



Selbsthilfe für seltene
komplementvermittelte
Erkrankungen e.V.

MPGN und aHUS



We are a German patient group for complement diseases aHUS and C3 Glomerulopathy/MPGN.
In cooperation with the foundation CompCure we cordially invite patients and caregivers!

Complement Weekend: International Patient's Conference on aHUS and C3 Glomerulopathy/MPGN

on 14th and 15th of September 2024 in Berlin, Germany

Address: Begegnungszentrum Integral, Marchlewskistraße 25e, 10243 Berlin

The annual patient day for aHUS and MPGN/C3 glomerulopathy is a unique opportunity for patients and care-givers to find out more about these rare diseases, learn about new therapies, ask doctors questions and exchange ideas with one another. This year we would like to invite those affected from all over Europe for the first time and offer a parallel session in English alongside with a German session. Participation including meals is free of charge.

We will engage German speaking teachers, who also speak English, so you can bring your child with you - one more reason to visit the German capital with the whole family! You can find a hotel recommendation in the appendix.

Program of the English speaking session:

Day 1: Saturday, 14th September 2024

13:00	Registration, get-together and lunch snacks
14:00	Talks and discussions Part I: - Diagnostics and therapy for children – Prof. Dominik Müller (Charité Berlin) - Where can you get a second opinion? (ERKNet) - Joanna Sladowska-Kozłowska (Heidelberg University Hospital) - How do we advance research? The CompCure Register – Marianne Silkjær Nielsen
15:30	Coffee break
16:00	Talks and discussions Part II: - The complement system: What is the problem with aHUS/MPGN/C3G? – Dr. Arthur Dopler (Ulm University) - Therapies for C3G/MPGN and aHUS – Dr. Evelyn Seelow (Charité, Berlin)
17:30	Break / individual discussions with the doctors
19:00	Snacks and networking (till 20:30)

Day 2: Sunday, 15th September 2024

9:00	Get-together and coffee
9:30	Patient stories and discussion about further steps for better research - Marianne Silkjær Nielsen
10:30	Coffee break
11:00	Talk and discussion: How nutritional recommendations do not become serious bans – Barbara Contzen (Dietologist)
12:00	Lunch and networking

For registration, please fill out the application form in the attachment and send it as soon as possible to mpgn@ahus-selbsthilfe.de, so that we can plan the capacities on site.

Visit our website (in German) for further information: www.ahus-selbsthilfe.de

Application form

**For the Patient's Conference on aHUS and C3 Glomerulopathy/MPGN on 14th and 15th September 2024
im Begegnungszentrum Integral, Marchlewskistraße 25e, 10243 Berlin, Germany**

Participation including meals is free of charge. Please send the completed form as soon as possible, as we have to plan the capacity on site, by email as a completed PDF file or as a photo mpgn@ahus-selbsthilfe.de

Name (main participant): _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Are you a registered member of our patient's group? YES NO

Name (accompanying person): _____

Child 1: Name: _____	Age: _____	Should we take care of your child during the talks?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES
Child 2: Name: _____	Age: _____	Should we take care of your child during the talks?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES
Child 3: Name: _____	Age: _____	Should we take care of your child during the talks?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES

Do you need an individual conversation with a doctor during or before the conference: YES NO

We will try to arrange an appointment and let you know the slot shortly before the conference.

Further comments: _____

Further Information:

How to get to the conference site:

The Integral meeting center is located a 5-minute-walk from the subway station Weberwiese (U5 line, 9 stops or 15 minutes from Berlin Central Station). Please note that there is only paid parking in the area.

Hotels nearby (up to 900 m walk):

1. **Pegasus Hostel Berlin:** <https://www.pegasushostel.de/> - from 90€ per night, at least 2 nights booking possible
2. **Hotel Comenius:** <https://hotelcomenius.com/> - from 200 € for 2 persons in a double room, 173 € single room
3. **KiezBox:** <https://kiez-box-berlin.hotel-mix.de/> - 137 € single room, 151 € double room

Please book hotel rooms as soon as possible, as cheap accommodation options in Berlin are scarce.

Contact for urgent questions on site: phone +49 151 53 06 18 06 (also SMS) / E-Mail: mpgn@gmx.de

We are looking forward to meeting you in Berlin!