



MANAGEMENT OF "COLLAPSE?CAUSE"

Tuesday 24 June 2008

In the UK, "collapse?cause" is a common term in use in emergency departments in all hospitals. An abrupt loss of postural control is often, but not always, accompanied by transient loss of consciousness (T-LOC). Often, the first-responders and subsequent clinical reviewers find no signs or symptoms, and many common tests are unhelpful. The clinical history, supplemented by an eye-witness account, is crucial, but a number of different causes of collapse and of T-LOC may look the same. This conference aims to try and steer clinicians towards a better understanding of causes and mechanisms, clarify terminology and the key points in clinical assessment and testing.

Audience: Consultant physicians and doctors in training in emergency medicine, acute internal medicine, cardiovascular medicine, neurology, care of the elderly. In addition, specialist nurses looking after patients in primary care will find this conference useful.

This conference will be held at the

**Royal College of Physicians,
11 St Andrews Place, Regent's Park, London NW1**

Programmes and booking forms are available on-line at

www.rcplondon.ac.uk/conferences or from:

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2008

May

13th European Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology

5-8 May, 2008; Istanbul, Turkey
www.eccn2008.org/

9th European Congress of Neuropathology

8-10 May, 2008; Athens, Greece
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6th Workshop of the International Society for Musculoskeletal and Neuronal Interactions

8-11 May, 2008; Cologne, Germany
E. info@mes-berlin.com Mrs Yvonne Beetz,
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F. 49-3-07-007-895-111

V Scientific Symposium of Polish Society for Neurological Rehabilitation

9-10 May, 2008; Tarnowskie Gory, Poland
www.repty.pl

NEW

Matthew's Friends Rainbow Ball

10 May, 2008; Cophthorne, West Sussex, UK
E. julie@matthewsfriends.org
T. 07748800438

NEW

Health Care Records on Trial

13 May, 2008; Derby, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

NEW

Exploring Gait as it relates to Posture & Balance for Qualified staff

15 May, 2008; Derby, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

AAC: Basic Principles & Practical Solutions

16 May, 2008; London, UK
T. 0208 780 4500 x5140
E. institute@rhn.org.uk

1st Asian Oceania Conference of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine

16-19 May, 2008; Nanjing, China
Danny Yan
T. 86 10 62 180 141
F. 86 10 62 174 061
E. info@aocprm2008.com

5th International Symposium on Neuroprotection and Neurorepair: Cerebral Ischemia and Stroke

17-20 May, 2008; Magdeburg, Germany
T. +49(391)67-13088
E. georg.reiser@medizin.uni-magdeburg.de
www.neurorepair-2008.de/

BSRM Spring Meeting

19-20 May, 2008; Birmingham, UK
E. admin@bsrm.co.uk
T. 01992 638865

3rd National Neuroscience Nursing Conference: back to basics

20 May, 2008; London, UK
E. annehaylock@markallengroup.com

BISWG Annual General Meeting and Study Day: 'Money Matters 2'

21 May, 2008; Birmingham, UK
T/F. 0208 780 4530
E. psimonson@rhn.org.uk

Plasticity, Learning, and Development

30-31 May, 2008; London, UK
E. rosalyn.lawrence@ucl.ac.uk

Brain Injury and the Law-Scotland Event

30 May, 2008; Dunfermline, UK
T. 0131 537 6857
E. fenparry@blueyonder.co.uk/mhairi.mckay@lpct.scot.nhs.uk

Magstim/ Institute of Cognitive Neuroscience

Second TMS Summer School
30-31 May, 2008; London, UK
T. 01994 240798
E. nick.lewis@magstim.com
www.magstim.com

June

2nd Migrating Course on Epilepsy

1-8 June, 2008; Trakai, Lithuania
E. Milda.Endziniene@endziniene@gmail.com or
Petra.Novotny@epilepsy-academy.org

