SYMPOSIUM OBJECTIVES

The need has evolved in the recent years to systematize the growing knowledge and experience of the causes, risk factors, diagnostic procedures and therapeutic approaches in thyroid dysfunction. As a result the leading scientific organizations in this area – the European Thyroid Association and the American Thyroid Association felt the need to update the existing guidelines on these disorders.

Parathyroid dysfunction is a less common and still less studied problem though it sometimes accompanies thyroid dysfunction. The differentiation of the fine nuances in the diagnosis and treatment of these disorders poses challenges to the clinician.

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THYROID AND PARATHYROID DYSFUNCTION – BETWEEN THEORY AND PRACTICE



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12:00–12:30 Lunch buffet

12:50–13:00 Welcome address
Prof. R. Kovatcheva, Prof. B. Lozanov

THYROID DYSFUNCTION

MODERATORS
PROF. B. LOZANOV, PROF. R. KOVATCHEVA, PROF. Z. KAMENOV

13:00–13:20 Autoimmune hyperthyroidism – possibilities for therapeutic approach – **Prof. K. Hristozov**

13:20–13:40 Amiodarone-induced thyrotoxicosis – a challenge for both the cardiologist and endocrinologist – **Assoc. Prof. M. Siderova**

13:40–14:00 Subclinical hyperthyroidism – when to treat? – **Assoc. Prof. J. Boneva**

14:00–14:20 Radioiodine in the diagnosis and treatment of thyroid dysfunction – **Prof. K. Zaletel, Slovenia**

14:20–14:40 Pregnancy and hyperthyroidism – specificity in the treatment and follow-up – **Prof. M. Orbezova**

14:40–14:50 Discussion

14:50–15:00 Characteristics and risk factors for development of postpartum thyrotoxicosis – **A. Argatska, B. Nonchev, M. Orbetzova**

15:00–15:10 Challenges of hyperthyroidism in the postpartum – a case report – **M. Angelova, A. Shinkov, I. Uzunova, R. Kovatcheva**

15:10–15:20 Discussion

15:20–15:50 Coffee break

MODERATORS
PROF. M. ORBEZOVA, PROF. K. HRISTOZOV, ASSOC. PROF. J. BONEVA

15:50–16:10 Treatment of hypothyroidism – controversy and perspectives – **Prof. R. Kovatcheva**

16:10–16:30 Syndromes of acquired resistance to thyroid hormones and tissue hypothyroidism: reasons and clinical-therapeutic challenges – **Prof. B. Lozanov**

16:30–16:50 Drug-induced thyroid dysfunction beyond amiodarone – **Ass. Prof. A. Shinkov**

16:50–17:10 Hypothyroidism and cardio-vascular risk – **Prof. Z. Kamenov**

17:10–17:20 Discussion

17:20–17:30 Comparative study on the clinical characteristics of Graves' disease in patients with and without thyroid-associated ophthalmopathy – **M. Stoynova, A. Shinkov, R. Ivanova, M. Angelova, I. Dimitrova, G. Ivanova, R. Kovatcheva**

17:30–17:40 Association of TSH level and risk of papillary thyroid cancer in patients with euthyroid nodular goiter – **I. Dimitrova, A. Shinkov, R. Kovatcheva, R. Ivanova**

17:40–17:50 Thyroid hormone resistance – **R. Dimitrova, K. Hristozov**

17:50–18:00 Inappropriate hormonal tests in thyroid diseases – presentation of two consecutive clinical cases – **Y. Assyov, Ts. Gatev, A. Gateva, K. Atanassova, G. Sheinkova, M. Alexieva, M. Boyanov, Z. Kamenov**

18:00–18:15 Discussion

19:00 Dinner

THYROID AND PARATHYROID DYSFUNCTION

MODERATORS
PROF. R. KOVATCHEVA, PROF. J. GERENOVA, ASSOC. PROF. M. SIDEROVA

09:00–09:20 Pregnancy and hypothyroidism – **Prof. J. Gerenova**

09:20–09:40 Primary hyperparathyroidism and parathyroid cancer – diagnostic and treatment challenges – **Prof. R. Kovatcheva**

09:40–10:00 Secondary hyperparathyroidism – challenges before the endocrinologist – **Ass. Prof. A. Shinkov**

10:00–10:10 Discussion

10:10–10:20 Autoimmune thyroiditis in patients with primary hyperparathyroidism – **I. Yankova, G. Ivanova, A. Shinkov, R. Kovatcheva**

10:20–10:30 Ultrasound detection of parathyroid hyperplasia in patients with chronic kidney disease treated by dialysis – **G. Tosheva, M. Siderova, K. Hristozov**

10:30–10:45 Discussion

10:45–11:15 Coffee break

PARATHYROID DYSFUNCTION

MODERATORS
PROF. M. BOYANOV, ASSOC. PROF. P. POPIVANOV, ASS. PROF. A. SHINKOV

11:15–11:35 Subclinical forms of primary hyperparathyroidism – **Prof. M. Boyanov**

11:35–11:55 Bone changes in hyperparathyroidism – **Ass. Prof. A. Shinkov**

11:55–12:15 Treatment of hypoparathyroidism in adults – **Assos. Prof. P. Popivanov**

12:15–12:30 Discussion

12:30 Closing remarks
Prof. R. Kovatcheva, Prof. K. Hristozov

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