The 2007 Soria Moria course on sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS) and pediatric forensic medicine and pathology

November 29-December 1, 2007
Place: Soria Moria Hotel and Conference Centre, Voksenkollveien 60, Oslo, Norway
Room: Lille sal

Arranged by
Unexpected Child Death Society of Norway
Institute of Forensic Medicine, Oslo

Programme

November 29 – Thursday
08.30: Registration
09.00: Introduction and welcome. Torleiv Ole Rognum

Sudden unexpected death in infancy and early childhood – International trends
09.05: Implementation of the new approach to child death investigation in the UK – preliminary lessons. Peter Fleming
09.15: Issues and developments in Germany. Martin Schlaud
09.35: Issues and developments in Japan. Toshimasa Obonai
09.45: Issues and developments in Norway. Arne Stray-Pedersen
09.55: Discussion

10.05: Coffee

Sudden Infant Death Syndrome – Diagnostic issues
10.25: Does SIDS still exist? Susan Beal
10.55: Labelling of SIDS. Christina Poethko-Müller
11.10: Proposal for an international classification of SUDI. Peter Blair
11.25: Is the San Diego definition working? Thomas Bajanowski
11.45: Discussion

12.00: Lunch

Diagnostic approaches – forensic investigation in cases of abuse
13.00: Serotonergic imbalance in SIDS. David Paterson
13.20: Circadian rhythms and sudden unexpected death. Mike Wailoo
13.40: Biological, social and environmental effects on the development of thermoregulation in infants. Peter Fleming
14.00: How reliable is reported sleeping position in cases of unexpected infant death? Roger W. Byard

14.30: Coffee
14.45: Eye investigation. Sigrid Omland
15.15: Neuroradiological examination. Olof Flodmark
15.45: Brain oedema in none accidental head injury. Tryggve Lundar
16.10: Diagnostic impact of subdural bleedings in infants – Analysis of a large cohort of neuropathologic autopsies. Jakob Matschke
16.30: Discussion/coffee

Clinical forensic medicine/pathology
16.45: Issues and approaches to sexual abuse in infancy and early childhood. Jytte Banner
17.10: Dating of injuries. Roger W. Byard
17.30: Presentation of the ISPID Award for outstanding contribution to the study of SIDS and infant deaths – 2007
18.00: Editorial meeting for the Scandinavian Journal of Forensic Medicine
   ISPID board meeting

20.00: Dinner

November 30 – Friday

Diagnostic approaches – Forensic investigation in cases of abuse, continuing from Thursday
08.30: Myocarditis – new diagnostic approaches. Thomas Bajanowski/ Antti Sajantila
09.00: Microbiological investigation – significance of time lap after death. Ingvild Lobmaier
09.20: Growth of pneumococci in SUDI – preventions by vaccination? Åshild Vege
09.40: Microbiological investigation in Munchausen syndrome by proxy – potential proof? Roger W Byard
10.00: Coffee
10.15: Genetic predisposition for SIDS: Cytokine gene polymorfisms. Siri Hauge Opdal
10.25: Serotonin transporter gene variation. David Paterson
10.35: LQTS. Marianne Arnestad
10.45: The right to know and not to know – ethical issues v/Bjørn Hofmann
11.10: Discussion
11.30: Break

Workshop - Inflicted trauma or accident?
11.35: A clinician’s view on head trauma. Jens Grøgaard
   Child maltreatment/death.
11.55: Reconstruction – the role of the forensic expert. Arne Stray-Pedersen/
   Torleiv Ole Rognum
12.10: Two suspects – the dilemma of the prosecution. Riksadvokaten v/Ingunn Fossgard
12.30: Child maltreatment/death. Two suspects – the dilemma of the prosecution. R. Byard
12.45: Discussion
13.00: Lunch
14.00: Medico legal problem cases. Toshiko Sawaguchi
14.30: Controversies in shaken baby syndrome. Jan Sperhake
15.00: Commonly asked questions in court. Roger W. Byard

15.20: Discussion/coffee

16.00-17.00: ISPID working groups
17.00-18.00: ISPID general assembly
20.00: Dinner

December 1 - Saturday

Hot topics in SIDS research/Proffered papers
09.00: Proffered papers
10.15: Discussion/coffee
10.45: Proffered papers
12.00: Check out
12.30: Lunch

Kursavgift kr 2.000,-. Regning blir tilsendt. Påmelding til a.g.winge@medisin.uio.no
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