

12TH

INTERNATIONAL COURSE ON

FLEXIBLE URETEROSCOPY AND PCNL



Live Surgery, Didactic Lectures, Hands-on with Endo-Olympics Competition,
Devil's Advocate Panel, Resident's Forum

ROMA

**Cristo Re Hospital
June 27th – 28th, 2019**

**Course Directors:
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WELCOME LETTER



Dear Colleagues

This XIIth Annual International Course on Flexible Ureteroscopy will be held, as usual, at Cristo Re Hospital in a National Tertiary Referral Center on June 27\28, 2019. The Course is for a limited number of Urologist who like to actively participate in a small group intimate learning setting in order to draw maximum benefit from inter-generational skills transfer offered by renowned local and international experts in the field, with 2-3 decades of experience and a proven track record.

Semi-rigid Ureteroscopy, Flexible Uretero-Renoscopy and combinations with Percutaneous Surgery have all undergone a sea change, particularly during this millennium, driven principally by changes in instrumentation, energy sources, accessories, and the recent introduction of master-slave robotic flexible instrument tele-manipulation.

With this in mind, this Annual Course in the magnificent city of Rome aims to present a didactic step-by-step guide to access and manage all upper urinary tract pathology by natural orifice surgery. In addition, combination and percutaneous techniques will also be discussed and demonstrated. Lecture topics will provide state of the art information on specific aspects of instruments, accessories, energy sources and techniques, as well as the role and control of intra-renal pressure for optimal patient safety, and the prevention and management of complications related to the procedure.

Information presented in the lectures will be re-enforced with daily sessions of hands-on training (HOT) with 4 workstations each managed by an eager young tutor, and which will involve a competitive element that will lead the winner on the first evening to join a senior expert in the operating room on the second day (Endo-Olympics Competition). Lecture teaching will be further augmented by panel discussions and expert-led live or semi-live surgical procedures, which will also demonstrate both basic and cutting edge techniques, show the proper use of instruments and of accessories and energy sources, thus providing a basis for continual expert moderated discussion with participants. This year, we will also include a new discussion session entitled “Devil’s Advocate” examining controversial and evolving areas of approach, technique or practice.

Younger participants - residents in training will further benefit from presenting their own real life challenging cases in English, and have a problem-based learning and expert opinion based discussion with faculty.

The Course enduring popularity lies in our aim to teach a working method focusing on patient’s safety and to foster close interaction between participants and delegates by limiting participant numbers, so early registration is very much encouraged, both for course participation and for the very popular HOT training in order to have an opportunity to reach the OR.

We very much look forward to greeting you in Rome in June 2019

Yours sincerely

Lorenzo Defidia and Anup Patel

SCIENTIFIC
PROGRAMME

THURSDAY JUNE 27

07,30-08,10

REGISTRATION

08,10-08,30

COURSE OPENING

INTRODUCTION BY THE COURSE DIRECTORS
AND THE HOSPITAL MANAGER

MORNING
SESSION

Moderators :

A. TUBARO, A. PATEL

Provoker in O.R. :

A. D'ADDESSI

Case Presentation :

08,30-09,30

LIVE SURGERY (URS/RIRS FOR STONE)

Surgeons: M. DE DOMINICIS

Young Provoker in O.R. : F. DEL BIANCO

9,30-9,40

LECTURE 1 (10')

RIRS : From Meatus to Kidney – Step by Step Technique G.FUCHS

9,40-9,50

LECTURE 2 (10')

Accessories for Best URS/RIRS Outcomes– Necessity vs. Luxury
M. DE DOMINICIS

9,50-10,00

LECTURE 3 (10')

Influence of Scope and Pumps + Ureteral Access Sheath
Choice on Intra-Renal Pressure A. PATEL

10,00-10,15

DISCUSSION

10,15-10,30 *Coffee break*

10,30-11,30

LIVE SURGERY (URS\RIRS FOR STONE)

Surgeons: G. FUCHS

Young Provoker in O.R. : J. DAJA

11,30-12,10

LECTURE 4 (10')

Managing Stone Movement in Ureter and Kidney:
Unplanned and Planned **M. DE DOMINICIS**

LECTURE 5 (15')

Energy sources, Fibers and Techniques for Optimal Stone
Fragmentation– Dusting. Advantage and risks of High Power Lasers
A. SAITA

LECTURE 6 (10')

Stents: Indications, Placement and Complications **A. TUBARO**

12,10-12,30

DISCUSSION

12,30-13,30

LIVE SURGERY (URS/RIRS FOR STONE)

Surgeons : **SAITA A.**

Young Provoker in O.R. : **D. NDREVATAJ**

13,30-14,30 *Lunch*

**AFTERNOON
SESSION**

Moderators :

