

Allergy School

Early Diagnosis and Treatment of Allergic Diseases in Childhood

5 – 7 March 2015

Taormina, Sicily, Italy



Epidemiology of allergic disease is changing and early diagnosis may improve Quality of Life and even prevent severity of disease i.e. symptom load.

The aim of the Allergy School **Early Diagnosis and Treatment of Allergic Diseases in Childhood** is to educate young pediatric physicians from all over Europe and beyond. Participants will gain knowledge on critical judgement, early diagnosis and treatment of allergic disorders in childhood while at the same time interacting with peers and experts in the field in an open and collegial atmosphere.

Topics

The course will cover a range of different aspects, such as food, skin and drug allergies and respiratory conditions.

Foods: Food allergens, classes, associations and geographical peculiarities – The relationship between sensitisation and allergy is strong but not absolute. The school will look at epidemiology, diagnosis, time-honoured therapy and new active treatment.

Skin: Allergic diseases such as early-onset severe eczema are important predictors for the development of food allergy, asthma and even rhinitis with increasing age.

Drugs: Infective rashes and use of antibiotics during childhood is common. The course develops an approach to suggest drug-associated rashes, drug provocation tests, IgE, intradermal testing and examines the typical clinical appearance of more troublesome drug induced rashes.

Respiratory: The many wheezing phenotypes or endotypes/genotypes all have specific natural histories and responses to medication.

Management: The aim is to learn the nuances of therapy of atopic dermatitis, drug allergy, asthma, and urticaria and angioedema in childhood.

Programme

Please download the Preliminary Programme below:



Programme

Different session formats and activities will be used, such as lectures, hands-on workshops, discussions, poster and case presentations.

Target Audience

Young doctors in training, pediatric allergists and allergy nurses, pediatricians including neonatologists, dermatologists and dermatology nurses.

CME Accreditation

An application will be made to the UEMS-EACCME® for CME accreditation of this meeting. Further information will be available at a later stage.

Abstract Submission

Abstract submission is open from **1 October 2014 – 4 January 2015**.



Submit your abstract

Submission of abstracts is not mandatory but encouraged. Accepted abstracts will be presented as posters. Only abstracts in the field of pediatric allergology will be considered; they can be original presentations regarding the outcomes of clinical and/or laboratory works. Extraordinary case-reports will also be considered. Applicants should submit original abstracts, not presented before. For more details please contact EAACI HQ at