Signalling to Chromatin

4-8 June 2008; Cambridge, UK
<http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk>

NEW

Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo

7 June, 2008; Chelmsford, UK
E. info@physiouk.co.uk

18th Meeting of the European Neurological Society

7-11 June, 2008; Nice, France
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www.eninfo.com

NEW

Gross Motor Function Measurement Course (Bobath course)

9 June, 2008; Derby, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

6th International Society for Stem Cell Research Annual Meeting

11-14 June, 2008; Philadelphia, USA
E. isscr@isscr.org

NEW

Cervical Auscultation

12 June, 2008; Derby, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

NEW

Kinetic Control: Diagnosis of Mechanical Dysfunction & Stability of the Neck & Shoulder Girdle

13-16 June, 2008; Derby, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

Genomics of Malaria Epidemiology

15-18 June, 2008; Cambridge, UK
<http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk>

9th Eilat Conference on New Antiepileptic Drugs (EILAT IX)

15-19 June, 2008; Sitges, Spain
E. +972 3 5175155
E. eilatix@targetconf.com
www.eilat-aeds.com

NEW

Motivating the Unmotivated: helping difficult patients

17 June, 2008; Derby, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

Study Day on MND

17 June, 2008; Birmingham, UK
E. pam.aston@mndassociation.org

NEW

Clinical Trials in Neuromuscular Diseases

19-21 June, 2008; Freiburg, Germany
E. annette.pohl@uniklinik-freiburg.de
www.treat-nmd.eu/assets/documents/workshop-schedule_draft.pdf

Cognitive Rehabilitation Workshop

20-21 June, 2008; London, UK
E. enquiries@braintreetraining.co.uk
www.braintreetraining.co.uk

International Congress of Parkinson's Disease and Movement Disorders

22-26 June, 2008; Chicago, IL, USA
T. +1 414 2762145
E. info@movementdisorders.org

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Management of "Collapse/Cause"

24 June, 2008; London, UK
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The ROYAL
SOCIETY of
MEDICINE

Forthcoming Meetings

Diagnostic problems in the pain clinic

Western Rooms, Liverpool Cathedral, Liverpool,
12 June 2008

Every family matters: disability, pregnancy and parenthood

The Royal Society of Medicine
1 Wimpole Street, London, 19 June 2008

Managing poor performance in doctors - a tough nut to crack

The Royal Society of Medicine
1 Wimpole Street, London, 9 July 2008

Beyond pathways to work: health, work and well-being

The Royal Society of Medicine 1 Wimpole Street, London, 10 September 2008

Chronic fatigue syndrome

UBHT Education Centre, Bristol, 18 September 2008

Call Chloe Waite on 020 7290 3844
or book online www.rsm.ac.uk/events

NEW**Vocational Rehabilitation**

30 June, 2008; Cambridgeshire, UK
T. 01353 652176
F. 01353 652164
www.neuropage.nhs.uk
www.ozc.nhs.uk

July

Fourth International Neuroacanthocytosis Symposium: Bridging clinical and basic aspects
1-2 July, 2008; London/Oxford, UK
E. glenn@naadvocacy.org
T. 020 7937 2938

SRR Summer Meeting

2-3 July, 2008; Preston, UK
www.srr.org.uk
E. dforsshaw@uclan.ac.uk

Inflammatory Neuropathy Consortium (INC) Meeting of the Peripheral Nerve Society (PNS)

4-5 July, 2008; Paris, France
http://pns.ucsd.edu/INC.htm

ILAE UK Chapter Annual Scientific Meeting

9-11 July, 2008; Dundee, UK
E. denise@conference2k.com
T. 01323 740612
F. 01691 670302
www.ilae-uk.org.uk

Techniques & Applications of Molecular Biology

14-17 July, 2008; Coventry, UK
T. 024 7652 3540
E. Charlotte.Moonan@warwick.ac.uk

Parkinson's Academy/PD Section, British Geriatrics Society Specialist Registrar Masterclass

