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**the GM Trust Basic and Advanced course
on the Prechtl Assessment of General Movements**

BASIC GM COURSE PROGRAM

	8 th May 2018	9 th May 2018	10 th May 2018	11 th May 2018
8:30	Welcome. What are General Movements (L) <i>Fabrizio Ferrari</i>	Normal and Abnormal Writhing GMs (T)	Individualized Developmental Trajectories (T)	Normal and Abnormal GMs at Different Ages (T)
10:00	Coffee and Tea	Coffee and Tea	Coffee and Tea	Coffee and Tea
10:30	Normal Preterm and Writhing GMs (D and T)	Normal Fidgety Movements (D and T)	The ontogeny of fidgety movements from 4 to 20 weeks post-term age in healthy full-term infants (L) <i>Fabrizio Ferrari</i>	How to Study GMs (D) Re-Calibration of Normal and Abnormal GMs (D)
12:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	11.30 Coffee and tea
13:00	Abnormal Preterm and Writhing GMs (D and T)	Abnormal and Absence of Fidgety Movements (D and T)	Individualized Developmental Trajectories (T)	11.45 Reliability testing
15:00	Coffee and tea	Coffee and tea	Coffee and tea	13.00 End of the Session
15:30	Posture and movements in healthy preterm infants insupine position in and outside the nest (L) <i>Natascia Bertoncilli</i>	Normal, Abnormal and Absence of Fidgety Movements (T)	Movements Towards Midline and GMs (L) <i>Laura Lucaccioni</i>	
16:30	End of the Session	End of the Session	End of the Session	

D = Demonstration; L = Lecture; T = Tutorial; Sessions marked in green are in the main hall.

ADVANCED GM COURSE PROGRAM

	8 th May 2018	9 th May 2018	10 th May 2018	11 th May 2018
8:30	Welcome. What are General Movements (L) <i>Fabrizio Ferrari</i>	Participants shown their own tape Preterm and Writhing GMs (T)	Movements and postures at 3-5 Months – Detailed Assessment (T)	Normal and Abnormal GMs at Different Ages (T)
10:00	Coffee and Tea	Coffee and Tea	Coffee and Tea	Coffee and Tea
10:30	General Movements: Preterm and Term Age Recalibration & Introductory Testing (T)	Fidgety Movements – Recalibration (D and T)	The ontogeny of fidgety movements from 4 to 20 weeks post-term age in healthy full-term infants (L) <i>Fabrizio Ferrari</i>	How to Study GMs (D) Re-Calibration of Normal and Abnormal GMs (D)
12:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	11.30 Coffee and tea
13:00	General Movements: Preterm and Term Age – Detailed Assessment (D and T)	Participant shown their own tapes (T)	Participants shown their own tapes (T)	11.45 Reliability testing
15:00	Coffee and tea	Coffee and tea	Coffee and tea	13.00 End of the Session
15:30	Posture and movements in healthy preterm infants insupine position in and outside the nest (L) <i>Natascia Bertoncelli</i>	Movements and postures at 3-5 Months – Detailed Assessment (D)	Movements Towards Midline and GMs (L) <i>Laura Lucaccioni</i>	
16:30	End of the Session	End of the Session	End of the Session	

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General information

The basic course on Prechtl's Method of Qualitative assessment of General Movements in young infants is intended for pediatricians, developmental pediatricians, neonatal pediatricians, child neurologists and physiotherapists, who have to deal with preterm and term neonates and infants who are at risk factors for delayed development or the development of cerebral palsy. General movements are the most frequent motor pattern in the fetus and in the young infant.

The aim of the Course is to provide an introduction to the Prechtl's Method of Qualitative assessment of General Movements. This new assessment method has shown its merit for the prenatal and postnatal evaluation of the integrity of the nervous system. Compelling evidence is now available that qualitative assessment of General Movements at a very early age is the best predictor for cerebral palsy. This method has become a potent supplement to the traditional kind of neurological examination. Main topics of lectures, demonstrations and exercises are the ontogeny of spontaneous motor activity; normal and abnormal GMs from birth to 20 weeks post term; practical advice for recording and assessment of GMs;

GMs and follow-up: individual developmental trajectories and their predictive power for later neurological impairments. This course is included in the national and international courses held periodically in Austria (Graz) and in Italy (Pisa or Modena), England (London) and Australia (Brisbane). The course fulfils the standards specified by the GMs Trust (www.general-movements-trust.info)

Location:

University rehabilitation institute of Republic Slovenia, Linhartova 51, 1000 Ljubljana - Slovenia

Course fee

- early bird fee 680 € incl. VAT** (registration and payment deadline should be done till **February 15, 2018**)
- regular fee 730 € incl. VAT** (registration and payment deadline should be done till **March 31, 2018**)

Course fee can be paid only by bank transfer:

IBAN: SI56 011006030278088

SWIFT code: BSLJSI2X

Name of bank: Banka Slovenije

Address of Bank: Slovenska 35, SI-1000 Ljubljana/Slovenia

Application for the course:

Registration deadline: **31st March 2018**

Number of participants is limited on 20 for each course. Registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

It is mandatory to bring your own videos to demonstrate them and evaluate GM at the advanced GM course.

The address for registration:

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**APPLICATION FORM FOR
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University rehabilitation institute Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana, Slovenia, May 8 -11, 2018

Participant – Name and family name: _____

Institution (street, city, postal number, state): _____

Phone : _____ E-mail: _____

Education: _____

I would like to register on **basic / advanced** course (please mark)

Please mark also:

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- regular fee 730 € incl. VAT** (registration and payment deadline should be done till March 31, 2018)

Billing address: _____

Address: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____