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Dear colleagues,

The 19th edition of the annual international clinical symposium 'Update@Kempenhaeghe.nl' will take place on Wednesday 22 March, Thursday 23 March and Friday 24 March 2017 in Heeze, The Netherlands. Over the past decades this symposium has become a major international scientific event in the Low Countries, hosting over 650 delegates. This year the focus will be on diagnostic and therapeutic advances.

During state-of-the-art main sessions, workshops and parallel sessions, recent progress in the diagnosis and treatment of epilepsy, sleep disorders and neurocognition will be discussed.

A distinguished national and international faculty guarantees a high quality of presentations and content covering best clinical practice, results of the latest scientific research and illustrative cases.

The main sponsor of the symposium is UCB Pharma.

The parallel sessions of the sleep update, that are traditionally organized by BASS and NSW0, are now being expanded with a third session on technology in sleep medicine.

On behalf of the scientific and organizing committee we warmly invite you to the 19th annual international clinical symposium 'Update@Kempenhaeghe.nl' and hope to personally welcoming you at Kempenhaeghe.

With best regards,



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FRIDAY 24 MARCH 2017

09.00 - 09.30 WELCOME AND REGISTRATION

09.30 - 12.30 **MAIN SESSION EPILEPSY**

**CURRENT AND NEW THERAPEUTIC SOLUTIONS FOR EPILEPSY PATIENTS**

**Chairs:** prof. dr. Paul Boon, prof. dr. Bert Aldenkamp

<b>The new epilepsy classification and its therapeutic consequences</b>	prof. dr. Emilio Perucca
<b>Smart therapeutic solutions beyond medication</b>	prof. dr. Andreas Schulze-Bonhage
<b>New antiepileptic drugs in late development</b>	prof. dr. Meir Bialer
<b>Current rational antiepileptic drug mono- and polytherapy</b>	prof. dr. Tony Marson

12.30 - 14.30 LUNCH AT HEEZE CASTLE

14.30 - 16.30 **PARALLEL SESSION 1 EPILEPSY**

**DRUG THERAPY**

**Chairs:** dr. Emmeke Wammes - van der Heijden, dr. Christian Vader

**The session is focused on clinicians. For three newer antiepileptic drugs we are attempting to answer:**

- When is it necessary to choose for a new antiepileptic drug?
- What are the selecting options?
- What is the efficacy and tolerability profile?
- What is important to monitor in clinical practice?

<b>Perampanel</b>	prof. dr. Bernard Steinhoff
<b>Brivaracetam</b>	dr. Rob Rouhl
<b>Lacosamide</b>	dr. Judith Sie
<b>Conclusions and discussion</b>	dr. Emmeke Wammes – van der Heijden, dr. Christian Vader

14.30 - 16.30 **PARALLEL SESSION 2 EPILEPSY**

**DE NIEUWE CLASSIFICATIE; AANVALSBEELDEN EN DIAGNOSTISCHE DILEMMA'S**

*Video sessie*

**Chairs:** prof. dr. Marian Majoie, dr. Anton de Louw

<b>Patiënt met epilepsie en verstandelijke beperking</b>	dr. Charlotte van Asch
<b>Classificeren van kinderepilepsie</b>	dr. Floor Janssen
<b>Epilepsie en comorbiditeit</b>	dr. Joost Nicolai
<b>Chirurgie of niet?</b>	prof. dr. Alfred Meurs
<b>Expert panel:</b> Monique Veendrick, Willeke van Blarikom, dr. Charlotte van Asch, dr. Floor Janssen, dr. Joost Nicolai, prof. dr. Alfred Meurs	

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14.30 - 16.30 **PARALLEL SESSION 3 EPILEPSY**

**GENETIC MECHANISMS OF EPILEPSY SYNDROMES**

**Chairs:** dr. Jurgen Schelhaas, dr. Sarah Weckhuysen

Genetic mechanism of mitochondrial disorders

dr. Maaïke de Vries

Genetic mechanism of Kleefstra syndrome

dr. Tjitske Kleefstra

Genetic mechanism of cortical development disorders

dr. Gracia Mancini

The use of hiPSC technique for the evaluation of genetic mechanisms in epilepsy syndromes

dr. Nael Nadif Kasri

14.30 - 16.30 **PARALLEL SESSION 4 EPILEPSY**

**NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN EPILEPSY IN CHILDREN**

**Chairs:** dr. Hilde Braakman, dr. Mariëtte Debeij - van Hall

*Treatment of refractory seizures in Dravet syndrome: old drugs, new perspectives?*

Medicinal Cannabis

dr. Judith Verhoeven

Fenfluramine

prof. dr. Berten Ceulemans

*Less invasive, more effective?: new treatment options in epilepsy surgery*

Clinical cases

dr. Daniëlle de Jong

Preliminary results and future perspectives

Louis Wagner

14.30 - 16.30 **PARALLEL SESSION 5 EPILEPSY**

**ADVANCED IMAGING IN EPILEPSY AND AGEING**

**Chairs:** dr. Evelien Carrette, dr. ir. René Besseling

Functional and structural MRI in epilepsy and ageing

prof. dr. Eric Achten

Can high field MRI add information in epilepsy and ageing

prof. dr. Paul Hofman

Age-Utility study - The value of a longterm MRI study

dr. Max Keuken

Nuclear imaging via PET-MRI in epilepsy and ageing

prof. dr. Koen Van Laere

14.30 - 16.30 **PARALLEL SESSION 6 EPILEPSY**

**CLINICAL DEMAND VERSUS TECHNOLOGICAL OFFER: ARE YOU BEING SERVED?**

**Chairs:** prof. dr. Johan Arends, dr. ir. Rob Mestrom

Lost in translation, challenges in clinical-technical research

dr. ir. René Besseling

What support do we need in epilepsy surgery?

