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WEDNESDAY

Main Hall

• 8:00 - 8:15

Quran and National Anthem

INTRODUCTION

Panel Members:

Dr. Majid Ghaffarpour, Dr. Mahmoud Motamedi, Dr. Abbas Tafakhori

- 08:15 - 08:30 Dr. Mohammad Sayyad Nasiri **Epilepsy Classification**
- 08:30 - 08:45 Dr. Mahmoud Mohammadi **Epilepsy Classification in Children**
- 08:45 - 09:00 Dr. Kurosh Gharagozli **Drug Treatment in Generalized Epilepsy**
- 09:00 - 09:15 Dr. Hossein Pakdaman **VNS in Epilepsy**
- 09:15 - 09:30 Dr. Daryoosh Nasabi Tehrani **Beyond the Seizure: Psychogenic Contributions to Refractory Epilepsy**
- 09:30 - 09:45 Dr. Parviz Bahrami **Updates on Antiseizure Medication 2025**
- 09:45 - 10:00 Dr. Mahyar Noorbakhsh **Drug Withdrawal in Epilepsy**
- 10:00 - 10:15 Dr. Mehrdad Karimi **The Role of Complementary Medicine and Its Beliefs**
- 10:15 - 10:30 Dr. Mahmoud Reza Ashrafi **Treatment in Metabolic Epilepsy in Children**

• 10:30 - 11:00

Coffee Break !

WELCOME

Opening Ceremony!

Dr. Mahmoud Motamedi (President of the Iranian Neurology Society)
Dr. Majid Ghaffarpour (President of Congress)
Dr Abbas Tafakhori (Secretary of Congress)

MEDICAL
MANAGEMENT

Panel Members: Dr. Kurosh Gharagozli, Dr. Mahmoud Reza Ashrafi

- 11:30 - 11:45 Dr. Gholamreza Zamani **Good Practice in the Diagnosis and Management of Epilepsy in Children**
- 11:45 - 12:00 Dr. Vahid Rostami **Epilepsy and Movement Disorders**
- 12:00 - 12:15 Dr. Saeid Charsouei **Drug Interactions and Rational Polytherapy**
- 12:15 - 12:30 Dr. Mehrnaz Tavakolian **Management of Drug Side Effects (Short-Term and Long-Term)**
- 12:30 - 12:45 Dr. Hoda Naghshineh **SUDEP in Epilepsy**
- 12:45 - 13:00 Dr. Hassan Rassouli **Gene Therapy in Epilepsy**

• 13:00 - 14:00

Lunch

SEMIOLGY

Panel Members: Dr. Jafar Mehvari, Dr. Seyyed Sohrab Hashemi Fesharaki, Dr. Seyyed Navid Naghibi

- 14:00 - 14:15 Dr. Zahra Ahmadi **Seizure of the cingulate lobe**
- 14:15 - 14:30 Dr. Mostafa Asadollahi **Semiology of Temporal Epilepsy**
- 14:30 - 14:45 Dr. Seyyed Navid Naghibi **Semiology of Parietal and Occipital Epilepsy**
- 14:45 - 15:00 Dr. Farzad Sina **Semiology of Frontal Epilepsy**

• 16:00 - 16:30

Coffee Break !

CASE
PRESENTATION

Moderators: Dr. Sara Ranji, Dr. Samaneh Haghighi, Dr. Nasim Tabrizi, Dr. Zahra Rezaei

- 16:30 - 18:00 Dr. Behnaz Ahmadi
Dr. Tella Mohammad Mehrabi
Dr. Zeinab Falsafi

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Coffee Break!

Lunch

WET BRAIN
DISSECTION

Workshop !

• 15:00 - 16:00

Dr. Azim Hedayatpour

Wet Brain Dissection



Farabi

SYMPOSIUM

Ashbal Pharma Company

• 9:00 - 10:00

Dr. Reza Shervin Badv

Infantile Epileptic Spasm Syndrome
Pearls and Perils



NEURO
IMAGING

Workshop !

• 14:00 - 15:00

Dr. Aidin Taghiloo

• 15:00 - 16:00

Dr. Mohammad Ali Kazemi

Neuroimaging in Epilepsy
Neuroradiology



Zakariya
Razi

Ronak Darou Company

Moderators: Prof. Jafar Mehvari, Dr. Sohrab Hashemi Fesharaki

Exploring the Era of Next-Generation ASMs

• 11:30 - 11:45

Dr. Nasim Tabrizi

Managing Anti-Seizure Medications in Women
with Epilepsy:

What do we know about the effects of new
antiseizure medications on pregnancy?

