

EPNS Training Course: Riga, 26th and 27th April 2023

Epilepsy Programme

Day 1: 26 April 2022

08'30-08'45	15'	Pre-course Questions	Dana Craiu
08'45-09'45	60'	Diagnosis and etiology of epilepsy: classification of seizures, epilepsies, syndromes	Sameer Zuberi
09'45-10'15	30'	The concept of "epileptic encephalopathies vs developmental and epileptic encephalopathies"	Dana Craiu
10'15-10'45	30'	coffee break	
10'45-12'45	40'	Role of EEG in the diagnosis of epilepsy	Lieven Lagae
	40'	Metabolic and genetic examinations in childhood epilepsy	Carmen Fons
	40'	Imaging in childhood epilepsy	Biayna Sukhudyman
12'45-14'00	75'	lunch	
14'00-15'00	60'	Case reports by the students (diagnostic)	all
15'00-15'30	30'	tea break	
15.30-17.30	30'	First line AED treatment (when to start, first line AED choice)	Biayna Sukhudyman
	30'	Treatment options in refractory epilepsy (including VNS, no surgery)	Lieven Lagae
	30'	Ketogenic diet	Carmen Fons
	30'	Epilepsy surgery: background and illustrative cases	Katrien Jansen
TBC		Social event, including dinner	all

Day 2: 27 April 2022

Moderator: Lieven Lagae

08'30-10'30	30'	Neonatal epilepsies – what is new in the classification; emphasis on self-limited epilepsy syndromes	Carmen Fons
	30'	Developmental and epileptic encephalopathy syndromes in infancy with emphasis on Infantile epileptic spasms syndrome (IESS)	Sameer Zuberi
	30'	DEE syndromes in infancy - Dravet syndrome	Lieven Lagae
	30'	The concept of etiology specific syndromes	Biayna Sukhudyman
10'30-11'00		coffee break	
11'00-13'30	30'	Self-limited epilepsies of childhood – emphasis on SeLECT	Katrien Jansen
	30'	Epileptic syndromes with EEG activation in sleep, with EE/DEE	Dana Craiu
	30'	Genetic Generalized Epilepsies - Absences epilepsies	Carmen Fons
	30'	Genetic Generalized Epilepsies - Juvenile myoclonic epilepsies	Lieven Lagae
	30'	FIRES and inflammatory epilepsies	Katrien Jansen
13'30-15'00		Lunch	
15'00-16'00	30'	Co-morbidities in childhood epilepsy	Sameer Zuberi
	30'	Differential Diagnosis in childhood epilepsies	Dana Craiu
16'00-16'30		tea break	
16.30-17.30	60 mins	Case presentations by the students (therapeutic)	all
17.30		Evaluation, course message, best presentation award	Dana Craiu, Lieven Lagae

