

HAND THERAPY Symposium

PROGRAM

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PROGRAM

DAY 1 | November 13, 2026

08:00 - 08:20	Registration	
08:20 - 08:25	Welcome Remarks	Dr. Sami Hassan <i>UAE</i> Mr. Mohamud Amin <i>UAE</i> Ms. Cecile Michau <i>UAE</i>
SESSION 1		
08:25 - 09:05	Flexor Tendon Rehabilitation	Ms. Michelle Razo <i>UK</i>
09:05 - 09:35	Peripheral Nerve Entrapments	Ms. Alison Taylor <i>USA</i>
09:35 - 10:05	Tendon Transfers in the Hand	Ms. Syeda Ahmed <i>Qatar</i>
10:05 - 10:25	Brachial Plexus Rehabilitation: Key Lessons from the Visit to NUH Hand and Microsurgery Unit, Singapore	Mr. Mohamud Amin <i>UAE</i> Ms. Sabina Michau <i>UAE</i>
10:25 - 10:35	Q&A	

10:35 - 10:50	Opening Ceremony
10:50 - 11:00	Coffee Break
SESSION 2	
11:00 - 11:30	Managing Athletic Hand Injuries Mr. Michael Mueller <i>USA</i>
11:30 - 12:00	Median Nerve Entrapment (Lacertus Syndrome) Dr. Mariam Mowafaq Odeibat <i>UAE</i>
12:00 - 12:20	Outreach Experience in East Africa Hand and Upper Extremity Rehabilitation Ms. Sabina Michau <i>UAE</i> Mr. Marlon Labot <i>UAE</i>
12:20 - 12:40	Camouflage Therapy - Hand and Burn Scars Ms. Hala Tayseer Alsaleem <i>UAE</i> Ms. Intisar Mohamoud <i>UAE</i>
12:40 - 12:50	Q&A

12:50 - 13:50	Prayer and Lunch Break
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SESSION 3

13:50 - 14:10	OA and Joint Replacements	Ms. Cecile Michau <i>UAE</i>
14:10 - 14:50	Extensor Tendon Rehabilitation	Ms. Michelle Razo <i>UK</i>
14:50 - 15:20	Compartment Syndrome	Ms. Syeda Ahmed <i>Qatar</i>
15:20 - 15:50	Advanced Orthotics and Prosthetics Care for the Upper Limb	Ms. Zinet Biscevic <i>UAE</i>
15:50 - 16:20	CMC Joint Replacement	Ms. Ingrid Griessel <i>South Africa</i>
16:20 - 16:50	Complex Patient - Case Study	Ms. Pravitha Gopinathan <i>UAE</i> Ms. May Lusoc Franco <i>UAE</i>
16:50 - 17:00	Q&A	

MORNING SESSION

09:00 - 10:00

Decoding the Wrist: Differential Diagnosis Workshop - Part 1

Ms. Michelle Razo | *UK*

10:00 - 10:20

Coffee Break

10:20 - 12:15

Decoding the Wrist: Differential Diagnosis Workshop - Part 2

Ms. Michelle Razo | *UK*

12:15- 13:30

Lunch Break

ORTHOTIC FABRICATION WORKSHOP

13:30 - 15:30

Relative Motion, Flexor Hood and Short Arc Motion Splint

Ms. Michelle Razo | *UK*

15:30

Closing and Awards Ceremony

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