

PROGRAMME LINE-UP

25 MARCH 2021, THURSDAY

PRE-CONFERENCE SYMPOSIUM (1) – 25 MARCH, THURS, 8.15AM TO 11.35AM

INNOVATING POST STROKE CARE – WHERE ARE WE NOW?

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8.15am – 8.30am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Broadcast & Admission of Participants Rolling Slides / House Announcement 	
8.30am – 8.40am	Welcome Address & Introduction to programme	<p>A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva Senior Consultant and Head of Department, Neurology (SGH Campus) National Neuroscience Institute</p> <p>Ms Lee Kah Keow Senior Nurse Clinician National Neuroscience Institute, Singapore</p>
8.40am – 9.10am	Transformation in Stroke Care	Ms Ang Shin Yuh Deputy Director of Nursing Nursing Quality Research & Transformation, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore
9.10am – 9.35am	Hyperacute Stroke Nursing Initiatives: Saving Time = Saving Brain	Ms Lo Nyuk Fung National University Hospital, Singapore
9.35am – 10.00am	Post Stroke Care in India: Beyond the ICU	Mr S. Lesley Samraj Stroke Nurse Practitioner MGM Health Care, India
10.00am – 10.15am	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
10.15am – 10.25am	Break	
10.25am – 10.50am	Nurse-led VTE Prevention in Patients with Acute Stroke	Ms Fu LiQing Nurse Clinician National Neuroscience Institute, Singapore
10.50am – 11.15am	Shaping Innovations in Long Term Care for Stroke Survivor in Hong Kong Community	Ms Karin Chow Nurse Consultant New Territories West Cluster, Hong Kong
11.15am – 11.30am	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
11.30am – 11.35am	Closing Address	
END OF SYMPOSIUM 1		

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PRE-CONFERENCE SYMPOSIUM (2) - 25 MARCH, THURS, 6.30PM TO 9.00PM

SYMPOSIUM ON STROKE FOR NON-NEUROLOGISTS – RECENT STROKE DEVELOPMENTS

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
6.30pm – 6.45pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Broadcast & Admission of Participants Rolling Slides / House Announcement 	
6.45pm – 6.50pm	Welcome & Introduction to Programme	Dr Carol Tham Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
6.50pm – 7.10pm	Hyperacute Stroke Reperfusion -Time is Brain!	Dr Pang Yu Zhi Associate Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
7.10pm – 7.30pm	Antithrombotics for Secondary Stroke Prevention - How to Choose the Right One for My Patient?	Dr Christopher Seet Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
7.30pm – 7.50pm	Vascular Risk Factor Control for Stroke Prevention - What Targets Should We Be Aiming for?	Dr Charles Chan Associate Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
7.50pm – 7.55pm	Break	
7.55pm – 8.15pm	Haemorrhagic Stroke Management -What Do We Do with The Bleeds?	Dr Vincent Ng Senior Consultant, Department of Neurosurgery National Neuroscience Institute
8.15pm – 8.35pm	Stroke Etiologies -Searching for The Culprit!	Dr Pang Yee Hau Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
8.35pm – 8.55pm	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
8.55pm – 9.00pm	Closing Address	Session Chair
END OF SYMPOSIUM 2		

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26 MARCH 2021, FRIDAY

PRE-CONFERENCE SYMPOSIUM (3) – 26 MARCH, FRI, 11.00AM – 12.30PM

HYPERACUTE STROKE MANAGEMENT – SIMULATED CASES

Session Chairpersons – Dr Tu Tian Ming & Dr Pang Yee Hau

Group 1 – Advanced Group – For healthcare professions with on-going services and moderate experience with IV tPA and EVT.

Group 2 – Basic Group – For healthcare professionals with no or minimal experience with IV tPA and EVT.

