

1st International CHESTWALL COURSE



PEctusCAre ONLUS
SUPPORTING THORACIC DEFORMITY PATIENTS

Lucca, May 9-11, 2019

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INTENDED AUDIENCE

This two day comprehensive program is designed specifically for pediatric, thoracic and plastic surgeons.

Staff, fellows and residents are invited to attend.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this educational activity the participants, through didactic and video lectures as well as from the interactive discussion with Faculty members, will be able to:

- ⇒ Differentiate between patients who should undergo specific treatment to correct their chest wall disease, and patients in whom “watch and wait” is justified;
- ⇒ Identify best practices for chest wall disease’s treatment;
- ⇒ Recognize improvement opportunities within own surgical practice;

PARTICIPATION

The participant number is limited to the first 70 applicants.

Participants are encouraged to send abstracts (300 words limit) concerning difficult cases which will be selected for open discussion.



**Course site:**

Auditorium - Complesso San Micheletto
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TOPICS

⇒ Pectus Carinatum (PC):

- ◆ Indications for treating PC patients
- ◆ When, why and who we need to compress
- ◆ Surgical options: open or minimally invasive techniques
- ◆ How is it possible to measure PC improvements.

⇒ Pectus Excavatum (PE):

- ◆ PE patients selection for conservative treatment
- ◆ Candidate to surgery: indications, age and types
- ◆ Nuss technique: trying to make it easier
- ◆ Bar Removal
- ◆ Redo procedures

⇒ Innovations in diagnosis and treatment and Complex deformities in Chest Wall diseases:

- ◆ Optical scanning
- ◆ New materials to cover CW defects
- ◆ Sternal cleft repair, early and late results
- ◆ Best options for Poland syndrome repair
- ◆ Surgical Techniques in Pectus Arcuatum
- ◆ Pectus Up technique
- ◆ CAD Implants

⇒ Primary and Secondary Chest Wall Tumors:

- ◆ Sternal and ribs reconstruction: new materials and basic principles
- ◆ Metal implants and their failures: how to choose the best one material

⇒ Trauma of the Chest Wall:

- ◆ Chest wall stabilization in trauma patients: why, when and how?
- ◆ Pitfalls and complications of the chest wall reconstruction

Registration fees:

€ 400,00 (VAT included)

Congress bag with final program

Full access to the scientific sessions

Welcome cocktail on Thursday evening

Thursday's lunch

Coffee breaks

Gala dinner on Friday evening

€ 200,00 (VAT included)

A special registration fee, dedicated to certified residents
(Gala Dinner excluded)