28 July-1 August, 2008; Truro, Cornwall
E. Red Publishing Ltd
redoffice@btinternet.com

August**NEW**

Biologising Pain with Lorimer Moseley
12 August, 2008; Nottingham, UK
E. info@physiok.co.uk

NeuSIG Satellite to the Glasgow 2008 World Congress on Pain

13-15 August, 2008; London, UK
www.kenes.com/neuropathic2008/

12th World Congress on Pain

17-22 August, 2008; Glasgow, UK
T. 001 206 547 6409
E. iaspdesk@iasp-pain.org

12th European Federation of Neurological Societies Congress

23-26 August, 2008; Madrid, Spain
F. 00 43 1 88 92 581
E. headoffice@efns.org

Interactome Networks

27-30 August, 2008; Cambridge, UK
http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk

2nd Baltic Sea Summer School on Epilepsy

31 August-1 September, 2008; Denmark
E. petra@epilepsy-academy.org

September**Genetics of Epilepsy**

September, 2008;
ILAE-VIREPA distance learning course
E. office@epilepsy-academy.org,
www.epilepsy-academy.org

EEG in the diagnosis and management of epilepsy

September, 2008; ILAE-VIREPA distance learning course
E. office@epilepsy-academy.org
www.epilepsy-academy.org

Neuroimaging

September, 2008; ILAE-VIREPA distance learning course
E. office@epilepsy-academy.org
www.epilepsy-academy.org

Clinical Pharmacology and Pharmacotherapy

September, 2008; ILAE-VIREPA distance learning course
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www.epilepsy-academy.org

NEW**Federation of the European Societies of Neuropsychology**

2-5 September, 2008; Edinburgh, UK
T. 01332 254679
www.ncore.org.uk

Genomic Perspectives to Host Pathogen Interactions

3-6 September, 2008; Cambridge, UK
http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk

Making the Evidence Work for your Patients and their Families

4-5 September, 2008; Southampton, UK
T. +44 (023) 8079 8669
F. +44 (023) 8079 4340
E. neurorehab2008@soton.ac.uk
www.neurorehab2008.soton.ac.uk

NEW**European Headache and Migraine Trust International Congress 2008**

4-7 September 2008, London, UK
E. enquiries@ehmtcongress2008.com
www.ehmtcongress2008.com
T. +44 (0)20 8979 8300

Understanding Neuroscience: an innovative approach for mental health practitioners

8-9 September, 2008; London, UK
E. annehaylock@markallengroup.com

BSS hosting the 19th Congress of the European Sleep Research Society

9-13 September, 2008; Glasgow
E. enquiries@sleeping.org.uk

ABN Autumn Scientific Meeting

10-12 September, 2008; Aviemore, UK
E. Karen.reeves@theabn.org

Genome Informatics

10-14 September, 2008; Cambridge, UK
http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk

VIIIth Congress of the EANO

12-14 September, 2008; Barcelona, Spain
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Evolution of Brain, Behaviour & Intelligence

12-14 September, 2007; Hinxton, UK
T. 01223 495000
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http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk/

NEW**'Mind in the Brain' (a Festschrift in honour of Professor Chris Frith, FRS)**

17-18 September, 2008; London, UK
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AANEM Annual Scientific Meeting

17-20 September, 2008; Providence, Rhode Island, USA
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E. aanem@aanem.org

7th Mediterranean Congress of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Medicine

18-21 September, 2008; Potorose, Slovenia
E. marincek.crt@mail.ir-rs.si

Understanding and Dealing with Behaviour Problems

19-20 September, 2008; London, UK
E. enquiries@braintretraining.co.uk
W. www.braintretraining.co.uk

Congress of Neurological Surgeons Annual Meeting

20-25 September, 2008; Orlando, USA
Congress of Neurological Surgeons
T. +847 240 2500
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E. info@ICNS.org
www.neurosurgeon.org

