

2025 SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM | MAY 3, 2025

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION
9:00 AM	Welcome and Overview of Dysphonia International Charlie Reavis, President	Santa Cruz
9:15 AM	The Mechanics of the Voice Elizabeth Reeves, MS, MMus, CCC-SLP	Santa Cruz
9:35 AM	Diagnostic Dilemma: Decoding the Voice David Lott, MD, and Sara Charney, MS, CCC-SLP	Santa Cruz
10:05 AM	Your Voice in Focus: A Review of the Latest Research Gerald Berke, MD	Santa Cruz
10:35 AM	Dysphonia International Award Presentation	Santa Cruz
10:45 AM	BREAK	Pre-Convene
11:05 AM	Paths to Vocal Improvement: Treatment Perspectives and Q&A Panel <i>Muscle Tension Dysphonia</i> Sara Davis, MA, CCC-SLP, Moderator <i>Botulinum Toxin Injections for SD</i> Manikandan Sugumaran, MD <i>Surgery for Spasmodic Dysphonia</i> Gerald S. Berke, MD <i>Vocal Tremor</i> Melissa Zheng, MD <i>Vocal Cord Paralysis/Paresis</i> Adam Kravietz, MD	Santa Cruz
12:30 PM	From Breath to Balance: Discovering Tai Chi Roxanne Reynolds	Santa Cruz
12:50 PM	LUNCH	Camelback
2:00 PM	Living with Saber-Toothed Tigers; Really but not Really? Some Thoughts on Managing Stress Larry Bergstrom, MD	Santa Cruz
2:40 PM	Improving Your Mood: Worth Your Attention Meredith Levy, MAT, MS, CCC-SLP	Santa Cruz
3:00 PM	Breakout Session 1: Living with a Voice Disorder Breakout Session 2: Supporting a Loved One with a Voice Disorder Breakout Session 3: Voice Therapy Techniques Workshop	Pima Navajo Cochise
4:10 PM	Rising Voices: Stories of Transformation and Renewal	Santa Cruz
4:50 PM	Closing: Connecting Voices, Building Community	Santa Cruz