

International Annual Conference

OCTOBER 3 & 4, 2025

Join us for our live, virtual annual conference with international experts presenting on the latest topics in treatment of selective mutism.

Presentation tracks for Professionals, Caregivers, and Individuals with SM (geared toward ages 17 and older)

Individuals with SM can attend for the Individual track for free (geared toward ages 17 and older)

Connect with other professionals, caregivers and individuals with SM at our virtual Mix n' Mingle hour on Friday, October 3

Professionals earn up to 9 continuing education credits

Listen to stories of hope and inspiration during our "Hear Our Voices" panel of individuals who have recovered from SM, includes Q&A

Bring your questions about all-things SM to an expert question and answer panel

Visit our virtual exhibit hall for information regarding conference co-sponsors who provide treatment for selective mutism

Explore current research on SM by viewing poster presentations

Please note: Although the conference is a live virtual event and we hope you can attend in real-time, sessions will be recorded and available for later viewing for conference registrants until December 31, 2025. Professionals must attend the conference in real-time if wishing to earn continuing education.



KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

The Nature and Management of Social Anxiety in Youth Ron Rapee, Ph.D., Distinguished Professor of Psychology at Macquarie University, Australia

Ron Rapee is Distinguished Professor of Psychology at Macquarie University where he was the Founding Director of the Centre for Emotional Health. Professor Rapee's research specializes in mental health, especially in anxiety and related disorders across the lifespan. He has created models of the development of mental disorders and has used these theories to produce evidence-based treatment programs. One of his best known programs, Cool Kids, is used in over 25 countries and translated into more than a dozen languages.

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