiative

**Horizon CME, Inc:**

Horizon CME will:

- Provide \$10,000 USD to LACTRIMS for promotion of the Live Simulcast and enduring webcast and hosting of the enduring webcast on its website
- Provide \$2,500 USD to LACTRIMS for accreditation of both the Live Simulcast and enduring webcast for continuing medical education credit
- Identify and work with faculty to develop content for the MS educational initiative
- Handle all travel logistics, expenses, honoraria for faculty
- Produce and monitor the Live Simulcast, including all studio functions, broadcasting requirements, and translation services
- Provide an MP4 file of the enduring webcast to LACTRIMS
- Provide all promotional graphics and messaging for simplified recruitment communications by LACTRIMS
- Provide reporting and reconciliation to commercial supporter(s)

This Letter of Agreement will remain in effect for the duration of this educational initiative.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, have duly executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

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Signature, Printed Name and Title of Horizon CME, Inc representative

Date



Fernando Hamuy Diaz de Bedoya

Signature, Printed Name and Title of LACTRIMS representative

Date