



IDMC 15
Meeting 2026

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May 26 to 30, 2026

Hôtel Le Montagnais,
Saguenay, Québec, Canada

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Tuesday, 26 May 2026

Time	Location	Session Name
09:00 - 13:00		Pharma Day with Euro-DyMA and MDF
09:00 - 16:00	Reception Hall	Registration
13:00 - 14:00		Global alliance In-Person Meeting
16:00 - 22:00	La Baie	Welcome Reception in La Baie

Wednesday, 27 May 2026

Time	Location	Session Name
08:00 - 16:00	Reception Hall	Registration
08:15 - 08:30	La Montagnaise	Introduction
08:30 - 09:00	La Montagnaise	Invited Speakers - Past IDMC organizers
09:00 - 10:00	La Montagnaise	Session: Pathogenic Mechanisms I
10:00 - 10:30	La Montagnaise	Speed Dating
10:30 - 12:15	Tipi-tente-wigwam-Réserve Sud/Nord	Poster Session with Coffee Break
12:15 - 13:00	Totem Nord-Réserve Centre	Lunch
13:15 - 13:30	La Montagnaise	Flash Talk
13:30 - 14:15	La Montagnaise	Patient Engagement in Research
14:15 - 15:00	La Montagnaise	Session: Children with DM
15:30 - 22:00	Val-Jalbert	Step Back in Time: The Story of Val-Jalbert and Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean

Thursday, 28 May 2026

Time	Location	Session Name
08:00 - 16:00	Reception Hall	Registration
08:15 - 08:30	La Montagnaise	Introduction
08:30 - 09:00	La Montagnaise	Invited Speaker - Roman H. Khonsari
09:00 - 10:15	La Montagnaise	Session: Development of Biomarkers and Clinical Outcome Assessments I
10:15 - 10:45		Coffee Break
10:45 - 11:30	La Montagnaise	Session: Clinical Manifestations, Activity and Participation I
11:30 - 12:45	La Montagnaise	Session: Cell and Animal Models for DM
12:45 - 13:45	Totem Nord-Réserve Centre	Lunch
13:45 - 15:00	La Montagnaise	Session: Pathogenic Mechanisms II
15:00 - 15:15	La Montagnaise	Flash Talk
15:15 - 16:15	La Montagnaise	Late-Breaking session
16:15 - 19:00	Tipi-tente-wigwam-Réserve Sud/Nord	Poster and Networking Session
18:30 - 23:00	Downtown Chicoutimi	Bites, Sips & Saguenay Vibes
18:30 - 23:00	CORAMH	Special Activity for Trainees

Friday, 29 May 2026

Time	Location	Session Name
08:15 - 08:30	La Montagnaise	Introduction
08:30 - 09:00	La Montagnaise	Invited Speaker - Jason Robert Guertin
09:00 - 10:00	La Montagnaise	Session: Development of Biomarkers and Clinical Outcome Assessments II
10:00 - 10:30		Coffee Break
10:30 - 11:30	La Montagnaise	Session: Clinical Manifestations, Activity and Participation II
11:30 - 12:30	La Montagnaise	Session: Clinical Management, Rehabilitation and Quality of Life Improvement
12:30 - 13:30	Totem Nord-Réserve Centre	Lunch
13:30 - 14:45	La Montagnaise	Session 5: Preclinical and Clinical Drug Development
14:45 - 16:30	Tipi-tente-wigwam-Réserve Sud/Nord	Remembering the Journey: A DM1 Movies and Stories Session
17:30 - 23:59	La Montagnaise	Award and Gala Night: Dine, Dance & Celebrate!

Saturday, 30 May 2026

Time	Location	Session Name
08:30 - 18:30	La Montagnaise	Family Day