

July 18 - 19 2025

Rebouças Convention Center
São Paulo, Brazil



Programme at a glance - Day 1

Friday 18 July 2025

08:15-09:45

Opening Session

Educational Committee Initiatives

Development and Relevance of ISCoS Affiliated Societies

Dr Ronald Reeves, Chair of ISCoS Education Committee, Associate Professor of PM&R at Mayo Clinic, USA

Spinal Cord Injury in Latin America and the Caribbean

Dr Federico Montero, President of the Latin American and Caribbean Association of the Spinal Cord

Challenges of Comprehensive Rehabilitation in Latin America and the Caribbean

Dra Linamara Rizzo Battistella, Professor of Physiatry at the School of Medicine and the University of São Paulo and President of the Board of Directors of the Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation - IMREA HC FMUSP

09:45-10:05

Coffee & Tea Break

10:05-10:55

Current Trends and Advancements in Spine Surgery

Traumatic Spinal Fracture

Prof Alexandre Fogaça Cristante, Professor of the Department of Orthopedics and Traumatology at HC-FMUSP

Spinal Stenosis

Dr Raphael Martus Marcon

10:55-12:55

Classification and Evaluations Tools

International Standards for Neurological Classification of SCI

Dr Ronald Reeves, Chair of ISCoS Education Committee, Associate Professor of PM&R at Mayo Clinic, USA

Toolkit

Prof James Middleton, In SCI Scientific Committee member and Chair of the WHO liaison subcommittee for ISCoS External Relations Committee

Toolkit: Uruguay experience

Dr Sabrina Curvelo Martinez

How to implement the use of the ICF in the routine of a rehabilitation centre

Juliana Leme Gomes, Master degree, physiotherapist, University of São Paulo, AACD

How to assess autonomic dysfunction? - AD Data Set

Dr Nan Liu, Deputy Director, Department of Rehabilitation Medicine; Deputy Director, Osteoporosis and Metabolic Bone Disease Center, Peking University Third Hospital

12:55-14:00

Lunch

14:00-14:50

Genitourinary and Gastrointestinal Tract - Wellspect Session

Contemporary Management of Neurogenic Bladder: A Focus on Incontinence

Prof Cristiano Mendes Gomes, Associate Professor of Urology, University of São Paulo Medical School Clinical Chief of the Division of Urology, Hospital das Clínicas, University of São Paulo Medical School (FMUSP)

Neurogenic Bowel: Conservative Management of Neurogenic Bowel Dysfunction

Prof Fabiana Faleiros, Associate Professor at the University of São Paulo at Ribeirão Preto College of Nursing – PAHO/WHO Collaborating Centre for Nursing Research Development

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Sexuality, Fertility and Women's Health

Technology, Sexuality, and Disability: Advances, Representations, and Challenges in the Digital Age

Dr Paula Ferrari

Sexuality and Assistive Technology: Empowering Intimacy

Dr Danielle Rodrigues, Occupational Therapist, Albert Einstein Education and Research Center

Fertility in spinal cord injury patients

Dr Matheus Ferreira Gröner, PhD in Urology and Human Reproduction - UNIFESP / EPM

Preceptor of the Medical Residency in Assisted Reproduction; Assistant Physician of the Integrated Human Reproduction Sector

Pregnancy and Childbirth

Dr Renato Fraietta, Associate Professor, Vice-Head of the Urology Discipline and Coordinator of the Integrated Human Reproduction Division at the Federal University of São Paulo (UNIFESP)

16:10-16:30

Coffee & Tea Break

16:30-17:50

Associated Neurological Disorders

Pain

Dr Veronica Matassa

Spasticity

Dr Eduardo Rocha, Spinal Cord Injury assistant from Santa Casa de São Paulo Hospital
Current president of SOCILAR (Sociedad Científica Latino Americana de Rehabilitación)
Past president of Brazilian PMR Society

Spasticity: Functional Neurosurgical Treatment

Dr Eduardo Juca, Pediatric Neurosurgeon, Researcher, Professor and Conferencist
Fellow at the Necker Hospital

17:50-19:00

Aging, Metabolic Disorders and Physical Activity

Ageing with a spinal cord injury and perspectives on physical activity

Prof Camila Quel de Oliveira, Associate Professor and Director of Physiotherapy Program at Western Sydney University

Osteoporosis in SCI patients

Dr Alexandra Passos Gaspar, Professor of Hospital Israelita Albert Einstein

Adapted Physical Activity

Dr Cristiane Mota, Physical Education professional, Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation of the Hospital das Clínicas de São Paulo

End of Day 1

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