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Clinical Seminar



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Infectious Diseases and Immunological Problems in Neonates and Children

in association with Div. of Neonatology, Sagar Apollo Hospital, Bangalore, India

OBJECTIVES

The seminar is designed to familiarize the practicing neonatologist and pediatrician to understand and manage infectious diseases of the newborn and infant. It will also provide an insight into the development of the immune system. In particular, lecturers will focus on modern aspects of perinatal and neonatal inflammation and infection, on issues of bacterial and viral infections as well as on practical topics like microbiological diagnostics, the febrile child or use of antibiotics. There will be ample chance to directly discuss problems with the experts.

LECTURERS

Alexander K University of Chicago, Chicago, USA
Holländer G University of Basel, Basel, Switzerland
Polin R Columbia University, N.Y., USA

DATE September 4 - 6, 2008; starts at 08:00 a.m.

PLACE Bangalore, India, NIMHANS Convention Centre, Hosur Road,

LIMITED NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS: 60

Please Note: Only registered participants, NO on site registration!

PROGRAM DESIGN Polin R, USA; Simbruner G, Austria

TARGET GROUPS Affiliates of university and non-universitarian hospitals in Neonatology and Pediatrics, in infectious diseases and related fields.

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	from India & neighboring countries		after June 15, 2008	9.000.- Rs
	Single person	Registration	before June 15, 2008	€ 150,-
	from other countries	after	June 15, 2008	€ 200,-



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PROGRAM

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2008

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| 1. Cellular and Molecular Basis of the Immune Response | Holländer G |
| 2. Antibiotic Selection: General Strategies | Alexander K |
| 3. Neonatal Sepsis: Recent Advancements in Prevention and Diagnosis | Polin R |

Lunch Time

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| 4. The Development of the Immune System and what Neonatologists need to know | Holländer G |
| 5. Perinatal Infection and Brain Injury | Polin R |

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2008

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| 6. Host-pathogen Interactions and the Neonate's Increased Susceptibility to Infections | Holländer G |
| 7. Antibiotic Selection in the NICU (Specific for Newborns) | Alexander K |
| 8. Strategies for the Prevention of Nosocomial Sepsis | Polin R |

Lunch Time

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| 9. Cytomegalovirus | Alexander K |
| 10. Vaccines: Clinical-immunological Aspects | Holländer G |
| 11. Antiviral Drugs in the Nursery | Alexander K |

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2008

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| 12. Problem Infections in the Nursery | Alexander K |
| 13. Neonatal Meningitis | Polin R |
| 14. Fungal Infections in the Nursery | Alexander K |

Lunch Time

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| 15. Diagnosis and Management of Primary Immunodeficiencies | Holländer G |
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