

Pre-conference 2017

AEPC WG Pulmonary Hypertension

The conference shall be preceded by a one-day course on physiology, imaging and exercise testing in paediatric pulmonary hypertension, specifically designed for fellows and young specialists, and organized also on behalf of the AEPC working group for pulmonary hypertension and heart failure

Date: Wednesday October 11, 2017

Time: 11:00 – 16:00 p.m.

Location: NH hotel Groningen
Hanzeplein 132, 9713 GW Groningen



Programme

10.00	Registration and coffee
10.45 - 10.50	Opening
10.50 - 11.15	Pathophysiology of Pulmonary Vascular Disease in neonates, infants and children + practice assignment
10.50 - 11.15	Adaptation patterns of the RV to abnormal loading conditions+ practice assignment
11.40 - 12.30	Working on practice assignments in small groups
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch
	Echocardiographic evaluation in Pediatric Pulmonary Hypertension
13.30 - 14.30	<u>A hands on session</u>
	Evaluation of exercise capacity in children with PAH
14.30 - 14.45	<u>Functional class in children: WHO-FC vs "Panama" pediatric FC</u>
14.45 - 15.45	CPET
15.45 - 16.00	Tea
16.00 - 16.30	6MWD
16.30 - 17.00	Accelerometry
17.00	Closure + Drinks