**M. BUSCARINI,
A. PATEL**

Provoker in O.R. :

G. COLLURA

Case Presentation :

14,30-16,00

LIVE SURGERY (ECIRS FOR STONE)

Surgeons: **L. DEFIDIO / M. DE DOMINICIS**

Young Provoker in O.R. : **A. ABRATE**

16,10-16,20

LECTURE 7 (10')

Nightmares in Ureteroscopy \ RIRS :
Prevention and Solutions **G. FUCHS**

16,20-17,00

ROUND TABLE : DEVIL'S ADVOCATE

Moderator : **A. PATEL**

Panel : **A. TUBARO , M. BUSCARINI , G. FUCHS ,
L. DEFIDIO , A. SAITA**

17,00-18,30

HANDS-ON WITH ENDO-OLYMPICS

**TRAINERS : M. ANTONUCCI , G. COLLURA , S. GERMANI ,
F. PINTO , S.M. RECUPERO , N. RUSSO**

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FRIDAY JUNE 28

MORNING
SESSION

Moderators :

P.F.BASSI, A. SCIARRA ,
A. PATEL

Provoker in O.R. :

R. GIULIANELLI

Case Presentation :

08,00-08,30

SURGERY DAY 1 OUTCOMES :

N. RUSSO

08,30-09,30

LIVE SURGERY (URS/RIRS FOR STONE)

MENTOR + ENDO-OLYMPICS WINNER

Surgeons: G. FUCHS

Young Provoker in O.R. : D. NDREVATAJ

9,30-9,50

LECTURE 8 (20')

New Developments in Percutaneous Renal Stone Surgery

L. CORMIO

9,50-10,00

LECTURE 9 (10')

Robotic RIRS: Ideal Evolution and Techniques

A. PATEL

10,00-10,15

DISCUSSION

10,15-10,30 *Coffee break*

10,30-11,30

LIVE SURGERY (SUPINE MINIPCNL)

Surgeons : L. CORMIO

Young Provoker in O.R.: M. PIROZZI

11,30-11,40

LECTURE 10 (10')

Role of ECIRS in Complex Renal Stone Management

R.M. SCARPA

11,40-11,50

LECTURE 11 (10')

UTUC Renal Preservation:

Indications, Endo-management + New Evidence

L. DEFIDIO

11,50-12,00

LECTURE 12 (10')

MICROPERC IN CHILDREN

P. CAIONE

12,10-12,20

LECTURE 13 (10')

BPH AND METASTATIC CASTRATION RESISTANT
PROSTATIC CANCER (mCRPC): CONTINUATIVE HORMONAL
THERAPY AND NEW THERAPEUTIC OPTIONS

A. SCIARRA

12,10-12,30

DISCUSSION

12,30-13,30

LIVE SURGERY (URS\RIRS FOR UTUC)

Surgeons : L. DEFIDIO \ M. DE DOMINICIS

Young Provoker in O.R. : G. TEMA

13,30-14,30 *Lunch*

AFTERNOON SESSION

Moderators :

R.M. SCARPA ,

A. PATEL

Provoker in O.R. :

G. COLLURA

Case Presentation :

14,30-16,00

YOUNG RESIDENTS CHALLENGE

THE EXPERTS (INTERACTIVE): CLINICAL CASES

Moderator : A. PATEL

Panel: R.M. SCARPA , L. CORMIO , A. TUBARO ,
L. DEFIDIO , G.J. FUCHS ,

16,20-16,30

LECTURE 14 (10')

