

PICC DAY

Tuesday, December 1st, 10am – 1pm

Nurses and PICC insertion: a worldwide perspective (60')

Chair: Josie Stone – Roberto Biffi

PICC in France – Christian Dupont (15')

PICC in Spain – Gloria Ortiz Miluy (15')

PICC in Europe – Ton Van Boxtel (15')

PICC all over the world - Rich Lewis (15')

Accuracy, safety, cost-effectiveness of tip location and tip navigation (60')

Chair: Paul Blackburn - Giuseppe Capozzoli

The state of the art of tip location - Antonio LaGreca (15')

Intra-cavitary ECG vs fluoroscopy for PICC placement - Ulf Teichgraber (15')

PICC and tip location - Herve Rosay (15')

Indications and cost-effectiveness of tip navigation in PICC insertion - Mauro Pittiruti (15')

The 2015 GAVeCeLT Consensus on PICC in home care (indications, insertion and management) (60')

Chair: Marcello Ricciuti – Vito Silvestri

Vein preservation in home care - Gianvito Corona (15')

PICC insertion at home - Pietro Dormio (15')

Cosmetic and psychological aspects of PICC in outpatients - Gloria Ortiz Miluy (15')

The conclusions of the GAVeCeLT consensus on PICC in home care - Mauro Pittiruti (15')

Tuesday, December 1st, 3pm – 6pm

The recent literature against PICCs: which is the real risk of thrombotic and infective complications (30')

Chair: Paolo Cotogni – Paul Blackburn

PICC and meta-analyses - Massimo Lamperti (15')

PICC and venous thrombosis - Mauro Pittiruti (15')

New techniques in PICC insertion (20')

Chair: Giancarlo Scoppettuolo – Andrea Bilancia

Tunneling PICCs: when and why - Gloria Ortiz Miluy (10')

Cyanoacrylate glue in PICC insertion - Marco Ariotti (10')

PICC in ICU: when, which, why (30')

Chair: Paolo Beccaria – Mauro Pittiruti

PICC for hemodynamic monitoring - Daniele G. Biasucci (15')

PICC in ICU today - Paul Blackburn (15')

A cost-effective model for optimizing PICC indication and insertion (20')

Laura Dolcetti and Giancarlo Scoppettuolo

Introduced by Roberto Biffi

Safety and limitations of PICCs in cancer patients in active chemotherapy: PICC or port? (60')

Chair: Paolo Cotogni - Roberto Biffi

PICCs in cancer patients candidate to active chemotherapeutic treatments - Sergio Bertoglio (15')

Evidence Based Nursing in onco-hematology: practical algorithms of our PICC Team - Alessio Piredda (15')

Quality of life and choice of the venous access device in cancer patients candidate to adjuvant chemotherapy - Beatrice Faccini (15')

Technical aspects of the choice between PICC and port - Alessandra Panchetti (15')

PICC: the future CVC? (20')

Massimo Lamperti

Introduced by Sergio Bertoglio

GAVeCeLT Congress

Wednesday December 2nd , 9am – 1pm

Ultrasound guidance for central venous catheterization: evidence, practical recommendations and compliance of the operators (20')

Antonio La Greca

Introduced by Massimo Lamperti

Prevention of catheter-related venous thrombosis: new possibilities (40')

Chair: Sergio Bertoglio – Massimo Buononato

An insertion bundle for thrombosis prevention – Mauro Pittiruti (20')

The future of pharmacological prevention of catheter-related venous thrombosis - Giancarlo Agnelli (20')

Flushing and locking of venous access devices: guidelines, scientific evidence and clinical practice (60')

Chair: Maurizio Gallieni – Ton Van Boxtel

Flushing the I.V. catheters: guidelines, scientific evidence and reality - Christian Dupont (15')

Recommendations for central venous catheter maintenance: shifting the focus from locking to flushing - Godelieve Goossens (15')

The role of needlefree connectors in the prevention of lumen occlusion - Andrea De Martin (15')

Is heparin really needed? – The conclusions of the 2015 GAVeCeLT Consensus on lock solutions - Sergio Bertoglio (15')

