



How did you hear about The Catatonia Foundation and why did you want to get involved?

Dr. Caroff:

I think you've covered pretty much most of the community of people who are interested and study catatonia. And I think that alone is great.

I know another colleague, Gabor Ungvari, he wanted to set up something like this — a special interest group, but among professionals. But I think your approach from the patient and the family advocacy point of view is much more powerful and really much more important. So thank you for making me aware of it.

You have already an impressive website, and I think it's just a wonderful mission to help people who may otherwise have nowhere to turn. And I'm delighted to be part of it. I think Catatonia, to me, should be a major area of study and research in psychiatry. I seriously think it's that important in terms of neuroscience and in terms of practical care of patients. So I'm just thrilled to be part of it