

Urological management of Spina bifida during childhood and adolescence – what happens when entering adulthood?



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- 10.45 **Introduction:**
Spina bifida – urologic management from childhood to adolescence
Enrique Jaureguizar
La Paz University Hospital, Madrid, Spain
- 11.05 **Working with children and adolescents with myelomeningocele – what is the role of a pediatric Urotherapist?**
Magdalena Vu Minh Arnell
Queen Silvia Children’s Hospital, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 11.20 **Adults with myelomeningocele – what happened urologically after leaving childhood?**
Magdalena Vu Minh Arnell
- 11.35 **Discussion**
- 11.45 **End of session**

Content of symposium

During this symposium we will discuss frequency of bladder dysfunction and guidelines for managing those symptoms in children and adolescence. The content will cover urological management both from a pediatric urologist and a nursing point of view.

Message and aim with symposium

To convey the importance of good urological management, CIC training and education. To discuss that CIC changed the survival of Spina Bifida – patients reach adulthood. Discuss the importance of follow-up on bladder management, independently of age.