Faculty:

Dr Wan Asyraf Wan Zaidi

Consultant, Neurologist
Hospital Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (HUKM),
Malaysia

A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva

Senior Consultant and Head of Department, Neurology
(SGH Campus)
National Neuroscience Institute

Dr Carol Tham

Consultant, Department of Neurology
National Neuroscience Institute

Dr Christopher Seet

Consultant, Department of Neurology
National Neuroscience Institute

Dr Tu Tian Ming

Consultant, Department of Neurology
National Neuroscience Institute, Singapore

Dr Pang Yee Hau

Consultant, Department of Neurology
National Neuroscience Institute

Topics:

- Decision making for intravenous thrombolysis and endovascular therapy in acute ischemic stroke
- Vital considerations before thrombolysis - Blood pressure, glucose and weight.
- Stroke mimics
- Wake up stroke and with unknown onset time - when to proceed for thrombolysis and endovascular therapy
- Complications post thrombolysis and endovascular therapy
- Conversation of risk and benefits with patients and family members

ABSTRACT ORAL PRESENTATION – 26 MARCH, FRI, 2.00PM – 3.30PM

- 8 presentations with Q&A sessions
- Judging round conducted by panel of judges

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MAIN CONFERENCE PART (1) – 26 MARCH, 4.15PM – 9.20PM

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
4.15pm – 4.25pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Admission of Participants Rolling Slides / House Announcement 	
Opening Ceremony		
4.25pm – 4.30pm	Opening Performance	SNSA Choir
4.30pm – 4.35pm	Welcome Address by Chairperson, Organising Committee	A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva Senior Consultant and Head of Department, Neurology (SGH Campus) National Neuroscience Institute
4.35pm – 4.45pm	Opening Address by GOH	Ms Lee Chen Ee Group Director Office of Organisation Transformation, SingHealth
4.45pm – 4.55pm	Video Launch of Stroke Buddy App	
Session 1 – Stroke in the COVID-19 Pandemic Session Chair: A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva <i>Synopsis: This session will cover the COVID-19 pandemic and stroke, featuring talks on stroke in associated with COVID-19 infection, case report presentations showcasing examples of stroke complications in infected patients, and discussions on how to adapt stroke care as we continue to cope with the pandemic.</i>		
4.55pm – 5.00pm	Programme Introduction	A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva
5.00pm – 5.30pm	Plenary Talk (1) - Stroke and The COVID Pandemic- Impact and Moving Ahead	Prof Carlos Molina Director of Stroke Unit and Brain Hemodynamics Hospital Universitari Vall d'Hebron, Barcelona, Spain
5.30pm – 5.45pm	Pathophysiology and Pattern of COVID-19 Related Stroke	Dr Christopher Seet Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
5.45pm – 6.00pm	Management and Outcome of COVID-19 Related Stroke	Dr Pang Yu Zhi Associate Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
6.00pm – 6.30pm	Case Report Presentations	Presenters
6.30pm – 7.00pm	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
Sponsored Symposium (1) – Platinum Sponsor: Boehringer Ingelheim (BI) Chairperson: A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva		
7.00pm – 7.30pm	The Angels Initiative – Striving for Excellence in Stroke Care	Prof Michael Brainin Professor and Chair, Department of Clinical Neurosciences and Preventive Medicine Danube University Krems, Austria
	Live Q&A	
End of Sponsored Symposium (1)		

Session 2 – Keeping Up to Date on Stroke Part 1		
Session Chair: Dr Carol Tham		
<i>Synopsis: We are pleased to introduce this novel approach of keeping up to date on advances in stroke over the last 1-2 years. Speakers will present key highlights on important topics by reviewing key publications, notable conference talks and trial presentations.</i>		
7.30pm – 7.35pm	Programme Introduction	Dr Carol Tham
7.35pm – 8.00pm	Plenary Talk (2) - Hyperacute Treatment of Stroke in The Extended Window or of Unwitnessed Onset	Prof Valeria Caso Consultant Neurologist, Stroke Unit University of Perugia, Italy
8.00pm – 8.20pm	Key Trials in Stroke Thrombolysis in 2019/2020	Dr Carol Tham Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
8.20pm – 8.40pm	Key Trials in Endovascular Clot Retrieval in 2019/2020	Dr Pang Yee Hau Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
8.40pm – 9.00pm	Advances in Haemorrhagic Stroke Care	A/Prof Luke James Departments of Anesthesiology and Neurology Duke University School of Medicine, USA
9.00pm – 9.20pm	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
END OF CONFERENCE DAY 1		

