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Nutrition expert at NIH conference

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A nutrition expert from the University of Nevada School of Medicine is in Washington, DC, June 6 - 8, participating in the Consensus Development Conference on Optimal Calcium Intake at the National Institutes of Health.

Sachiko St. Jeor, Ph.D., was invited to be part of this conference, which brings together biomedical investigators, practicing physicians, and consumers to answer questions such as: "What is the optimal amount of calcium intake, what are the risk factors associated with different levels of calcium intake, what is the best way to attain optimal calcium intake, and what are the recommendations for future research?"

After 1 and 1/2 days of expert presentations and open discussion involving the conference audience, a consensus statement will be developed by a consensus panel and read publicly on June 8 at 9 a.m., Eastern Standard Time.

Dr. St. Jeor is a sought-after expert in the field of nutrition and has been actively involved in a number of NIH studies, committees and panels dealing with that field.