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# Difficult Choices in the management of ACTH Hypersecretion Syndromes

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## RATIONALE

Exactly one year after the first edition, the rationale that inspired the organization of this second meeting dedicated to pituitary tumors, is to foster closer collaboration between the specialists who deal with these complicated and difficult to manage conditions.

This edition will be focused on two main topics. First, some of the points covered during the 2014 edition will be taken up and discussed again in the light of the most relevant news emerged in the field of diagnosis and treatment of acromegaly.

The second topic will be the ACTH (Adreno Cortico Tropic Hormone) hypersecretion syndromes that, because of the complexity of their diagnostic and therapeutic aspects, turn out to be the most difficult to manage for the clinician dealing with pituitary disorders.

Consideration will be given also to ectopic ACTH syndromes due to thymic tumors, bronchial and gastrointestinal neuroendocrine tumors, emphasizing the importance of early diagnosis and a timely and effective treatment.

The event will be opened by a lecture that will address the topic of growth hormone secretion in hyper and hypocortisolism.

The different topics will be addressed following a multidisciplinary approach with all the specialists who are involved in the diagnostic-therapeutic workup.

Interactive discussion will be privileged with the contribution of the personal experiences of the participants in the event. Patients representatives will be dedicated a section within the programme of the first day.

## Thursday, 26th November

12.45 *Welcome light Lunch*

13.30 Registration

### 14.00 OPENING CERIMONY

R. Bellantone, R. Guglielmi, A. Lenzi, A. Olivi, G. Paludetti, A. Pontecorvi

### 14.30 LECTURE

Chairmen: **A. Lenzi, A. Pontecorvi**  
GH secretion in hypo and hypercortisolism, **A. Giustina**

### 15.00 OPENING SESSION:

“One year later... Complex Acromegaly: focus on”  
Chairmen: **A. Giustina, G. Maira**

- News in therapeutic approaches, **A. Bianchi**
- The genetic background of gigantism and acromegaly, **D. Iacovazzo**

### FIRST SESSION: “DIAGNOSIS”

Chairmen: **P. M. Granone, G. Rindi**

15.30 Ectopic Cushing and other paraneoplastic syndromes in thoracic neuroendocrine tumors, **M. Albertelli, D. Ferone**

16.00 Imaging in ACTH hypersecretion syndromes, **C. Colosimo, T. Tartaglione**

16.30 Inferior petrosal sinus sampling, **F. Pecori Giraldi, A. Pedicelli**

17.00 Discussion

17.30 *Coffee break*

### 17.45 PANEL DISCUSSION

**Diagnostic issues in ectopic ACTH syndrome**

Chairmen **M. G. Brizi, A. Giordano**

Speakers **S. Corsello, M. V. Davì, A. Isidori, V. Rufini**

Panel discussion coordinators **R. Baldelli, A. Bianchi, A. Mangiola**

19.00 Ipofisicrescitadintorni - web site update, **S. Piacentini**

Patient associations, **L. Festa**

“Vivere per Amare Gianluca Latini Onlus”, **E. Latini**

Coordinator: **A. Giampietro**

19.30 Closure

## Friday, 27th November

08.00 Registration

### 08.30 LECTURE

Chairman: **F. Cavagnini**  
The molecular pathogenesis of Cushing's disease, **M. Korbonits**

### SECOND SESSION: “TREATMENT”

Chairmen: **C. P. Lombardi, V. Toscano**

09.00 Neurosurgery, **C. Anile**

09.30 Radiotherapy, **G. Minniti**

10.00 Medical treatment, **R. Pivonello**

10.30 Role for bilateral adrenalectomy, **M. Raffaelli**

11.00 Discussion

11.30 *Coffee break*

### 11.45 PANEL DISCUSSION

**Therapeutic issues in ACTH hypersecretion syndromes**

Chairmen **L. De Marinis, A. Fabbri**

Speakers **G. Arnaldi, M. Balducci, F. Doglietto, P. Gargiulo,**

**S. Margaritora, M. Passeri**

Panel discussion coordinators **R. Baldelli, A. Bianchi, A. Mangiola**

13.15 **Take home message**

The ideal therapeutic algorithm for ACTH hypersecretion syndromes, **M. Boscaro**

13.30 CME evaluation questionnaire and closure

*Light lunch*