27 MARCH 2021, SATURDAY

MAIN CONFERENCE PART (2) – 27 MARCH, SAT, 7.45AM – 7.15PM

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
7.45am – 7.55am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Admission of Participants Rolling Slides / House Announcement 	
Session 3 – Topical Reviews Part 1		
Session Chair: Dr Vincent Ng		
<i>Synopsis: The 2-part session is a selection of talks providing reviews on topical stroke issues aiming to provide insights and perspectives from experts in their fields.</i>		
7.55am – 8.00am	Programme Introduction	Dr Vincent Ng
8.00am – 8.30am	Plenary Talk (3) - Hyperacute Reperfusion - How things have evolved over the last 20 years?	Prof Stephen Davis Director of the Melbourne Brain Centre Royal Melbourne Hospital, Australia
8.30am – 8.50am	ECR - Wider Indications and Nuances	A/Prof Winston Lim Senior Consultant, Department of Diagnostic Radiology Singapore General Hospital Dr Chia Ghim Song Consultant, Department of Diagnostic Radiology Singapore General Hospital Dr David Wen Associate Consultant, Department of Diagnostic Radiology Singapore General Hospital

8.50am – 9.10am	Hyperacute Treatment in Mild Strokes	A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva Senior Consultant and Head of Department, Neurology (SGH Campus) National Neuroscience Institute
9.10am – 9.30am	Posterior Circulation Stroke: Acute Basilar Artery Occlusion with underlying ICAD	Dr Wickly Lee Senior Consultant, Department of Radiology National Neuroscience Institute Dr Kee Tze Phei Associate Consultant, Department of Radiology National Neuroscience Institute
9.30am – 9.50am	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
9.50am – 10.00am	Break	
Session 4 – Topical Reviews Part 2 Session Chair: A/Prof Chang Hui Meng <i>Synopsis: The 2-part session is a selection of talks providing reviews on topical stroke issues aiming to provide insights and perspectives from experts in their fields.</i>		
10.00am – 10.05am	Programme Introduction	A/Prof Chang Hui Meng
10.05am – 10.30am	Plenary Talk (4) – Minimally Invasive Evacuation of ICH - The Latest Update	Prof Gustavo Pradilla Department of Neurological Surgery Emory University School of Medicine, USA
10.30am – 10.50am	Any Clarity on BP Management in 2019/2020?	Dr Tu Tian Ming Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
10.50am – 11.10am	Vessel Wall Imaging	A/Prof Chan Ling Ling Senior Consultant, Department of Diagnostic Radiology Singapore General Hospital
11.10am – 11.30am	PFO - Detection and Management	A/Prof Chang Hui Meng Senior Consultant, Department of Neurology National Neuroscience Institute
11.30am – 11.50am	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
11.50am – 12.15pm	Break	
Lunch Symposium Chairperson: Dr Chua Hoe Chin Senior Consultant, Neurology, National Neuroscience Institute		
12.15pm – 12.45pm	Role of Ticagrelor in Stroke Secondary Prevention- New Data and Roles in Current Practice	Prof Liping Liu Director, NICU & Professor of Neurology and Stroke Center Beijing Tiantan Hospital, Capital Medical University, China
	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speaker
End of Sponsored Symposium (2)		

