CARE SYMPOSIUM · ECC 2026 · PROGRAMME

Care Symposium

In German
In English
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Monday, 30 November – Tuesday, 1 December 2026 Hall 9.0

DAY 1 · MONDAY

30 NOVEMBER 2026

HALL 9.0

08:15 Opening & welcome
Walter Brunner, CH · Barbara Häfele, CH
Bruno Schmied, CH · Dieter Hahnloser, CH

PILONIDAL DISEASE

CHAIRS Susanne Bock, CH · Sören Laurberg, DK · Sarah Bruderer, CH

08:30
What is a pilonidal sinus?
Peter Wysocki, AU

08:45
Therapeutic options – what and when?
Susanne Haas, DK

09:15
Perioperative aspects & wound management
Jose Lopez, US

09:45
Case presentation: recurrence
Boudewijn Toorenvliet, NL

10:15 – 10:45 BREAK

COLORECTAL CANCER

CHAIRS Lars Seeberg, NO · Daniela Hönninger, DE · Laurent Chabal, CH

10:45
Surgery on colorectal malignancy
Joep Knol, BE

11:15
Organ preservation without surgery
Gabor Liposits, CH (oncologist)
Markus Glatzer, CH (radio-oncologist)

12:00
If the tumour infiltrates the sphincter
Danilo Miskovic, UK

12:30 – 13:30 LUNCH BREAK

COMPLICATION

CHAIRS Gabriela Möslein, DE · Catherine Bürgi, CH · Therese Juul, DK

13:30
After the operation – diagnosis and treatment of early complications
Felix Aigner, AT

14:00
Early problems with a new stoma – how to avoid, how to treat?
Laurent Chabal, CH

14:30
Wound healing disorders at the perineum
Gerd Silberhumer, AT · Sabine Doleschal, AT · Petra Ebner, CH

15:00
Keynote: Drug therapy for people with a stoma
Annika van der Linde, DE

15:30 – 16:00 BREAK

STOMA I

CHAIRS Jacqueline Metzger, CH · Bela Teleky, AT · Carina Gran Lunde, NO

16:00
Stoma in IBD patients – what you should know?
Peter Kienle, DE

16:30
Ileostomy vs. colostomy: focus on different options
Gabriela Möslein, DE

17:00
Stoma care in the acute hospital – the role of nursing in education and self-management
Sarah Bruderer, CH

17:30
The case
Daniela Hönninger & Vanessa Held (patient), DE

JOINT SESSION · HALL 9.1

18:15
ESCP Presidential Lecture: The anatomy of successful mesocolic excision — embryological planes and vascular variations
Introduction: Dieter Hahnloser, CH
Speaker: **Mehmet Ayhan Kuzu, TR**

18:45 Get Together · Hall 9.1

DAY 2 · TUESDAY

1 DECEMBER 2026

HALL 9.0

08:20 Opening & welcome
Walter Brunner, CH
Barbara Häfele, CH

PELVIC FLOOR AFTER SURGERY

CHAIRS Hannah Winkler, CH · Lorraine Grover, UK · Moritz Sparn, CH

08:30
Pelvic floor centre – why and how
Lukas Marti, CH (surgeon)
Janine Langenauer, CH (urologist)

09:00
The well-informed patient: what to do with the pelvic floor before and after surgery
Daniela Hönninger, DE

09:30
Effective management of late effects after colorectal cancer at nurse-led clinics
Therese Juul, DK

10:00
Irrigation: for end-colostomy and trans-anal with LARS
Catherine Bürgi, CH

10:30 – 11:00 BREAK

QUALITY OF LIFE

CHAIRS Jacqueline Metzger, CH · Danilo Miskovic, UK · Yanic Ammann, CH

11:00
Food? No, thanks: tips for enjoying life between stoma care & chemotherapy
Ricarda Piccoli, CH
Ursina Kasper, CH

11:30
Return to work after colorectal cancer
Therese Juul, DK

12:00
How can I have sex after surgery, with a stoma or incontinence?
Lorraine Grover, UK

12:45 – 13:45 LUNCH BREAK

ENDOMETRIOSIS

CHAIRS Stephan Bischofberger, CH · Hannah Winkler, CH · Andreas Shamiyeh, AT

13:45
Endometriosis – overview of diagnosis and medical treatment
Thomas Rduch, CH

14:15
The role of physiotherapy in endometriosis
Hannah Winkler, CH

14:45
Surgery on endometriosis – the surgeon
Jurriaan Tuynman, NL

15:15
Surgery on endometriosis – the gynaecologist
Thomas Rduch, CH

15:45 – 16:30 BREAK

JOINT SESSION · HALL 9.1

STOMA II

CHAIRS Marc Olivier Sauvain, CH · Therese Juul, DK · Catherine Bürgi, CH

16:30
Lessons learned from the Norwegian stoma trial
Lars Grønvold, NO

16:50
How to avoid a stoma?
Jérémie Lefevre, FR

17:10
How to avoid and treat skin-related complications
Jacqueline Metzger, CH

17:40
Prevention & repair of parastomal hernia
Salvador Morales Conde, ES

18:10
EAES Lecture: Advanced imaging and AI in colorectal surgery
Introduction: Walter Brunner, CH
Speaker: **Luigi Boni, IT**

18:45 End of Day 2