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Tricuspid Regurgitation Integrated Care:
A multidisciplinary approach for Repair and replacement

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PCR Tricuspid Focus Group



AGENDA

THURSDAY

NOVEMBER 5, 2026

SESSION 1: TRICUSPID VALVE ANATOMY & PATHOPHYSIOLOGY

- 15.00 Welcome and Course Introduction
Giuseppe Speziale, Alfredo Marchese
- 15.10 Functional Anatomy of the Tricuspid Valve
Angelo Squeri
- 15.25 Mechanisms of Tricuspid Regurgitation
Sergio Suma
- 15.40 Natural History and Clinical Impact of tricuspid regurgitation
Francesca Mantovani
- 15.55 Management of tricuspid regurgitation: etiology-driven scenarios
Francesco Maisano
- 16.10 **DISCUSSION**
- 16.30 Simulation Session 1: Anatomy of the tricuspid valve (porcine heart)
Francesco Maisano

17.00 COFFEE BREAK

SESSION 2: MULTIMODALITY IMAGING IN TRICUSPID REGURGITATION

- 17.20 Transthoracic Echocardiography: Quantification & Pitfalls
Valeria De Luca
- 17.45 Transesophageal Echocardiography (2D/3D)
Corrado Fiore
- 18.00 Intracardiac imaging of the tricuspid valve
Angelo Squeri
- 18.15 Discussion & Key Take-Home Messages

AGENDA FRIDAY NOVEMBER 6, 2026

SESSION 3: MEDICAL THERAPY FOR SEVERE TR

- 08.30 Optimal medical therapy: what do we mean?
Guido Belli
- 08.45 The congested TR patient: can we do better than loop diuretics?
Nicola Forzati
- 09.00 Timing of intervention: when is it too early or too late?
Marianna Adamo

09.15 DISCUSSION

SESSION 4: TRICUSPID TEER

- 09.30 Patient Selection for TEER
Tommaso Viva
- 09.45 Devices and Technologies
Francesco Bedogni
- 10.00 Step-by-Step Procedure
Laura Sanchis
- 10.15 Current clinical Evidence
Roberto Nerla
- 10.30 DISCUSSION
- 10.45 LIVE IN THE BOX – TEER Case
Mattia Cubich
- 11.00 Simulation Session 1
- 11.30 COFFEE BREAK

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FRIDAY

NOVEMBER 6, 2026

SESSION 5: TRANSCATHETER TRICUSPID VALVE REPLACEMENT (TTVR)

- 11.45 Anatomical Screening & CT Planning
Fabio Fazzari
- 12.00 Device Landscape (orthotopic TTVR)
Federico De Marco
- 12.15 Eterotopic implantation
Paolo Sbarzaglia
- 12.30 Clinical outcomes of the available devices
Maurizio Taramasso
- 12.45 **DISCUSSION**
- 13.00 **LIVE IN THE BOX – TTVR Case**
Federico De Marco
- 13.15 **Simulation Session 2**
- 13.45 **LUNCH BREAK**

SESSION 6: SURGICAL APPROACHES

- 14.30 Surgical Indications in the Modern Era
Carlo Savini
- 14.45 Repair Techniques
Alberto Tripodi
- 15.00 Replacement Strategies
Simone Calvi
- 15.15 **DISCUSSION**
- 15.30 **LIVE IN THE BOX – Surgical case**
Elisa Mikus
- 15.45 **Simulation Session 3**
- 16.15 **Final Remarks & Take-Home Messages**

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GENERAL INFORMATION

EVENT LOCATION

Conference Area - IRCCS Maria Cecilia Hospital
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REGISTRATION

For Registration please visit <https://mics.mitralacademy.it/it-it/academy.it>

SIMULATION SESSIONS

Anatomical station: porcine heart

Station n.1: TEER

Station n.2: MrTEEmothy simulator

Station n.3: TTVR

Three groups will rotate among the three stations during the scheduled sessions in order to achieve 90 min of simulation training for each participant.

CME PROVIDER

GVM Campus (6028)

CME ACCREDITATION

The event has been assigned n. 10 Italian CME credits for Physicians (Cardiology, Cardiac Surgery, Anaesthesia and Resuscitation, Internal Medicine, Vascular Surgery, General Medicine, Radiodiagnostics), Cardiovascular Physiopathology and Cardiovascular Perfusion Technicians, Medical Radiology Technicians, Nurses. Training objective: Technical-professional contents (knowledge and expertise) specific for each profession, specialisation and ultra-speciality activity

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