• 11:45 - 12:00

Dr. Navid Naghibi

Bridging the Gap in Antiseizure Therapy: Clinical
Decision-Making Between Levetiracetam IR,
Levetiracetam ER, and Brivaracetam

• 12:00 - 12:10

Prof. Jafar Mehvari

Summary of Benefits and its Pitfalls of New
ASMs in Epilepsy

• 12:10 - 12:30

Panel Discussion

Summary: Innovation with Caution: The Benefits
and Pitfalls of New ASMs in Epilepsy

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THURSDAY

Main Hall

NEURO
PSYCHOLOGY

Panel Members: Dr. Masoud Etemadifar, Dr. Azarakhsh Mokri, Dr. Davar Altafi

- 08:30 - 08:45 Dr. Vajihe Aghamollaei **Neuropsychological Tests**
- 08:45 - 09:00 Dr. Kiyana Amani **Cognitive Rehabilitation After Epilepsy Surgery**
- 09:00 - 09:15 Dr. Nazila Shah Mansouri **Psychogenic Non-Epileptic Seizure**
- 09:15 - 09:30 Dr. Azarakhsh Mokri **A New Look at Non-Epileptic Seizure**
- 09:30 - 09:45 Dr. Hamid Reza Namazi **AI and Its Considerations**
- 09:45 - 10:00 Dr. Elham Rahimian **Role of Amygdala in Refractory Seizure Update**

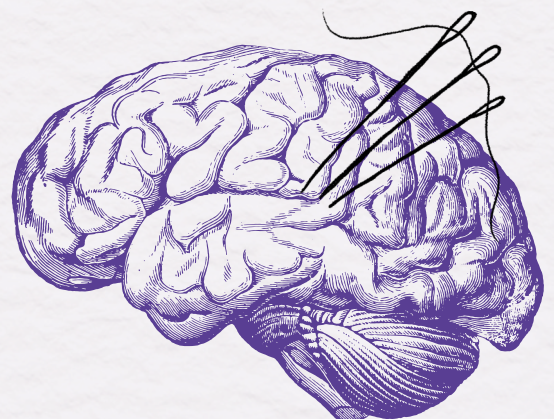
- 10:00 - 10:30 Coffee Break !

EPILEPSY SURGERY

Panel Members: Dr. Mohammad Shirani Bidabadi, Dr. Ebrahim Pour Akbar
Dr. Daryoosh Savadi Osguei, Dr. Guive Sharifi

- 10:30 - 11:00 Dr. Mahmoud Motamedi **States of the Art for Treatment of Lennox - Gaustat Syndrome**
- 11:00 - 11:30 Dr. Majid Ghaffarpour **Biophysical Aspects of EEG/Essential for the Correct Diagnosis of Epilepsy**
- 11:30 - 11:45 Dr. Morteza Faghih Joybari **Types of Epilepsy Surgery**
- 11:45 - 12:00 Dr. Sajjad Shafiee **DBS in Epilepsy**
- 12:00 - 12:15 Dr. Jafar Mehvari **Results of Epilepsy Surgery in Iran**
- 12:15 - 12:30 Dr. Sara Ranji **sEEG and its Performance**
- 12:30 - 12:45 Dr. Zeynab Peimani **ICTAL SPECT & PET**
- 12:45 - 13:00 Dr. Behnam Safarpour **Electrocorticography in Epilepsy**
- 13:00 - 13:15 Lima
- 13:00 - 13:15 Dr. Aidin Omidvar **DBS Implantation in Iran**

- 13:15 - 14:00 Lunch



Panel Members: Dr. Hossein Ali Ebrahimi Meimand, Dr. Zabihollah Hashem Zehi
Dr. Mahmoud Mohammadi

- 8:30 - 8:45 Dr. Dr. Pouriya Moshayyedi **WADA Test and Its Considerations**
- 8:45 - 9:00 Dr. Mohammad Ali Oghabian **MRI-Based Neuroimaging Methods for Seizure Detection**
- 9:00 - 9:15 Dr. Mohammad Tabaei Fesharaki **Responsive Neuro-Stimulation**
- 9:15 - 9:30 Dr. Zeinab Falsafi **The Role of Diet in the Treatment of Epilepsy**
- 9:30 - 9:45 Dr. Ebrahim Daryaei **Fever and Seizures**
- 9:45 - 10:00 Dr. Iman Sabz Golin **The Role of Steatotic Radiosurgery in the Treatment of Epilepsy**

