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Curriculum Interventional Psychiatry



The SGIP-SSPI offers a curricular training in the field of interventional psychiatry.

The curriculum covers a broad spectrum aiming to cover the methodology of interventional electrical treatment methods used in psychiatry.

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The curriculum is an obligatory part of the theoretical education to achieve the SIWF accredited certificate in *Interventional Psychiatry*.

The curriculum should preferably parallel the practical training. It is structured in such a way that a total of 10 afternoon courses are offered over a period of 2 years with 5 afternoon courses offered per year. On each course afternoon, 4 credits are taught, thus 40 credits are totally offered in two years. For the certificate in *Interventional Psychiatry* 32 of these credits must be acquired.

Entry is possible at any time. Participation in the course is possible for everyone, regardless of their profession. Participation in the course will be charged with CHF 400 per afternoon (for 4 credits).

The courses will take place in Bern, University Hospital of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Murtenstrasse 21. Teaching will be done in English.

The exact dates and venue of the next course afternoons can be found in the *Further Training section* on our website: www.sgip-sspi.ch/training

Module	Topic
1	History Basics of Physiology and Pathophysiology
2	Neuroanatomy Basics of cerebral imaging
3	Legal and ethical aspects On the Equipment quality and safety standards
4	Anaesthesiological aspects and cooperation Electrophysiology and neurobiological mechanisms of ECT
5	Special indications for ECT Contraindications and risk patients
6	Aspects of long term/maintenance ECT Scientific evidence and research update on ECT
7	Electrophysiology and neurobiological mechanisms of TMS Technical aspects of TMS Different forms/protocols of TMS as a diagnostic and therapeutic method Safety guidelines
8	Indications and efficacy of TMS including special indications patient evaluation and (pre-existing) medication Side effects and emergency situations Contraindications and risk patients
9	Preparatory diagnostics and implementation of TMS with patient information and risk management Aspects of long term/maintenance TMS therapy Scientific evidence and research update on TMS
10	Deep brain stimulation (DBS) and neurosurgery Further invasive and non-invasive brain stimulation procedures Technical aspects of these procedures Scientific evidence and research update on these methods