Interventional radiology in the management of the complications of long term venous access devices (30')

Chair: Roberto Biffi – Daniele Bertollo

Ulf Teichgraber (15')

Franco Orsi (15')

Central venous catheters coated with antibacterial drugs (60')

Chair: Josie Stone – Paolo Beccaria

Coated catheters: an update - Jim Lacy (20')

Coated catheters: a cost analysis - Leonardo Lorente Ramos (20')

Coated catheters: new indications? - Giancarlo Scoppettuolo (20')

Venous access in neonates and children: new methods and new technologies (30')

Chair: Mauro Pittiruti – Francesca Rossetti

Nicola Disma (15')

Daniele Biasucci (15')

Wednesday December 2nd , 3pm – 6 pm

A new concept for venous access: the care managing process (15')

Rich Lewis

Introduced by Sergio Bertoglio

Port insertion in 2015: axillary approach, cyanoacrylate glue and other new strategies (60')

Chair: Daniele Bertollo – Cecilia Pelagatti

Cyanoacrylate glue during port insertion - Ulf Teichgraber (15')

A check-list for port insertion - Hervé Rosay (15')

Ultrasound-guided subclavicular approach to the axillary vein - Alessandra Panchetti (15')

The current role of PICC-ports - Sergio Bertoglio (15')

The role of the hospital pharmacist: central vs peripheral i.v. infusion, drugs incompatibility, etc. (60').

Chair: Laura Fabrizio – Roberto Biffi

The role of the hospital pharmacist in the choice of venous access devices: possible logistic models – E. Omodeo Salè (20')

Central vs peripheral infusion: the role of the pharmacist between the evidence based recommendations and the actual clinical practice – G. Guglielmi (20')

Efficacy, effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of venous access: present and future of drug incompatibility – G. Caravella (20')

Economics of venous access (30')

Chair Ton Van Boxtel – Cecilia Pelagatti

Cost-effectiveness and economic sustainability of medium and long term venous access devices: logistic models and patterns of reimbursement - Antonio La Greca (15')

Cost of complications in vascular access - Kathy Kokotis (15')

A new classification of catheter malfunction and lumen occlusions: the CINAS module (15')

Godelieve Goossens

Introduced by Sheila Inwood

Thursday December 3rd , 9am – 1pm

Clinical update: risk of particle contamination in infusion therapy (20')

Josie Stone

Introduced by Giancarlo Scoppettuolo

Prevention of catheter-related infection in 2015 (60')

Chair: Maurizio Gallieni – Sheila Inwood

Needlefree connectors and risk of infection - William Jarvis (20')

New strategies to prevent intraluminal contamination: citrate, taurolidine, port protectors - Giancarlo Scoppettuolo (20')

Antisepsis with 2% chlorhexidine – evidence-based, recommended but not consistently adopted: why? - Roberto Biffi (20')

Quality of life in patients with ports: an underestimated issue (30')

Chair: Giovanni Tazzioli – Sergio Bertoglio

Perception of the venous port in cancer patients - Deborah Russo (15')

The patient and his/her port - Gabriella Pravettoni (15')

New technologies for dressing and securement of venous access devices: a changing landscape (45')

Chair: Giancarlo Scoppettuolo – Kathy Kokotis

Dressings and securement: review and latest technologies - Sheila Inwood (15')

New sutureless devices for venous access - Christian Dupont (15')

Subcutaneously anchored securement devices – Pietro Zerla (15')

Intraosseous access vs venous access in emergency (40')

Chair: Daniele G. Biasucci – Jim Lacy

The role of intraosseous access - Alessandra Mancusi (20')

New perspectives of peripheral venous access in emergency - Marco Bigliardi (20')

The current revolution in the world of peripheral venous access: new technologies, new materials, new recommendations for insertion and maintenance (15')

Giancarlo Scoppettuolo

Introduced by Kathy Kokotis

Algorithms for the appropriate choice of the venous access devices (30')

Chair: Rich Lewis – Vincenzo Faraone

Godelieve Goossens (15')

Mauro Pittiruti (15')