



The Compression Therapy
study Group

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Compression Therapy is one of the oldest treatments known to man, widely documented and studied down the centuries. It is a key practice in the management of phlebolympheological disorders that affect more than one quarter of the population as demonstrated by myriad scientific publications and the latest evidence based medicine. Despite this, however, Italy still has no regulations governing the quality of compression stockings and bandages, unlike other European countries where only compression therapy articles meeting regulatory quality standards are reimbursed by the national health service.

The Seminar on compression Therapy will take stock of the state-of-the-art reports in the field, comparing the experience of many Italian and European experts. The Seminar is dedicated to the late Robert Stemmer, a phlebologist of the world renown whose fundamental work helped place Compression Therapy in phlebology within a recognized scientific framework.

Fabrizio Mariani

13.30 Registration of participants

SESSION I

VCI

News

CHAIRMEN: *T.L. Aloj, M. Fonti*

14.00 Self-care: the self management of compression therapy
using elastic stockings

S. Serantoni

14.15 Compression therapy in the treatment of venous leg ulcers

M. Bruschi

14.30 Ulcer shaving technique

H.J. Hermanns

14.45 The attitude to prescribe compression stockings in patients
with acute DVT in Italian Angiologic and Thrombosis Units:
the data from the master registry

G. Arpaia

15.00 Bionic skin therapy - a new method of treatment of spider veins
and couperosis

S. Haumer

15.15 Discussion

Friday, June 12th 2009

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SESSION II

VENOUS SURGERY

Up-to-date

CHAIRMEN: *L. Ganassin, A. Stella*

- 15.30 Selective crosssection vs. radical crosssection:
technique and long-term results
M. Bucalossi
- 15.50 Haemodynamic patterns for different venous surgery options
G.B. Agus
- 16.10 The role of the endovenous surgery
G. Magi
- 16.30 Radiofrequency ablation (Closure System) of the GSV
G. Botta
- 16.50 Surgery for superficial venous insufficiency
Literature critical analysis
M. Perrin
- 17.10 Discussion
- 17.25 *Coffee break*

15.00

19.00

ICC MEETING - Parallel Session

POSTMASTECTOMY ARM LYMPHOEDEMA

New concepts of compression therapy

CHAIRMAN: *H. Partsch*

Epidemiology of BCRL

C. Moffatt

Pathophysiology of BCRL

P. Mortimer

Compression bandages: which pressure?

R. Damstra

Compression stockings: which pressure?

M. Jünger

Compression after liposuction

H. Brorson

Compression after lymphatic microsurgery

C. Campisi

Role of Intermittent pneumatic compression

A. Szuba

Prerequisites for self-management

A. Williams

Discussion

with participation of International Experts

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SALA B

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SESSION III

SCLEROTHERAPY

Up-to-date

CHAIRMEN: *H. Bernbach, A. Cavezzi*

- 17.40 Venous patterns for different sclerotherapeutic options
F. Ferrara
- 18.00 Foam sclerotherapy: methods and complications
L. Tessari
- 18.20 Sclerotherapy and compression
R.M. Schmidt
- 18.40 The role and the future of sclerotherapy
S. Ricci
- 19.00 Discussion

SALA A

SESSION IV

COMPRESSION THERAPY

Evidences

CHAIRMEN: *A. Macciò, M. Pisacreta*

- 09.00** Haemodynamic effects of compression therapy
G. Mosti
- 09.20** Compression bandages: classification, techniques and clinical efficiency
C. Moffatt
- 09.40** Bandages in the management of the venous ulcers
P. Franks
- 10.00** Medical compression stocking and venous ulcers: evidences in healing and QoL
W. Blättler
- 10.20** Indications for compression therapy in venous and lymphatic disease consensus based on experimental data and scientific evidence
H. Partsch
- 10.40** Discussion
- 11.00** *Coffee break*
- 11.15** **LECTURE**
CHAIRMAN: *C. Allegra*
European standards for quality evaluation of medical compression stockings. The proper medical prescription
E. Rabe

Saturday, June 13th 2009

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SESSION V

COMPRESSION THERAPY

Research

CHAIRMEN: *St. Mancini, V. Mattaliano*

- 11.45** Introduction of the smart SIGaT
V. Blazek
- 12.00** The physical meaning of static and dynamic pressure of the interface pressure
B. Lun
- 12.15** Experimental evaluation and clinical consequences relating to the interface dynamic pressure
V. Coscia
- 12.30** The pressure and stiffness in different categories of medical compression stockings
M. Jünger
- 12.40** Discussion
- 13.00** The origins of Compression in the fundamental myth of the Ancient Egyptians: Isis and Osiris
C. Gardon-Mollard