Panel Members: Dr. Ahmad Negahi, Dr. Fatemeh Seddigh Marvasti, Dr. Ata Pour Abbasi
Dr. Reza Shervin Badv

- 10:30 - 10:45 Dr. Hossein Ali Ebrahimi Meimand **Ictal Blinking: Case Report and Review**
- 10:45 - 11:00 Dr. Nasim Tabrizi **The Role of Cannabis in the Treatment of Epilepsy**
- 11:00 - 11:15 Dr. Mehran Beiraghi Toosi **Effect of GABA-Producing Probiotic Bacteria on Decreasing Seizures in Children with Refractory Epilepsy**
- 11:15 - 11:30 Dr. Hossein Eslamiyyeh **The Role of Channelopathies in the Precision Medicine of Pediatric Intractable Epilepsy**
- 11:30 - 11:45 Dr. Sheida Shaafi **Acute Symptomatic Seizures, Diagnosis and Treatment: A Systematic Review**
- 11:45 - 12:00 Dr. Hanieh Sadat Mirzadeh **Genetic Diversity in Early Infantile Epileptic Encephalopathy (EIEE): A Three-Year Cohort Study Running title: Three-Year Study on Early Epileptic Encephalopathy**
- 12:00 - 12:15 Dr. Seddighe Nikbakht **ta-VNS and Its Role**
- 12:15 - 12:30 Dr. Mohammad Reza Najafi **Drug Therapy in Epilepsy**
- 12:30 - 12:45 Dr. Mohammad Zare **The Role of Serum Levels in the Treatment of Epilepsy**
- 12:45 - 13:00 Dr. Shirin Shakiba **Antiepileptic Drugs and Anticoagulants**

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Raymand Rad Company

• 9:00 - 10:00

Dr. Reza Shervin Badv

VNS

Non-Drug Treatments for Epilepsy



SYMPOSIUM

Actoverco Company

• 11:00 - 11:40

Dr. Vahid Salehifar

Dr. Nayyereh Akbari

Dr. Behnam Safarpour

Optimizing Epilepsy Care:

Proper Clinical Use of

**Perampanel, Oxcarbazepine, and
Lacosamide**



• 11:40 - 11:50

Dr. Amir Reza Nabighadim

**Introduction of Novel Insomnia Molecule
in Iran:**

• 11:50 - 12:00

Panel

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SYMPOSIUM

Cobel Darou Company

Moderator: Dr. Mahmoud Motamedi

**Advancing Epilepsy Management: From Rational Polytherapy to the
Next-Generation ASMs**



• 14:00 - 14:20

Dr. Amir Rezaei

**New ASMs in Rational Polytherapy:
The Levebel®-Unimide® Approach**

• 14:20 - 14:30

Discussion

• 14:30 - 14:50

Dr. Asiyeh Mehramiri

**Personalizing Epilepsy Care:
When and Why to Choose Brizantis®**

• 14:50 - 15:00

Discussion

Workshop!

Moderator: Dr. Seyyed Sohrab Hashemi Fesharaki

- 15:00 - 15:15 Dr. Majid Ghaffarpour
- 15:15 - 15:30 Dr. Hossein Kahnouji
- 15:30 - 15:45 Dr. Reza Shervin Badv
- 15:45 - 16:00 Dr. Vahid Salehifar
- 16:00 - 16:15 Dr. Meysam Aghaei Meybodi
- 16:15 - 16:30 Dr. Seyyed Sohrab Hashemi
- 16:30 - 16:45 Dr. Hamed Amirifard
- 16:45 - 17:00 Dr. Samaneh Haghighi
- 17:00 - 17:15 Dr. Mahmoud Mohammadi
- 17:15 - 17:30 Dr. Jafar Mehvari
- 17:30 - 17:45 Dr. Mohsen Javadzadeh
- 17:45 - 18:00 Dr. Mohammad Razmafrouz

Physics of EEG**Montage and Localization in Epilepsy****Artifacts in Seizures****Epilepsy Waves****Normal Variance****Activation Methods in EEG****EEG in Sleep****EEG in ICU and Status Epilepticus****EEG Polarity****Ictal Patterns in Epilepsy****EEG in Children****Drug Effect in EEG****Abnormal Patterns not Epileptic Forms**

EEG WORKSHOP !!

