

Combined Meeting

2ND EUROPEAN SPINECOR STUDY GROUP CONSENSUS MEETING

1ST POLISH SPINECOR MEETING

■ FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT & CALL FOR ABSTRACTS



■ 8th – 9th September 2007
Krakow
Poland



■ Abstract submission deadline:
30th April 2007

Montreal, January 9th, 2007

Dear colleague,

As a SpineCor Brace user, we would like to invite you to the 2nd European SpineCor Study Group Consensus Meeting which to be combined with the 1st Polish SpineCor Meeting. The meeting is being co-hosted by the SpineCorporation and MaxMed

Since the first European SpineCor centre opened in 1993, there has been a steady increase in the number of centres using the SpineCor Brace across Europe. Some 2000 patients each year now benefit from SpineCor treatment worldwide. Following the successful First Study Group Consensus Meeting in 2005 we planed to hold a second. With the growth in number of SpineCor users and continued interest, we feel the time is right to meet again.

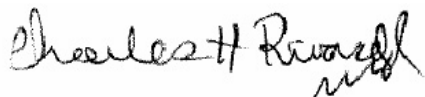
The first publication on SpineCor was in the European Spine Journal (Eur. Spine J. 2003;12(2):141-148) whilst the second was in 2006 in Resonances Européennes du Rachis (Aug 2006;43:1773-1781) on 365 patients. The latest article our third is currently under final review and hopefully will be published in the Journal of Paediatric Orthopaedics within the next few months.

One of the aims of this second SpineCor Study Group Meeting is to organise a procedure for data collection from all the centres without hindering the publication of individual centre results in the journals of choice.

The provisional program for the meeting is attached for your information. The first day will focus on presentations from key note speakers followed by informal discussions. The second day will give the opportunity for presentation of individual centre treatment results and case studies in addition to proposals for collation of international treatment results.

Please return your completed registration form by **1st August** to ensure your participation in this meeting.

We look forward to seeing you in September in Krakow.



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Meeting Location

The **2nd European SpineCor Study Group Consensus Meeting** will be held in Krakow, Poland, on Saturday 8th September and Sunday 9th September 2007.

This year the meeting will be carried out in combination with the **1st Polish SpineCor Meeting**.

Meeting Provisional Program

Saturday, 8th September 2007

9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Main Presentations:

- Current Research: Idiopathic Scoliosis Etiopathogenesis; blood test.
- SpineCor treatment under 25° Cobb angle.
- Pre-surgical treatment with SpineCor: initial results.
- Pelvic Tilt influence in pre-surgical patients.
- Early Brace Weaning (Risser 3).
- Overweight patient's positive treatment outcome.

Welcome dinner

Sponsored by:



Sunday, 9th September 2007

9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Main Presentations:

- SpineCor Worldwide Centres Case Study presentations
- Latest SpineCor Centre Treatment Results.
- Initial International Multicentre Study results.

Registration

The registration to the meeting will be free of charge for all delegates.

Abstract submission

Abstract submission deadline: 30th April 2007

Abstracts should be sent by email to:

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