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- Dr. Gregor Nawratil, Austria
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- Dr. Valerie Stevenson, United Kingdom
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Accreditation

This training program was granted 6 C.P. with Österreichische Akademie der Ärzte GmbH
November 18: 812360 - 3 C.P.
November 26: 812361 - 3 C.P.
Certificate of attendance will be provided if both sessions are attended in its full length

Target audience

- ITB referrers
- Neurologists
- Rehabilitation medicine physicians
Who treated at least 5 patients with ITB

Venue

Online training program

Registration

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ITB Course for Advanced Users, a series of 2 online training sessions

The role of ITB in the treatment of supra-spinal and spinal spasticity

November 18 & 26, 2024

Online training

At the end of these 2 sessions, participants will be able to: Know the clinical evidence supporting post-stroke spasticity and Early Treatment, evaluate high function vs. low function and administer best treatment, manage post-stroke Hemiparesis, apply trialing methods also in difficult cases, manage concomitant ITB with BoNT-A and CMM therapies, understand the advanced programming options by indication/function, manage difficult troubleshooting situations, address the benefits of a multidisciplinary team set-up for optimal patient management

Session 1 - Monday, November 18, 2024 - 17:00-19:30 CET (GMT+1)

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| 17:00 | Welcome and course introduction Dr. Pucks-Faes |
| 17:05 | Case based presentation: Prevalence of spasticity & goal setting in high vs. low function patients Dr. Pucks-Faes |
| 17:30 | Case based presentation: ITB & Botulinumtoxin Dr. Schauer |
| 17:45 | Live Q&A session for participants Dr. Pucks-Faes & Dr. Schauer |
| 17:50 | Case based presentation: Multidisciplinary team: set-up for clinic and ambulant management, how to drive referrals and stay connected Dr. Stevenson |
| 18:10 | Case based presentation: Multimodular therapy processing & optimizing outcomes for patients with ITB therapy (high vs. low function) Mr. Runer |
| 18:30 | Live Q&A session for participants Dr. Stevenson & Mr. Runer |
| 18:35 | Case based presentation: Neurophysiologic basis for antispastic action of ITB and theoretical background of catheter tip placement Prof. Kofler |
| 19:00 | Challenges of ITB in ambulatory patients Case presentation + live panel discussion and live Q&A session for participants Dr. Stevenson & Prof. Kofler & Dr. Pucks-Faes |
| 19:25 | Closing remarks Dr. Pucks-Faes |
| 19:30 | End of Session 1 |

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Session 2 - Tuesday, November 26, 2024 - 17:00-19:30 CET (GMT+1)

- 17:00 Welcome and introduction of session 2
Dr. Pucks-Faes
- 17:05 Case based presentation: Follow-up management-treatment of sympathetic storm phenomena
Dr. Pucks-Faes & Dr. Nawratil
- 17:30 Case based presentation: Autonomic system - side effects of ITB or symptoms of the disease?
Prof. Kofler
- 17:50 Live Q&A session for participants
Dr. Pucks-Faes, Dr. Nawratil and Prof. Kofler
- 17:55 Case based presentation: Advanced programming: Bolus vs. Flex mode (high vs. low function) & Integrity of the pumps - how to recognize functionality during follow-up management
Dr. Matzak
- 18:15 Case based presentation: Post-stroke spasticity management
Prof. Wissel
- 18:40 Live Q&A session for participants
Dr. Matzak and Prof. Wissel
- 18:45 Case presentation & live Panel discussion (tips & tricks, troubleshooting, improved outcome, etc.)
Dr. Stevenson & Faculty
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Dr. Pucks-Faes & Faculty
- 19:05 Live session: Frequently Asked Questions (participants can choose topics live)
Dr. Pucks-Faes, Dr. Matzak, Prof. Kofler
- Closing remarks
Dr. Pucks-Faes
- 19:30 End of Session 2 - End of online training program