09.00 LECTURE

CHAIRMAN: *S. Mancini*

Microcirculation and compression therapy

C. Allegra

SESSION VI

EDEMA OF THE LOWER LIMB

Diagnostics and therapies

CHAIRMEN: *S. de Franciscis, V. Gasbarro*

09.30 Physiopathology of venous and lymphatic edema

M. Izzo

09.50 Various forms of leg odema and the methods for study of oedema removal

M. Gniadecka

10.10 Short stretch bandage in leg lymphedema patients

V. Mattaliano

10.30 Intermittent pneumatic compression

A. Szuba

10.50 *Coffee break*

11.00 Round knitted MCS are not inferior to flat knitted MCS for the treatment of stable lymphedema

C. Campisi

11.20 Lymphedema: diagnosis and physical therapy. Our experience.

M. Agnati

11.40 Bio-engineering and edema

A. La Gatta

12.00 Pharmacological therapies

E. Colombo

12.30 Discussion

13.00 Closing remarks and ECM test

Sunday, June 14th 2009

SALA A

Informazioni Generali / *General Information*

Sede

Congress Venue

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Via Postumia, 63
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How to reach the congress venue

Autostrada A27 Venezia-Belluno
Uscita Treviso-Nord
Strada Statale Postumia in direzione Vicenza

Lingue ufficiali

Official languages

Italiano e inglese. Sarà prevista la traduzione simultanea.
Italian and English. Simultaneous translation will be provided.

Crediti ECM

ECM Accreditation

È stata inoltrata la richiesta di accreditamento ECM al Ministero della Salute per la figura professionale del Medico-Chirurgo e dell'Infermiere Professionale.

The Seminar has been registered as part of the Italian credit system for medical studies.

Attestato di partecipazione

Attendance Certificate

Il certificato di partecipazione verrà consegnato a tutti i partecipanti regolarmente iscritti che ne faranno richiesta presso il desk della Segreteria al termine dei lavori.

Registered participants will receive, on request, an attendance certificate at the end of the Congress, available at the reception desk.

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Esposizione tecnico-scientifica

Exhibition

Nell'ambito del Congresso è prevista un'area espositiva per aziende farmaceutiche, apparecchiature elettromedicali e case editrici scientifiche.

Informazioni più dettagliate potranno essere richieste alla Segreteria Organizzativa.

Participants will have the opportunity to visit representatives from pharmaceutical, diagnostic and equipment companies at the commercial exhibition during the meeting. For more information, please contact the Organising Secretariat.

Quota di iscrizione (IVA 20% inclusa)

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Socio CTG	Quota gratuita
<i>CTG Members</i>	<i>Free of charge</i>
Non Socio CTG	€ 360,00
<i>CTG Non Member</i>	
Non Soci UNDER 35	€ 150,00
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All cancellations must be notified in writing to the Organizing Secretariat.

Requests for refunds made after the Congress will not be considered.

Refunds will be processed after the Congress.

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- *cancellations before May 29, 2009: 10% will be refund*
- *cancellations after May 29, 2009: no refund*

Segreteria Congressuale

Secretariat Help Desk

La Segreteria sarà a disposizione dei partecipanti presso la Sede Congressuale dalle ore 11.00 di venerdì 12 giugno fino al termine della manifestazione.

The Secretariat Help Desk will be open at the Congress Venue from 11.00 a.m. of Friday, June 12th until the close of the meeting.

Prenotazioni alberghiere

Hotel Booking

La Segreteria Organizzativa è a disposizione per informazioni ed eventuali richieste di prenotazione alberghiera.

The Organizing Secretariat is at your service for information regarding hotels and bookings.

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Programma sociale

Social programme

Sabato 13 giugno - Partenza alle ore 15.00

Saturday June 13th - Departure at 3.00 p.m.

Murano, Burano, Torcello (Venezia)

Cena sociale

Gala Dinner

La cena sociale si terrà in un ristorante di Torcello.

The gala dinner will be held in a restaurant in Torcello.

Il programma scientifico del Congresso sarà aggiornato sul sito

For updates of the scientific programme of the Congress, please visit the website

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