

National symposium of the Belgian Cerebral palsy reference centres (BeCPR)

5/10/2024

“Hot topics in Cerebral palsy: let’s talk about it!”



Morning: plenary sessions

8h15: Breakfast, inscriptions

8h45 Welcome and introduction (Costanza Lombardo, Huderf)

9h00 Towards a combined surveillance and treatment registry for people with cerebral palsy in Belgium”. (Evy Dhondt, KU Leuven)

9h30 CP in Begium: considerations over migration challenges and opportunities (Bernard Dan, Inkeendal)

10h00 Palliative care and end of life in CP children and young adults (Christine Fonteyne, Huderf)

10h30: coffee break

11h00 Scoliosis in Cerebral Palsy: Management & Challenges (Jean Paul Kaleeta, Huderf)

11h30 Managing the heterogeneity of dyskinetic cerebral palsy: a fifty shades of grey approach (Els Ortibus, Elegast Monbalieu, KU Leuven)

12h00 New technologies and rehabilitation frontiers in CP (Giuseppina Sgandurra, Università degli studi di Pisa)

12h30- 14h00: lunch break and sponsored symposium

- Parents association forum (Kathleen Detloff and parents)
- IPSEN Academy : “Goal setting in cerebral palsy, impact of home exercise therapy program” ,Dr. Bonikowski , Mazovian Neuropsychiatry Centre Poland
- ALBATROS group: “Empowering Movement Across GMFCS Levels: Transformative Innovations in Cerebral Palsy Care with Hibbot, NF Walker, and Innowalk “

Afternoon: parallel workshops (14h00-16h00)

- Sexual and affective life in CP (Aurélie Geuquet, Magali Ngawa, Hôpital de la Cittadelle Liege, Laure Bancourt, Huderf)
- Peer contact through educational group sessions for adolescents with a mild form of cerebral palsy (Flore Van Dooren, Uz Gent)

- Comfort & care tools in pain management (Nathalie Andersson, Huderf and parent)
- Empowering independence: Transitioning to Work and Adult Life with Cerebral Palsy (Karen Craenen, Milan Den Abt, Uz Leuven)

- Announcing the CP diagnosis and accompanying the prognosis through childhood (Iulia Ebetiuc, Hôpital de la Cittadelle Liege)
- The impact of intensive rehabilitation treatments on families and how to enhance their involvement in the rehabilitation programs (Anne Renders, Yannick Bleyenheuft, Zoé Moyaux, Edouard Ducoffre, Enimie Herman, Marie Alsamour, Cliniques Universitaires Saint Luc- UCL FSM)

16h00: Thanks and goodbyes: future of BeCPR (Els Ortibus, KU Leuven)



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