KEY TAKE HOME MESSAGES

L. DEFIDIO

16,30-18,20

HANDS-ON

TRAINERS : M. ANTONUCCI , G. COLLURA , S. GERMANI ,
F. PINTO , S.M. RECUPERO , N. RUSSO

18,20-18,30

COMPILATION OF ECM TEST (for Italian delegates only) ,

CERTIFICATES AND COURSE CLOSURE

FACULTY

Pierfrancesco BASSI	Dept of Urology, Catholic University , Rome, Italy
Maurizio BUSCARINI	Dept. of Urology, “Villa Betania” Hospital, Rome, Italy
Paolo CAIONE	Urology Surgery Unit, Pediatric Hospital “Bambino Gesù”, Rome, Italy
Luigi CORMIO	Dept of Urology, University of Foggia, Italy
Alessandro D’ADDESSI	Surgical Urology Unit , Foundation University Hospital “A. Gemelli”- Columbus, Rome, Italy
Mauro DE DOMINICIS	Dept. of Urology, “Cristo Re” Hospital, Rome, Italy
Lorenzo DEFIDIO	Dept. of Urology, “Cristo Re” Hospital, Rome, Italy
Gerhard J FUCHS .	USC Institute of Urology, KECK Medicine, Los Angeles, USA
Roberto GIULIANELLI	Dept. of Urology, “Nuova Villa Claudia” Hospital, Rome, Italy
Anup PATEL	London , UK
Alberto SAITA	Dept. of Urology, Clinical Institute “Humanitas”, Milano, Italy
Roberto M. SCARPA	Dept. of Urology “ Campus Biomedico”, Rome, Italy
Alessandro SCIARRA	Dept of Urology, La Sapienza University, Rome, Italy
Andrea TUBARO	Dept. of Urology, “St. Andrea” Hospital, Rome, Italy

HANDS-ON TRAINERS

Michele ANTONUCCI	Dept. of Urology, “Cristo Re” Hospital, Rome, Italy
Giuseppe COLLURA	Urology Surgery Unit, Pediatric Hospital “Bambino Gesù”, Rome, Italy
Stefano GERMANI	Dept. of Urology, Policlinic Foundation “Tor Vergata”, University Medical School, Rome, Italy
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YOUNG UROLOGY RESIDENT’S FACULTY

Alberto ABRATE , University of Palermo, Italy
Flavio DEL BIANCO , La Sapienza University, Rome
Julian DAJA , University of Brescia, Italy
Drilona NDREVATAJ , University of Genova, Italy
Marco PIROZZI , University of Verona, Italy
Giorgia TEMA , La Sapienza University, Rome , Italy

