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November 06, 2026 | 09:00 AM

09:00 – 09:05	**Opening Ceremony**
Keynote Session	
09:05 – 09:30	**Title: An Interdisciplinary Collaboration Model Enhances Psychosocial Care in the NICU**
	Miller Shivers, Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, USA
09:30 – 09:55	**Title: Individual Regulatory Susceptibility to Emotionally Salient Media: Sleep and Behavioural Profiles in Children**
	Marco Carotenuto, Child Neuropsychiatry, University of Campania "Luigi Vanvitelli", ITALY
09:55 – 10:20	**Title: Multidomain Response Patterns in Autism Rehabilitation: An 18-Month Multicenter Evaluation of Neuropsychomotor and Aquatic Approaches**
	Giuditta Bargiacchi, Child Neuropsychiatry, University of Campania "Luigi Vanvitelli", ITALY
10:20 – 10:45	**Title: Defining the Phenotypic Spectrum of Biallelic ANK3-Related Cerebellar Neurodevelopmental Disorder**
	Giulia Spoto, Unit of Child Neurology and Psychiatry, University of Messina, Italy IRCCS Centro Neurolesi Bonino-Pulejo, Italy
10:45 – 11:10	**Title: Applying the PRECEDE Model to Early Childhood Dental Caries During the First 1000 Days: A Contextual Model of 1000ECDC in Venezuela to Inform the "Smiley Baby" Project**
	Alejandra Garcia-Quintana, Universidad Central de Venezuela
Plenary Speaker Session	
Session Details	**Neonatal and Infant Nutrition ||| Child and Adolescent Psychiatry ||| Pediatrics diet and breastfeeding Neonatology ||| Child & Health Nutrition ||| Pediatric Ophthalmology ||| Neonatology and Perinatology ||| Congenital Heart Disease - Approach and Management**
Session Chairperson	**Emi Ishibazawa, Asahikawa Medical University, Japan**
11:10 – 11:35	**Title: A Longitudinal Cohort Study on Weight Status Pre-, During , and Post-COVID-19 Pandemic in a Sample of Brazilian Children Aged 6 to 11 Years—2020–2025**

	Sandro Lucas Sofiati, State University of Northern Parana, Brazil
11:35 – 12:00	**Title: Adequate Glycemic Control Following Transition from Insulin to Sulfonylurea in an Infant with Permanent Neonatal Diabetes Mellitus in the Context of Intermediate DEND Syndrome (iDEND)**
	Valerios Chatzianastasiou, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece
12:00 – 12:25	**Title: Late-Onset Hypertension and Bilateral Pedal Edema in a Very Preterm Very Low Birth Weight Infant: An Atypical Presentation of Urinary Tract Infection**
	Pragati Yadav, Department of Pediatrics, India
12:25 – 12:50	**Title: Emotional Development Across Childhood and Adolescence: Integrating Psychological Assessment into Pediatric Prevention and Precision Care**
	Adelinda Araújo Candeias, School of Health and Human Development & Comprehensive Health Research Center, Portugal
12:50 – 13:15	**Title: Co-infection of Tuberculous and Cryptococcus Meningitis in a Pediatric Patient: A Rare Case Report from Sukkur, Sindh, Pakistan**
	Waqar Ahmed Sahito, Children's Hospital Sukkur, Pakistan
13:15 – 13:40	**Title: Assessing Postoperative Handover Quality Among Nurses Across Surgical and Recovery Units: A Cross-Sectional Study**
	Afnan M.Alotaibi, Ministry of Health, Saudi Arabia
13:40 – 14:05	**Title: MSSA Infective Endocarditis in an Adolescent Male with Pyomyositis and Osteomyelitis: A Severe Complication**
	Darsita Jatakia, Seth GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, India
14:05 – 14:30	**Title: Effects of a Multimodal Neurorehabilitation Program on Gross Motor Function and Activity and Participation Performance in Children with Cerebral Palsy: A 9-Month Longitudinal Study**
	Franciele Zardo, Federal University of Health Sciences of Porto Alegre (UFCSPA), RS, Brazil
14:30 – 14:55	**Title: Social Determinants of Neurodevelopmental Disorders: Associations with ADHD and ASD Among U.S. Children**
	Chika N. Onwuameze, Grambling State University, USA
14:55 – 15:20	**Title: Dental Caries and Erosion in Children with Nephrotic Syndrome on Long-Term Liquid Medications—A Cross-Sectional Observational Study**
	Adel N. Radwan, King Abdulaziz University Dental Hospital, Saudi Arabia
15:20 – 15:45	**Title: Impact of a Multidisciplinary Program in the Categorization and Management of Children with Severe Asthma**
	Alvaro Teijeiro, Hospital Pediátrico de Córdoba, Argentina
15:45 – 16:10	**Title: Digital vs. Paper Reading in Early Elementary School: Clinical Implications for Pediatric Practice**
	Tami Katzir, University of Haifa, Israel
16:10 – 16:35	**Title: Providers' Perceptions of Respectful Maternity Care and Enabling Conditions in a Regional Hospital: A Qualitative Study**
	Sthembile Zwane , University of Witwatersrand, Republic of South Africa
16:35 – 17:00	**Title: Caregiver's Perspectives Play as an Occupation for Children with Cerebral Palsy in Mankweng Tertiary Hospital, Limpopo Province**

	Junior Phuti Dzivhani, University of Witwatersrand, South Africa

Closing Ceremony

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