Course Description/Statement of Need
Pediatric Rheumatology is one of the newest and smallest pediatric subspecialties. There are fewer than 250 pediatric rheumatologists in the United States, with several states lacking even a single pediatric rheumatologist. Many general pediatricians and adult rheumatologists must, therefore, have sufficient training to diagnose children with rheumatic disease. Promoting increased awareness is essential for treating rheumatic disease earlier in order to minimize damage and improve patient outcomes. This unique course will focus on closing the gap between clinical experience and practice through expert lectures and will include a panel discussion and question and answer portion. The program will include a ½-day conference followed by an expert panel. The intended audience includes general pediatricians, pediatric subspecialists, adult rheumatologists, as well as trainees including house staff, fellows and medical students. There is no other course like this being offered in New York State, and few, if any, in the country. It has been well attended in the past, with over 190 attendees. This year’s program includes new topics given by world-renowned experts.

Target Audience
General pediatricians, pediatric subspecialists, pediatric rheumatologists, adult rheumatologists and trainees (including medical students, residents and fellows) are the target audience.

Educational Objectives
At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:
• Recognize certain rheumatic diseases in children such as PFAPA or scleroderma to ensure early referral to specialty care.
• Assess and evaluate the young child with limp or musculo-skeletal pain from the perspective of a pediatric orthopedist, with an emphasis on history and physical examination, as well as appropriate imaging when applicable.
• Describe subsets of localized scleroderma and be more aware of the utility of ultrasound to detect and follow disease.
• Describe the various neuropsychiatric manifestations of lupus in children, as well as more recent updates pertaining to potential pathogenic mechanisms and novel therapeutic targets.
• Recognize PFAPA in children with recurrent fever.
• Define the high-risk alleles for JIA, as well as how the genetics of the HLA actually modulates the disease in certain patients.

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Program

1:00pm  Registration
Philip J. Kahn, MD

1:30  Welcome & Introduction
Philip J. Kahn, MD

1:40  The Genetics of Juvenile Arthritis
Sampath Prahalad, MD, MSc

2:15  Neurocognitive Impairment in Children with Lupus
Deborah M. Levy, MD, MS

2:50  PFAPA: A Fever Syndrome You Have Probably Seen
Philip J. Kahn, MD

3:25  Coffee Break

3:45  Localized Scleroderma in Childhood
Suzanne C. Li, MD, PhD

4:20  The Limping Child: An Orthopedist’s Perspective
David S. Feldman, MD

4:55  Panel Discussion/Question & Answer Session

5:30pm  Adjourn

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☐ NYU Faculty & Staff: $30 (must provide valid ID)
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