Session 5 – Keeping Up to Date on Stroke Part 2 Session Chair: Dr Ng Wai May <i>Synopsis: In this second part of keeping up to date on stroke, the featured topics are key during stroke unit management.</i>		
12.45pm – 12.50pm	Programme Introduction	Dr Ng Wai May
12.50pm – 1.10pm	What's New in Stroke Aetiological Work Up	A/Prof N V Ramani Consultant Neurologist Raffles Hospital, Singapore
1.10pm – 1.30pm	Major Nursing Trials in 2019/2020	Ms Tan Il Fan Nurse Clinician, Department of Neurology (Nursing) National Neuroscience Institute
1.30pm – 1.50pm	Enhancing Stroke Recovery	A/Prof Ng Yee Sien Senior Consultant Rehabilitation Medicine Singapore General Hospital
1.50pm – 2.05pm	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
Session 6 – Keeping Up to Date on Stroke Part 3 Session Chair: Dr Shamala Thilarajah <i>Synopsis: This Keeping up to date on stroke session will discuss rehabilitation post-stroke. There will be a panel of speakers each covering top updates in their fields.</i>		
2.05pm – 2.10pm	Programme Introduction	Dr Shamala Thilarajah
2.10pm – 2.25pm	Getting The Best Out of Rehabilitation: Evidence Based Updates in Stroke Rehabilitation	Ms Mah Shi Min Principal Physiotherapist, Department of Physiotherapy Sengkang General Hospital
2.25pm – 2.40pm	Occupational Therapy – Life Goes On	Ms Chia Pei Fen Principal Occupational Therapist, Department of Occupational Therapy Tan Tock Seng Hospital
2.40pm – 2.55pm	Swallowing and Communication Management Post Stroke	Ms Fahimah Thalib Senior Speech Therapist, Department of Rehabilitative Services Changi General Hospital
2.55pm – 3.10pm	Management of Post-stroke Mood Disorders	Dr Huang Wanping Head of Department, Principal Psychologist, Department of Psychology Tan Tock Seng Hospital
3.10pm – 3.25pm	The Role of Music Therapy in Stroke Rehabilitation	Ms Isabel Tan Music Therapist St Luke's Hospital
3.25pm – 3.40pm	Sexual Health After Stroke	Ms Dian Handayani Senior Art Therapist, Department of Psychology Singapore General Hospital
3.40pm – 4.00pm	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speaker

Sponsored Symposium (2) – Bayer		
Chairperson: A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva		
4.00pm – 4.30pm	Protecting Patients with Atrial Fibrillation from Stroke Recurrence: Managing Comorbidities	Prof Vincent Thijs Head of Stroke Medicine Austin Health, Australia
	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speaker
End of Sponsored Symposium (2)		
Session 7 – Challenging Aspects of Stroke Care		
Session Chairs: A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva and Dr Carol Tham		
<i>Synopsis: This session will cover areas in stroke care which are challenging and still evolving.</i>		
4.35pm – 4.40pm	Programme Introduction	A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva and Dr Carol Tham
4.40pm – 5.00pm	Clopidogrel Resistance in Asians	Prof Liping Liu Director, NICU & Professor of Neurology and Stroke Center Beijing Tiantan Hospital, Capital Medical University, China
5.00pm – 5.20pm	Gender Issues in Stroke Care	Prof Valeria Caso Consultant Neurologist, Stroke Unit University of Perugia, Italy
5.20pm – 5.40pm	DOACs in stroke prevention	Dr Wan Asyraf Wan Zaidi Consultant, Neurologist Hospital Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (HUKM), Malaysia
5.40pm – 6.00pm	When to Start OAC After Ischaemic Stroke	A/Prof Raymond Seet Senior Consultant, Division of Neurology, Department of Medicine National University Hospital
6.00pm – 6.20pm	Blood Pressure Target for Intracerebral Haemorrhage	Dr Vincent Ng Senior Consultant, Department of Neurosurgery National Neuroscience Institute
6.20pm – 6.40pm	Neuroprotection In Stroke	Prof Carlos Molina Director of Stroke Unit and Brain Hemodynamics Hospital Universitari Vall d'Hebron, Barcelona, Spain
6.40pm – 7.00pm	Live Q&A	Session Chair & Speakers
7.00pm – 7.10pm	Announcement of Abstract Winners	Dr Carol Tham
7.10pm – 7.15pm	Closing Address	A/Prof Deidre Anne De Silva
END OF CONFERENCE DAY 2		