10th International Symposium On Thrombolysis And Acute Stroke Therapy

21-23 September, 2008; Budapest, Hungary
E. tast2008@kenes.com
www.kenes.com/tast2008

8th European Congress on Epilepsy

21-25 September, 2008; Berlin, Germany
E. berlin@epilepsycongress.org
www.epilepsyberlin2008.org

NEW**10th National Conference - Parkinson's Disease: responding to mental health issues in parkinson's**

23 September, 2008; Birmingham, UK
MA Healthcare Ltd
T. 01722 716007
F. 0207 733 8174
www.mahealthcarevents.co.uk

18th Ion Channel Meeting

23-26 September, 2007;
Presqu ile de Giens, France
E. arnaud.monteil@igf.cnrs.fr
http://congres.igh.cnrs.fr/canaux-ioniques/

5th World Congress for NeuroRehabilitation

24-27 September, 2008; Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
E: traceymole@wfnr.co.uk
www.sarah.br/wfnr-rio2008

6th World Stroke Congress

24-27 September, 2008; Vienna, Austria
E: stroke2008@kenes.com
www.kenes.com/stroke2008

International E-coli Alliance

24-28 September, 2008; Cambridge, UK
http://firstcontact.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk

October**EPDA Euroyapmeet Conference**

3-5 October, 2008; Zagreb, Croatia
E. lizzie@epda.eu.com

Advanced Cognitive Rehabilitation Workshop: Attention and Information Processing

10-11 October, 2008; Ljubljana, Slovenia
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Mental Dysfunctions in Parkinson's Disease

16-19 October, 2008; Dresden, Germany
T. +41 22 908 0488
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www.kenes.com/pdment2008

NEW**2nd World Congress on Controversies in Neurology (CONY)**

23-26 October, 2008; Athens, Greece
www.comtecmed.com/cony
E. cony@comtecmed.com

November**International Symposium on ALS/MND**

3-5 November, 2008; Birmingham, UK
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Advanced Cognitive Rehabilitation Workshop

21-22 November, 2008; London, UK
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www.braintretraining.co.uk

NEW**Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo**

22 November, 2008; Reading, UK
E: info@physiok.co.uk

2009**February****37th Annual INS Meeting**

11-14 February, 2009; Atlanta, Georgia, USA
International Neuropsychological Society
T. + (614) 263-4200
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April**61st Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Neurology**

25 April- 2 May, 2009; Seattle, WA, USA
www.aan.com

May**5th ISPRM World Congress**

9-13 May, 2009; Istanbul, Turkey
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October**AANEM Annual Scientific Meetings**

7-10 October, 2009; San Diego, California, USA
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F. + (507) 288-1225
E. aanem@aanem.org

19th World Congress of Neurology

24-30 October, 2009; Bangkok, Thailand
www.wcn2009bangkok.com

2010**April****62nd Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Neurology**

10-17 April, 2010; Toronto, Canada
www.aan.com

September**Congress of Neurological Surgeons Annual Meeting**

16-21 September, 2010; San Francisco, USA
Congress of Neurological Surgeons
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www.neurosurgeon.org

October**AANEM Annual Scientific Meetings**

6-9 October, 2010; Quebec City, Quebec, Canada
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F. + (507) 288-1225
E. aanem@aanem.org

2011**April****63rd Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Neurology**

9-16 April, 2010; Honolulu, HI
www.aan.com

September**AANEM Annual Scientific Meetings**

14-17 September, 2011; San Francisco, California, USA
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October**Congress of Neurological Surgeons Annual Meeting**

1-6 October, 2011; Washington D C, USA.
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2012**September****Congress of Neurological Surgeons Annual Meeting**

29 September-4 October, 2012;
San Francisco, USA.
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www.neurosurgeon.org

2013**October****Congress of Neurological Surgeons Annual Meeting**

19-24 October, 2013; San Francisco, USA
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