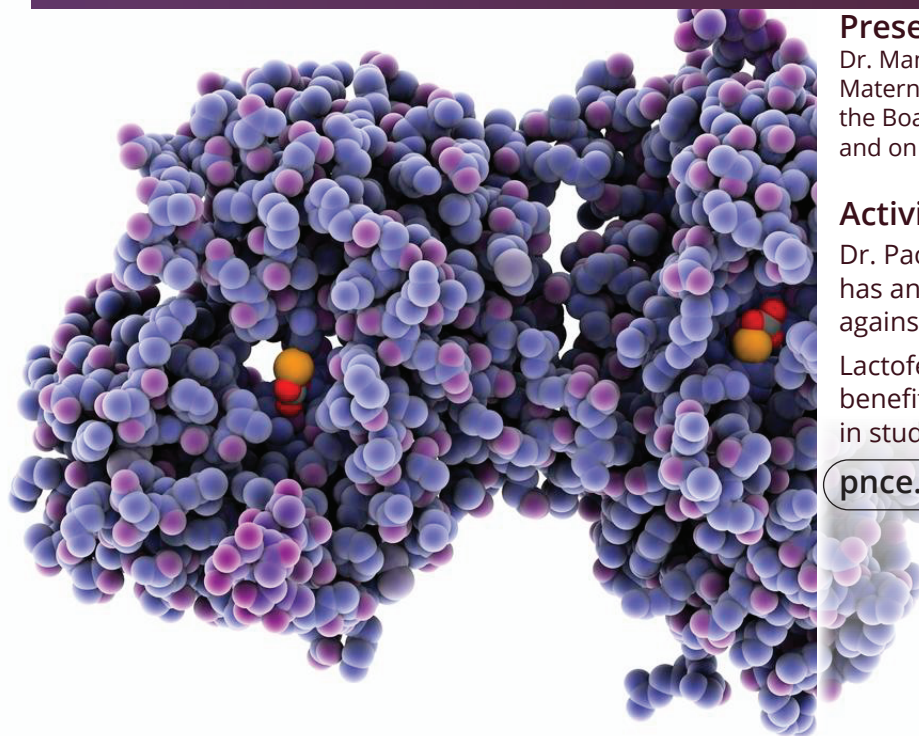


Neonate Feeding Regimens and the Expanding Role of Lactoferrin



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Activity Overview

Dr. Paolo Manzoni explains the critical role lactoferrin, a multifunctional glycoprotein that has antimicrobial and immunomodulatory properties, serves in protecting neonates against infection.

Lactoferrin supplementation—human or bovine—appears to have measurable clinical benefits. Although inconsistencies exist among major RCTs in terms of lactoferrin efficacy, in study results, Dr. Manzoni identifies various heterogeneity as a cause.

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- Evaluate clinical research that is expanding the understanding of the physiological and developmental properties of lactoferrin
- Develop evidence-based NICU feeding regimens with lactoferrin

Activity Format

This activity is an online enduring material. Successful completion is achieved by reading and/or viewing the material, reflecting on its implications in your practice, and completing the assessment component.

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