

EPNS Training Course: Ferrara, Italy, 23-24 May 2026
NEONATAL NEUROLOGY – Preliminary programme

Palazzo Trotti Mosti - Università degli Studi di Ferrara
 Corso Ercole I d'Este, 37 - Ferrara



Neonatal Neurology Faculty			
Co-chairs: Ronit Pressler, Agnese Suppiej, Tally Lerman Sagie			
Lecturers: Ronit Pressler, Agnese Suppiej, Tally Lerman Sagie, Barbara Plecko (online), Nadia Bahi-Buisson, Anthony Hart, Luca Ramenghi			
Day 1			
08.00 – 08.30		Registration	
08.30 – 09.00		Housekeeping, 10 pre-course questions	Dana Craiu
09.00 – 10.00	60 min	Normal development of the cortex and malformations of cortical development	Tally Lerman-Sagie
10.00 – 10.45	45 min	Neuroimaging in the neonatal period (normal aspects in premature and term newborn babies)	Luca Ramenghi
10.45 – 11.15		Coffee Break	
11.15 – 12.15	60 min	Normal development of the cerebellum and cerebellar anomalies	Tally Lerman-Sagie
12.15 – 13.00	45 min	Neonatal neurological examination	Agnese Suppiej
13.00 – 13.30	30 min	Neonatal hydrocephalus	Luca Ramenghi
13.00 – 13.30	30 min	Approach to disorders of the size and shape of the head	Nadia Bahi-Buisson
13.30 – 14.45		Lunch	
14.45 – 15.30	45 min	Hypoxic -ischaemic encephalopathy	Anthony Hart
15.30 – 16.30	60 min	Acute metabolic encephalopathies in the newborn period	Barbara Plecko (online)
16.30 – 17.00		Coffee break	
17.00 – 18.00	60 min	Presentation of cases by participants Room 1, 2, 7, 8	
18.00		Conclusions	

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Day 2			
09.00 – 09.45	45 min	Perinatal vascular insults (stroke and IVH, sinus venous thrombosis)	Nadia Bahi-Buisson
09.45 – 10.30	45 min	Approach to disorders of the size and shape of the head	Nadia Bahi-Buisson
10.30 – 11.00		Coffee Break	
11.00 – 11.45	45 min	Approach to the floppy infant	Agnese Suppiej
11.45 – 12.15	30 min	EEG and aEEG in the neonatal period (normal aspects in premature and term newborn babies)	Ronit Pressler
12.15 – 13.00	45 min	Diagnosis of neonatal seizures	Ronit Pressler
13.00 – 14.15		Lunch	
14.15 – 15.30	75 min	Case-presentations by the participants Room 1, 2, 7, 8	
15.30 – 16.00		Coffee Break + faculty discussions of the best presentation	
16.00 – 16.30	30 min	Management of neonatal seizures	Ronit Pressler
16.30 – 17.00	30 min	How to deliver bad news	Anthony Hart
17.00 – 17.30		Conclusions and best presentation award	Dana Craiu +all