

European Robotic Rehabilitation School – V Edition

IRCCS San Raffaele, Rome, Italy

Rome, February 9th- 13rd 2026*Promoted by**European Union of Medical Specialists - Section and Board of Physical & Rehabilitation Medicine**European Society of Physical & Rehabilitation Medicine**Italian Society of Physical & Rehabilitation Medicine**Italian Society of Neurorehabilitation*

New Technologies in Rehabilitation

Evidence of effectiveness in the Individual Rehabilitation Plan

Management and implementation in different fields and settings

Doses of treatment in rehabilitation: intensity, duration, and repetitions

Monday, February 9th- Day 1**SCHOOL OPENING: EVIDENCE-BASED MEDICINE (EBM) IN STRENGTHENING REHABILITATION IN EU HEALTH SYSTEMS TO OPTIMIZE PATIENT CARE**

Chairs: A. Giustini & M. Franceschini

OPENING SESSION (14:00 – 16:00)**IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE CONFERENCE HALL, VIA DI VAL CANNUTA 247****Greetings (in alphabetical order)**

- N. Barotsis • F. Gimigliano • A. Oral
- A. De Tanti • K. Grabljevec • S. Zammit
- C. Foti • G. Iolascon • M. Zampolini

COFFEE BREAK**AFTERNOON SESSION (16:15-18.45)**

Chairs: A. Giustini & M. Franceschini

- **UEMS Position Paper 2.0: New Technologies to Improve Functioning** – S. Pournajaf (M. Zampolini, A. Giustini, M. Franceschini, G. Morone, F. Gimigliano, S. Straudi)
- **From world clinical experiences to meet literature** – F. Gimigliano
- **Recommendations to upgrade common methodologies and safety for patients** – M. Zampolini
- **Future Perspectives of Rehabilitation of People with Movement Disorders** – F. Stocchi
- **Advances in Robotic Rehabilitation in China** – J. Xu
- **Presentation of San Raffaele technological Gym** – M. Goffredo

Discussion panel with Speakers

PROGRAM

Tuesday, February 10th Day 2**MORNING SESSION (9:00 – 13:00)****PRECISION REHABILITATION: FROM COMMON REGULATION AND CLINICAL EXPERIENCE TO PERSONALIZED TREATMENT**

Chairs: K. Grabljevec & G. Iolascon

- **Different fields for Rehabilitation activities** – K. Grabljevec
- **Integrating Robotic Rehabilitation into Clinical Care: Organizational and Regulatory Perspectives** – R.S. Calabrò
- **Cicerone Italian Consensus Conference: Main Indications and Recommendations** – P. Boldrini
- **Cycles of treatment: Economic implications and the impact on clinical practice** – D. Popa

COFFEE BREAK

DATA-DRIVEN APPROACH: TREATMENT PLAN, PROGRAMS OR TREATMENT CYCLES

- **In Italy** – A. Bernetti
- **In other Countries** – S. Zammit
- **Personalized (Individual) rehabilitation plan: Integrating daily dose planning with different training methods in relation with Aims** – S. Laxe

Discussion panel with Speakers

LUNCH BREAK

AFTERNOON SESSION (15:00 – 17:30) – PRACTICAL TRAINING AT IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE REHABILITATION CENTER, VIA PISANA 235Wednesday, February 11th Day 3**MORNING SESSION (9:00 – 13.00)**

Chairs: A. Oral & I. Treger

TREATMENT MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATION: TODAY AND FUTURE

- **Recent Development for Advanced technologies** – F. Grubisic
- **Integrated protocols: Combining different rehabilitation approaches** – S. Laxe
- **Measuring and documenting outcomes: Best practices** – J. Treger
- **Integration and synergy in the treatment Gym** – A. Waldner (via Web)

COFFEE BREAK

- **Technological integration: Low-cost and high-tech solutions** – F. De Pandis
- **Critical challenges & sustainability** – S. Mazzoleni
- **Innovative Technologies to support Rehabilitation after Cardiovascular Conditions** – G. Caminiti

Discussion Panel with the Speakers

LUNCH BREAK

AFTERNOON SESSION (15:00 – 17:30) – PRACTICAL TRAINING AT IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE REHABILITATION CENTER, VIA PISANA 235

