

October 9th - 11th 2024  
2nd Bern & Freiburg  
CSF Center Visitorship

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# About

The first exchange program between the Inselspital, Bern, Switzerland and the University Hospital of Freiburg im Breisgau (Germany) will take place in October 2024, focusing on the advancements in Spontaneous Intracranial Hypotension (SIH) and the management of Cerebrospinal Fluid (CSF) leaks and fistulas.

This meeting will serve as a platform for medical professionals from different hospitals to exchange knowledge, discuss innovative techniques, and share best practices in the treatment of SIH. The synergy between Freiburg im Breisgau's renowned expertise in SIH and the Inselspital pioneering research in neuroscience promises to foster a productive dialogue that will contribute to the enhancement of patient care and surgical outcomes in the field of neurosurgery.



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# Partners



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# Wednesday 9th October

08:30	Inselspital Bern - Meet the team	All
NEUROSURGERY/NEURORADIOLOGY		
08:30 - 09:00	Interdisciplinary Board/Current cases	EP/TD/ AR
SIH - LIVE SESSION		
09:00 - 15:00	Live training courses	EP/TD/ AR
	SIH - Advanced diagnostic	EP/TD/ AR
	SIH - Advanced treatments	EP/TD/ AR
16:00- 16:45	Debriefing and round table	All
17:30	Trip to Freiburg - Germany	

# Thursday 10th October

08:00	Uniklinik Freiburg - Meet the team	All
NEUROSURGERY/NEURORADIOLOGY		
08:15 - 08:30	Briefing current cases	KW/CZ
SIH - LIVE SESSION		
08:30 - 14:00	Live training courses	
	SIH - Advanced diagnostic	
	SIH - Advanced treatments	
15:00- 16:00	Debriefing and round table	All
GUEST SPEAKER		
16:00 - 16:45	TBA (Surgery of Spinal Syringomyelia)	MS
19:00	Guet together - TBA	

# Friday 11th October

08:15 – 09:00 *Interdisciplinary CSF Board*

JB/KW/HU/  
NL/FV/AER

## LIVE SESSIONS

09:00 – 12:00 Advanced Diagnostic

NL

Advanced MIS Surgical treatment of a CSF leak

JB/FV/AER

## SIH - INTERACTIVE SESSION - PART 1

11:15 - 11:30 Welcome to Freiburg CSF Center

JB/HU

11:30 - 12:15 Keynote : Chiari I basic, tips and tricks

MS

12:15 - 13:00 Break

13:00 - 13:15 SIH Clinical Spectrum and Basic imaging

AER

13:20 - 13:40 Finding the Leak

TD/EP

13:45 - 14:05 Patching and Endovascular therapy

NL/CZ

14:10 - 14:30 MIS Surgical Treatment

FV/JB

14:30 - 14:45 Break

## SIH - INTERACTIVE SESSION PART 2

14:45- 15:00 Outcome in SIH

LH

15:05 - 15:30 Basics in PDPH

AER/KW

15:35 - 15:50 Common Data Elements & Patients management

KW

15:50 - 16:10 Break

16:15- 16:45 Keynote : Orthostatic ICP

MV

16:45- 17:30 Round table

All

17:30

End - Final words