

## **RSVP to join us and Dr. Kavita Sharma, Amy Sturm, MS, LGC,** and Christian Jacobs (an FH patient) to learn about:







## "Familial Hypercholesterolemia (FH) and Updates on Cholesterol **Treatments**"

Heart patient, Christian Jacobs (24), will talk about his 20-year journey with Homozygous Familial Hypercholesterolemia with total cholesterol levels over 950 and numerous heart blockages! Learn about FH as you listen to this young man's incredible heart success story!

## Thursday, March 10, 2016

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm in the Ross Heart Hospital Auditorium, OSU Wexner Medical Center, 452 West 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210 Light meal provided and free parking in the adjacent Safe Auto garage (visit www.medicalcenter.osu.edu for directions)

Dr. Kavita Sharma is the Clinical Director of the Lipid Clinics and an assistant professor of clinical medicine in the Division of Cardiovascular Medicine at the OSU Wexner Medical Center. Dr. Sharma is board certified in cardiovascular disease, internal medicine, and nuclear cardiology. Amy Sturm, MS, LGC is an associate professor and a licensed genetic counselor in the OSU Wexner Medical Center's Cardiovascular Genetic and Genomic Medicine Clinic in the Division of Human Genetics.

High blood cholesterol levels can lead to clogged arteries, which can cause a heart attack, a stroke, or other circulation problems.

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