
Charcot Foot Course 2014 – Preliminary Programme

THURSDAY 3 JULY

Time	Session
17:00-17:15	Welcome and outline of the course (<i>Koller/Spraul</i>)
17:15-17:45	New findings in the Pathogenesis of Charcot Osteoarthropathy (<i>Petrova</i>)
17:45-19:00	Operative therapy of the active Charcot (<i>Koller</i>)
19:30-21:30	Drinks and Welcome dinner (<i>venue tbc</i>)

FRIDAY 4 JULY

Time	Session
09:00-09:45	Early diagnosis and conservative treatment of the Charcot Foot (<i>Piaggese</i>)
09:45-10:30	Principles of deformity correction with external fixation (<i>Schwering</i>)
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-12:30	<u>Practical Sessions 1:</u> A: Early diagnosis and conservative treatment (Case presentation) (<i>Petrova/Piaggese</i>) B: Technical details for external fixation (<i>Koller/Schwering</i>) C: TCC (application of soft and rigid casts) (<i>Schnar/Schomacher</i>)
12:30-13:30	Lunch
13:30-15:00	<u>Practical Sessions 2:</u> A: Ward round with case discussions (<i>Spraul/Fiedler</i>) B: Clinical orthopedic foot examination (<i>Schwering</i>) C: Prosthetics and Orthotics in daily practice (<i>Koller/Damer</i>)
15:00-15:30	Coffee break
15:30-17:00	<u>Practical Sessions 3:</u> A: Handling of osteomyelitis in the Charcot Foot (<i>Kirketerp-Møller/Koller</i>) B: Ward round with case discussions (<i>Spraul/Fiedler</i>) C: Vacuum therapy in TCC (<i>Broer/Schnar/Morbach</i>)
20:00-23:00	Course dinner (<i>venue tbc</i>)

SATURDAY 5 JULY

Time	Session
09:00-09:45	Rehabilitation and orthotic fitting (<i>Koller</i>)
09:45-10:15	Update on relevant studies concerning the Charcot foot (<i>Spraul</i>)
10:15-10:45	Coffee break
10:45-11:30	How to diagnose osteomyelitis in the Charcot foot (<i>Kirketerp-Møller</i>)
11:30-12:00	The Charcot Foot in Russia (<i>Udovichenko</i>)
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-14:30	<u>Practical Sessions 4:</u> A: Prosthetics and Orthotics in daily practice (<i>Koller/Damer</i>) B: Clinical orthopedic foot examination (<i>Schwering</i>) C: Conservative treatment and follow-up (<i>Morbach/Piaggese</i>)
14:30-15:00	Summary and farewell
15:00-18:00	Optional Excursion to Münster with informal discussions
18:00-21:00	Optional dinner in Münster
