

10th Musculoskeletal Congress of the World Federation of Hemophilia

The program for the 10th MSK Congress is under development and is nearing completion.

Confirmed speakers to date include:

Dr. L. Solimeno Italy
Dr. A. Llinas Colombia
Ms. Karen Beeton UK
Mr. G. BlameyCanada

Topics are confirmed, as follows. A discussion panel will follow each session.

May 3, 2007

Concurrent Pre-congress Sessions 15:00-18:00

Room A

1500-1600 Workshop: Diagnostic ultrasound for physiotherapists

1630-1800 Physiotherapy Standards Meeting

Room B

1500-1600 Deep infections after TKR: diagnosis and treatment

Deep infections after TKR in haemophiliacs
Diagnosis and treatment: guidelines

1630-1800 Peri-operative management in inhibitor patients

Peri-operative management in inhibitor patients
Orthopaedic treatment in inhibitor patients
Continuous Infusion vs. bolus treatment in inhibitor patients
EUREKA project

1830 Opening ceremony

May 4, 2007

Congress Day 1

Session 1-1

0800-0820 The history of the MSK Committee

Session 1-2

0820-0930 Synovitis

Medical treatment guidelines
Physiotherapy treatment guidelines
Surgical treatment guidelines

Session 1-3

0930-1015 Cartilage and bone defects

Cartilage damage: state of the art
Bone defects

1015 Coffee

Session 1-4

1030-1115 Total Knee Replacement

Total Knee Arthroplasty in PWH: state of the art

L. Solimeno (ITA)

Concurrent sessions: schedule to be confirmed

Session 1-5A Live surgery - total knee arthroplasty performed by Dr. Solimeno

Moderator: A. Llinas (COL)

Session 1-5 B Live Physiotherapy – practical workshop

Chairmen: R. Pagano (ITA) G.Blamey (CAN)

May 5, 2007

Congress Day 2

Session 2-1

0800-0920 - Arthropathy of the Ankle and the Elbow

PT approach to the stiff ankle

From arthroscopic debridement to ankle fusion

Ankle arthroplasty: surgical indications and technique

Rehabilitation protocol after ankle arthroplasty

Surgical treatment of stiff elbow

Elbow arthroplasty: surgical indications and technique

Rehabilitation protocol after elbow arthroplasty

Session 2-2

0920-1045 - The management of children with haemophilia in the 3rd millennium

The haematologist's role:

“north of the border”

“south of the border”

The physical therapist's role

“north of the border”

“south of the border”

The surgeon's role

“north of the border”

“south of the border”

1045 Coffee break

Session 2-3

1100- 1200 Patients session: Anesthesia and Pain management

Which kind of anaesthesia in PWH
Post-operative pain in PWH
Patient presentations

Session 2-4

1200-1300 Current topics in Rehabilitation

Global postural approach to PWH
Back pain in haemophilic patients
Immobilization: uses and abuses

1300- Lunch

Session 2-5

1430-1600 Muscle bleeds

Early identification and management
Psoas bleeds: pitfalls in management
Nerve compression and management
Heterotopic ossifications
Pseudotumors

Banquet

May 06, 2007
Congress Day 3

0800- 1130 - Free papers

See "call for abstracts". Approximately 18 papers will be chosen from the submitted abstracts. All presenters of selected free papers will be eligible for the Henri Horoszowski prize.

1130-1300 - Annual General Meeting of the Musculoskeletal Committee