Thursday, February 12th - Day 4

MORNING SESSION (9:00 – 13:00) ADVANCING RESEARCH IN REHABILITATION

Chairs: F. Bressi – MG Ceravolo

- **Introduction-World Perspectives** – S. Negrini
- **Rehabilitation perspectives** – F. Bressi
- **Neuroplasticity and rehabilitation** – P. Rossini
- **From Innovation to Application: A Short History of Technology in Rehabilitation Research** – M. Petrarca

COFFEE BREAK

- **Education & training of MD and professionals** – MG Ceravolo
- **Tailored rehabilitation strategies for paediatric Rare Diseases** – F. Vigeveno
- **AI and Technology- innovation in collaboration with industry** – M. Pirini

Discussion Panel with the Speakers

LUNCH BREAK

AFTERNOON SESSION (15:00 – 17:30) – PRACTICAL TRAINING AT IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE REHABILITATION CENTER, VIA PISANA 235

Friday, February 13th - Day 5

MORNING SESSION (9:00 – 13:00) DOSAGE: QUALITY AND QUANTITY?

Chairs: M. Zampolini & F. Posteraro

- **Measuring interventions and, sessions: minutes and professionals** – F. Posteraro
- **International situation** – A. Giustini
- **Needs on measurement of functional outcomes** – G. Morone
- **Innovative technologies for assessment and personalized rehabilitation** – F. Infarinato

COFFEE BREAK

- **Dosage: current situation in some countries in the World** – M. Zampolini
- **Data from Literature** – I. Aprile
- **Beyond the Dose: Tailoring Robotic Therapy to Patient Needs** – F. Tamburella

Closing Session and Certificate Presentation at 13:00

PROGRAM

Scientific Committee (in alphabetical order)

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School Organization & Logistics



Daily schedule:

9:00 – 17:30 with a lunch break at 13:15

- Morning theoretical sessions at IRCCS San Raffaele Conference Hall - via di Val Cannuta 247
- Light Lunch - IRCCS San Raffaele Research Center Conference Hall
- Afternoon practical sessions at IRCCS San Raffaele Rehabilitation Center - via della Pisana 235, with minibus transportation provided.

Tutoring and Support:

On-site tutors (MD, PT, ST, OT, Bioengineer) will assist participants during the hands-on sessions.

Each device manufacturer will also provide a technical representative.

Educational Approach



The School continues its mission to introduce young European Rehabilitation professionals to cutting-edge rehabilitation technologies.

Participants will engage with real-world case studies and innovative devices.

Educational materials will be available on the School's online learning platform.

Participation is limited to 40 Rehabilitation Professionals (MDs, PRM specialists and residents, PTs, OTs, Biomedical Engineers) to ensure a high level of interaction and effective hands-on training in the technological gym.

Organisational Aspects



Participation is limited to 40 Rehabilitation Professionals (MDs, PRM specialists and residents, PTs, OTs, Biomedical Engineers) to ensure a high level of interaction with the faculty and effective hands-on training in the technological gym. Part of these participants are young PRM specialists recruited by ESPRM and the UEMS Section and Board of PRM.

Transfers and accessibility



Transfers will be provided :

- from IRCCS San Raffaele – Via Val Cannuta to IRCCS San Raffaele – Via Pisana (clinical site)
- from IRCCS San Raffaele – Via Pisana back to the hotel arranged by the organization.

The Via Val Cannuta venue is within walking distance (approximately 10 minutes) from the official hotel.

Registration Fee



- €800 (including hotel accommodation)
- €600 (without accommodation)

The registration fee includes:

- Participation in all scientific sessions and hands-on training
- Coffee breaks and light lunches
- Indicated transfers
- Course materials

No refund will be available after registration is completed.

Registration and Payment Modality



Registration is expected by 30 november 2025 and confirmed upon receipt of:

1. The completed registration form
2. Proof of payment

Payment must be made by bank transfer to the account indicated in the registration form.

A confirmation email will be sent once payment has been received.

For registration and further information, please contact: errschool2026@gmail.com

INFORMATION