First recorded in 1924 by Hans Berger, EEG has transformed from faint electrical traces on paper to a cornerstone of modern neuroscience.

A century later, it still connects curiosity with technology — helping us read the rhythms of the human brain.



An AI-generated image of Hans Berger working in his lab with a two-channel EEG device.

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FRIDAY

Main Hall

SOCIAL ASPECT OF
EPILEPSY

Panel Members: Dr. Saeid Zarei, Dr. Reza Haj Manouchehri, Dr. Masoud Habibi
Dr. Mohammad Mehdi Nasehi

- 08:00 - 08:15 Dr. Amir Reza Bahadori **Seizure incidence after deep brain stimulation**
- 08:15 - 08:30 Dr. Ghasem Fattahzadeh **Memory impairment in epilepsy**
- 08:30 - 08:45 Dr. Omid Ghatreh Samani **Epilepsy in Certain Occupations**
- 08:45 - 09:00 Dr. Omid Davoudian **Certificate and Military Service**
- 09:00 - 09:15 Dr. Reza Haj Manouchehri **Legal Considerations in Epilepsy**
- 09:15 - 09:30 Dr. Amir Hossein Rouhi **Epilepsy and Art**
Larijani
- 09:30 - 09:45 Dr. Mohammad Mehdi **The Role of Health Insurance**
Nasehi
- 09:45 - 10:00 Dr. Masoud Habibi **The Role of the Cultural Deputy of the Ministry
of Health**

- 10:00 - 10:30 Coffee Break !

EPILEPSY & OTHER
PATHOLOGIES

Panel Members: Dr. Khosro Sadeghniat, Dr. Nahid Ashjazadeh
Dr. Mohammad Hossein Harirchian, Dr. Abbas Tafakhori

- 10:30 - 10:45 Dr. Mohammad Hossein **Autoimmune Encephalitis**
Harirchian
- 10:45 - 11:00 Dr. Mohammad Mehdi Nasehi **Childhood MS and Seizures**
- 11:00 - 11:15 Dr. Farhad Seyf **Immunogenetic Considerations in Epilepsy**
- 11:15 - 11:30 Dr. Mohammad Amin Farzi **Management of Refractory Status Epilepticus**
- 11:30 - 11:45 Dr. Shadi Zamanian **Ictal Atrial Fibrillation During Focal Seizures**
- 11:45 - 12:00 Dr. Asiyeh Mehramiri **Syncope and Arrhythmia in Epilepsy**
- 12:00 - 12:15 Dr. Mojdeh Ghabaei **Stroke and Seizures**
- 12:15 - 12:30 Dr. Soheila Rezakhani **Post-traumatic Epilepsy Mechanisms and
Treatments**
- 12:30 - 12:45 Dr. Sadegh Izadi **Seizures in Adult Mitochondrial and Metabolic
Diseases**
- 12:45 - 13:00 Dr. Elham Jafari **Headache and Seizures**
- 13:00 - 13:15 Dr. Roshanak Tirdad **Interactions Between Sleep and Epilepsy**

FINALE

- 13:15 Closing Ceremony!

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EPILEPSY IN SPECIAL
GROUPS

Panel Members: Dr. Ahmad Chitsaz, Dr. Behnam Safarpour Lima, Dr. Farzad Sina
Dr. Afshin Samaei

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| • 10:30 - 10:45 | Dr. Dr. Hamideh Mostafaei | Epilepsy Treatment in Low-Income Groups |
| • 10:45 - 11:00 | Dr. Hamideh Arvan | Drug therapy in pregnancy and lactation |
| • 11:00 - 11:15 | Dr. Nayyereh Akbari | Catamenial Epilepsy |
| • 11:15 - 11:30 | Dr. Helia Hemmasian | Psychosis and Epilepsy |
| • 11:30 - 11:45 | Dr. Babak Bakhshayesh | Substance Abuse and Epilepsy |
| • 11:45 - 12:00 | Dr. Tayyebbeh Abbasyoun | Interesting Case Studies |
| • 12:00 - 12:15 | Dr. Nazila Azimi | Aggression in Epilepsy Ictal & Post Ictal |
| • 12:15 - 12:30 | Dr. Faezeh Mousavinia | Hormon Therapy in Epilepsy |