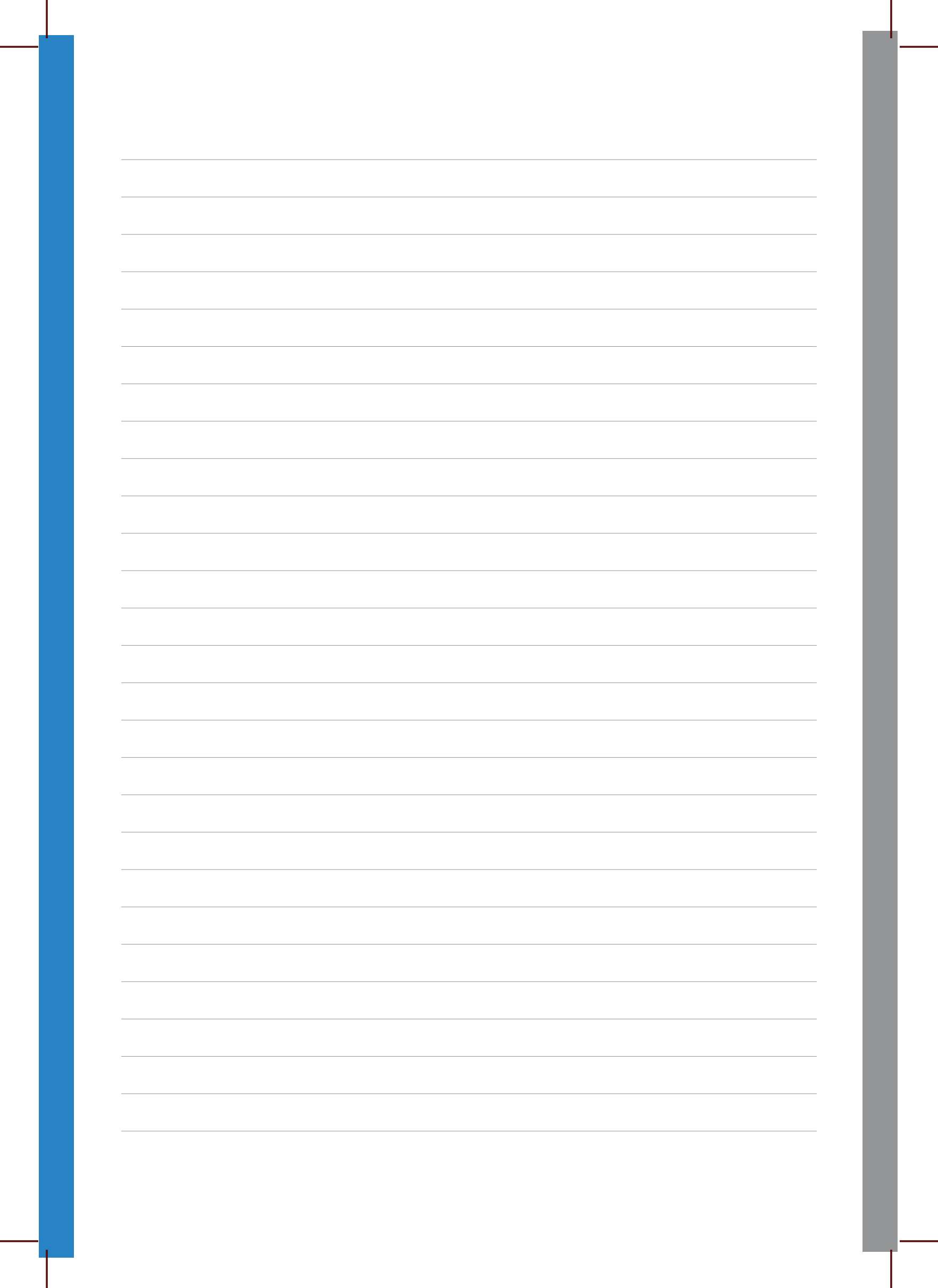
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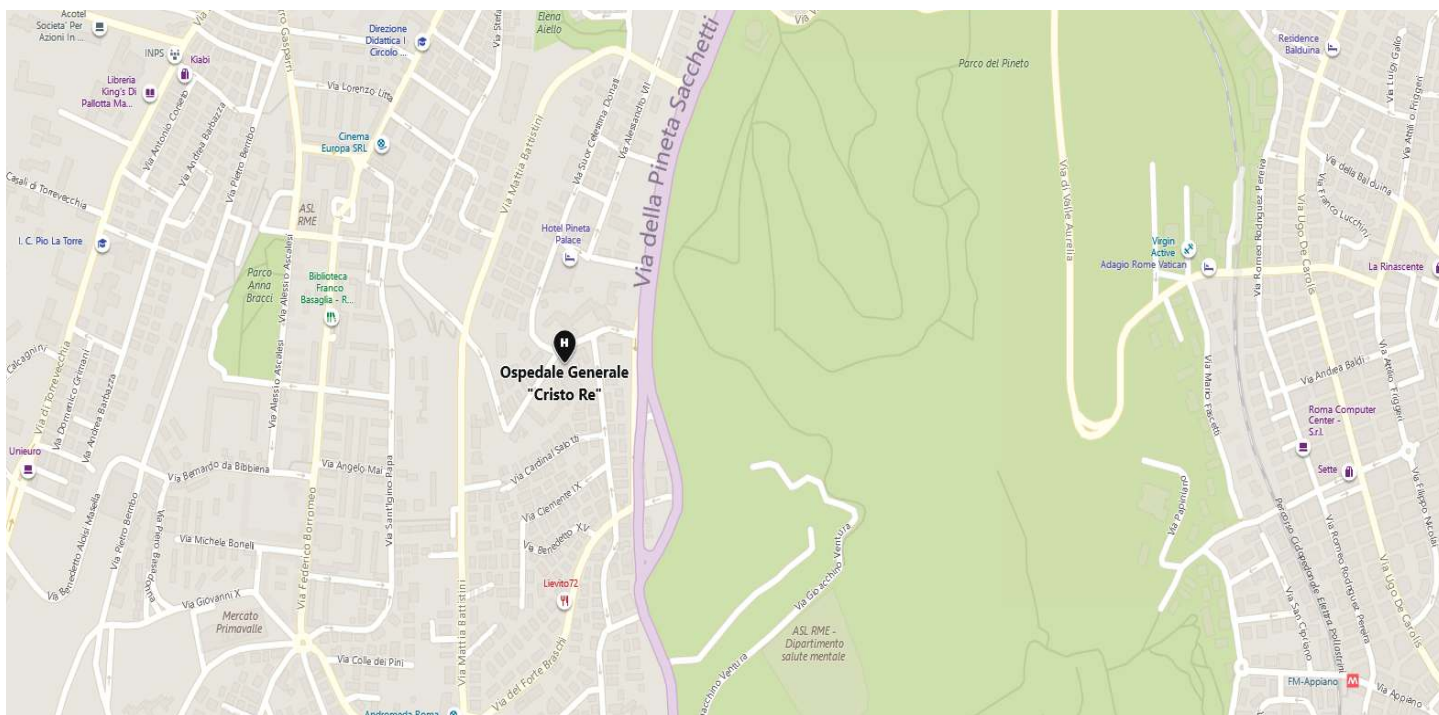


General Information

CONGRESS VENUE:

Ospedale Cristo Re

Via delle Calasanziane, 25 00167 Roma



REGISTRATION FEES

Delegates € 500,00 + Vat

Residents/trainees/students 50,00€ + Vat

ITALIAN ECM ACCREDITATION

The Italian Ministry of Health has assigned 18 Ecm credits.

In order to receive Italian credits, Italian participants must attend 90% of the event and pass the final test.

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