Brain Imaging and Its Use in Developmental Disorders

When
Thursday, March 13, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Where
The Urban Child Institute 600 Jefferson Ave.

This program for the general public will feature two presentations on two powerful, non-invasive methods to visualize the brain of children with developmental disorders. Dr. Mark McManis of the University of Tennessee Health Science Center and LeBonheur Children’s Hospital will talk about magnetocephalography and Dr. Robert Ogg of St. Jude Children’s Hospital will speak about functional magnetic resonance imaging. These methods enable new opportunities for understanding and treating neurological conditions like autism, ADHD, epilepsy, traumatic brain injuries, and brain tumors. Dr. William E. Armstrong, Director of the University of Tennessee Neuroscience Institute, will moderate the program.

This program is directed toward parents, teachers, and health professionals. Professional training hours (CEUs) will be provided by the UT Neuroscience Institute. For more information, contact Dr. Paul Herron, UT Neuroscience Institute (448-5824). Space is limited. Please pre-register with Ms. Brenda Williams, The Urban Child Institute (526-1822; bwilliams@theurbanchildinstitute.org). Attendance is free.

Refreshments from 5:30-6:30 pm