

Preliminary program

Global Neuro Course— Neurocritical Care and Neurotrauma

22 March 2025

Taipei, Taiwan



Course description

This course is a unique opportunity for you to learn from experts in the field and enhance your skills in caring for neurocritical illness. The care of Neurotrauma and Neurocritical Care patients is critical, including the pathophysiology for neurocritical care, cerebral multimodality monitoring, and surgical/medical interventions. First, pathophysiological changes of a brain injury involve a complex interaction between different intracranial organs, such as the brain parenchyma, vascular and cerebrospinal fluid, and processes a post-injured damaging pathway if not intervened. Second, the rigid cranium protects the brain like a black box; the cerebral parameters cannot be easily detected by medical personnel in the neuro-intensive care unit (NeuroICU). In recent years, cerebral multimodality monitoring has increasingly captured parameters in brain injury's multifaceted and dynamic nature. In addition, those parameters can guide us in managing patients in the NeuroICU. Finally, different surgical and medical methods, such as intracranial pressure (ICP) monitor insertion, are essential in the emergency setting. Targeted temperature management (TTM) is important in the control of ICP or fever in the NeuroICU. This is the first time that a neurotrauma and neurocritical care training course will be provided by the Taiwan Neurotrauma and Critical Care Society together with Global Neuro, giving you the privilege to learn from the best in the field. The course agenda includes all the above-mentioned information needed in the care of patients in the NeuroICU. It is divided into 2 sessions: the morning session consists of the pathophysiology for neurocritical care to organ-specific management, and the afternoon session features a hands-on session which provides attendees with the opportunity to learn the manipulation of TTM/ Hemodynamic/ Transcranial Doppler/ continuous EEG through interactive lectures.

Target participants

This course's aim is to provide basic knowledge and skills to all the health care providers working in the NeuroICU or emergency department involved in the care of neurocritical illness.

Learning objectives

By completing this course, participants will be better able to

- Understand the pathophysiology change of the neurocritical illness and its management rationale
- Describe the management principle of Cerebral perfusion pressure and seizure
- Manage the respiratory and nutrient issues in patients with severe brain injuries
- Manipulate and read the devices commonly used in the NICU

Faculty

Chair



Sui-Sum Kung
Kaohsiung Medical University Hospital
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International faculty

Joining in-person

Takashi Araki	Saitama Medical University	Saitama	Japan
Yulin Wong	Tan Tock Seng hospital	Singapore	Singapore
Shoji Yokobori	Nippon Medical University School	Tokyo	Japan

Joining online

Marek Czosnyka	University of Cambridge	Cambridge	United Kingdom
Geoffrey Manley	University of California	San Francisco	USA

National Faculty

Chih-Ju Chang	Sijhih Cathay General Hospital	New Taipei	Taiwan
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Pin-Yuan Chen	Keelung Chang-Geng Memorial Hospital	Keelung	Taiwan

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Day 1, Saturday, 22 March 2025

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	FACULTY	MODERATOR
08:20-08:50	ICP is not just a number (pre-recorded)	Marek Czosnyka	Hsin-Yao Lin
08:50-09:00	Registration		
09:00-09:10	Opening	Cheng-Chia Tsai / Chiung-Chyl Shen	
09:10-09:40	Pathophysiology of ABI (Acquired Brain Injury)	Sui-Sum Kung	Chih-Ju Chang
09:40-10:10	ICP management	Shoji Yokobori	Cheng-Ta Hsieh
10:10-10:40	Modalities of Neuro-monitoring in TBI	Yulin Wong	Hao-Kuang Wang
10:40-11:00	Coffee Break and Group photo		
11:00-11:30	A New Framework for TBI Nomenclature and Characterization (pre-recorded)	Geoffrey Manley	Ming-Cheng Tsai
11:30-12:00	Pediatric neurotrauma	Takashi Araki	Yu-Cheng Chou
12:00-12:20	Plenary discussion		
12:20-13:30	Lunch seminar		
12:20-13:00	Modern approaches to post-TBI epilepsy: The safety and efficacy of levetiracetam	TBC	Jui-Ming Sun
13:00-13:30	Pupillometry	TBC	Pin-Yuan Chen
Hands-on session (50 mins for each round)			
	Hands-on 1: Targeted Temperature Management (TTM) for neurotrauma <i>Sui-Sum Kung</i> 龔瑞琛醫師	Hands-on 2: Transcranial Doppler (TCD) management <i>Lin Chang</i> 張麟醫師	Hands-on 3: Critical care Electroencephalogram (EEG) <i>Meng-Ni Wu</i> Hands-on 4: Hemodynamic <i>Meng-Ni Wu</i> 吳孟霓醫師
	Hands-on 4: Hemodynamic <i>Yin-Yi Han</i> 韓吟宜醫師		
13:30-14:20	Group A	Group B	Group C
14:20-15:10	Group B	Group C	Group D
15:10-15:30	Coffee Break		
15:30-16:20	Group C	Group D	Group A
16:20-17:10	Group D	Group A	Group B
17:10-17:30	Panel discussion: Case study on ICP monitoring	TBC	
17:30-17:40	Closing remarks and evaluation	Sui-Sum Kung	

General information

Event fee

Global Neuro Course—Neurocritical Care and Neurotrauma

Course fee:

NTD 1,500 (local delegate) / USD 50 (overseas delegate)

The course fee includes course material, coffee breaks, lunch, and a course certificate.

Registration

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<https://globalneuro.org/EN/education/event-detail/94.html>

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Casual

Language

Chinese / English

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