dr. Albert Colon

Optogenetics/chemogenetics as future treatment for epilepsy?

prof. dr. Robrecht Raedt

Seizure detection and SUDEP prevention

dr. Roland Thijs

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09:30 - 12:30 PARALLEL SESSION 1 SLEEP

Chairs: prof. dr. Bertien Buyse (BASS), dr. Cathalijn Leenaars (NSWO)

Opto-dialysis studies reveal that local release of acetylcholine within the basal forebrain promotes wakefulness by actions on cortically-projecting non-cholinergic neurons	Janneke Zant
Bedtime procrastination: a behavioral perspective on sleep deprivation	Sanne Nauts
Sleep quality and structure: the impact of real-life light	Emma Wams
Manipulating sleep and memory by EEG guided stimulation	dr. Lucia Talamini
Multimedia use and sleep	Liese Exelmans

09:30 - 12:30 PARALLEL SESSION 2 SLEEP

Chairs: prof. dr. Dries Testelmans (BASS), dr. Annemarie Luik (NSWO)

New insights in the diagnosis, pathophysiology and treatment of sleep-disordered breathing in pediatric obesity	dr. Annelies Van Eyck
Positioning pillow in the treatment of positional sleep related breathing disorders	dr. Johan Newell
Oropharyngeal exercises in obstructive sleep apnea	prof. dr. Gimbada Benny Mwenge
Therapeutic compliance and the impact on symptomatic outcome in patients with chronic fatigue and chronic fatigue syndrome	prof. dr. Dirk Vogelaers
Sleep/wake problems and rhythmicity in bipolar disorder	Stefan Knapen

09:30 - 12:30 PARALLEL SESSION 3 SLEEP

SLEEP & TECHNOLOGY

Chairs: dr. Sebastiaan Overeem, prof. dr. ir. Panos Markopoulos

Advances in home sleep monitoring with PPG	ir. Pedro Fonseca
Soft robotic innovation for the best night of sleep	Julian Jagtenberg
Analysis of snoring sounds in de diagnosis of OSA	dr. ir. Bruno Arsenali
Camera-based vital signs monitoring in infrared	ir. Mark van Gastel
Low intensity small bandwidth light therapy using a headworn device	Toine Schoutens

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14.30 - 16.30 **MAIN SESSION SLEEP**

**NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN SLEEP MEDICINE**

**Chairs:** prof. dr. Dirk Pevernagie, dr. Sebastiaan Overeem

**The etiology of human narcolepsy**

prof. dr. Claudio Bassetti

**Impact of pre- and perinatal circadian disturbance on later life health**

prof. dr. Bert van der Horst

**The role of psychological factors in insomnia**

dr. Merijn van de Laar

**Assessment of OSA severity in the individual patient**

dr. Hennie Janssen

09.00 - 09.30 WELCOME AND REGISTRATION

09:30 - 12:30 **MAIN SESSION NEUROCOGNITION**

**BRAIN AND LEARNING**

**Chairs:** dr. Jos Hendriksen, dr. Sylvia Klinkenberg

**Neuroplasticity in clinical practice**

prof. dr. Onno van Nieuwenhuizen

**Much ado about memory**

prof. dr. Kees Brunia

**DCD: a developmental disorder or a learning disorder?**

dr. Reint Geuze

**Dyslexia and the brain**

prof. dr. Ben Maassen

**Dyscalculia/mathematical learning disabilities, brain, assessment and learning/remediation**

prof. dr. Annemie Desoete

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## Registration only at [www.kempenhaeghe.nl](http://www.kempenhaeghe.nl)

Please register for participation in the symposium 'Update@Kempenhaeghe.nl' at Kempenhaeghe's website [www.kempenhaeghe.nl](http://www.kempenhaeghe.nl).

On the website you will find further directions.

First you will need to fill out the requested information, then you may choose between the different sessions.

## Costs

Participation in the main and parallel sessions on Friday 24 March 2017 is free.

The fee for participants to the Advanced Epilepsy Course on Thursday 23 March 2017 is € 500,-.

## Accreditation

Accreditation from the Dutch and Belgian neurological accreditation committees and from the societies of physicians for persons with intellectual disabilities (ABC 1), pulmonologists, ENT-physicians, pediatricians, neurosurgeons, clinical neuropsychologists and nurse practitioners has been requested.

## Poster session

A poster session will be organized. You can find information and instructions at [www.kempenhaeghe.nl](http://www.kempenhaeghe.nl)

## Venue

The symposium 'Update@Kempenhaeghe.nl' will take place at Kempenhaeghe, Sterkselseweg 65, Heeze, The Netherlands, where you will find parking space.

If you travel by public transport, you can use Kempenhaeghe's taxi shuttle service at Heeze railway station.

If you have any questions, please contact the communication department of Kempenhaeghe at telephone +31(0) 40 227 92 82 or e-mail [Update@Kempenhaeghe.nl](mailto:Update@Kempenhaeghe.nl)

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