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**SIO POST-GRADUATE COURSE**  
**PARMA, April 10-12, 2014**  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF THE PARMA COUNTY



**HOW TO FACE OBESITY CHALLENGE:  
FROM BENCH TO BEDSIDE**

*Satellite Course to the  
MENARINI FOUNDATION  
SYMPOSIUM N. 247*

**GLOBESITY AND  
ITS METABOLIC  
AND DIGESTIVE  
CONSEQUENCES**



**SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM**

**PRESIDENTS** Carmelo Scarpignato, MD, DSc, PharmD – Claudio Borghi, MD, PhD

## THURSDAY, April 10, 2014

### SIO – POST-GRADUATE COURSE – First part

#### HOW TO FACE OBESITY CHALLENGE: FROM BENCH TO BEDSIDE

- 11:00** | ■ Obesity: Pathophysiology and Clinical Picture  
**Michele Carruba** (*Milan, Italy*)
- 11:30** | ■ Obesity, Aging & Nutrition: the Challenge of Complexity  
**Enzo Nisoli** (*Milan, Italy*)
- 12:00** | *Questions & Answers*
- 12:30** | ■ Management of Obesity:  
Nutritional and Pharmacological Approach  
**Elisabetta Dall’Aglio** (*Parma, Italy*)
- 12:50** | *Questions & Answers*
- 13:00** | Light Buffet
- 14:00** | ■ Psychopathology Factors Affecting Obesity Treatment  
**Chiara De Panfilis** (*Parma, Italy*)
- 14:20** | ■ Management of Obesity: Behavioral Therapy  
**Lorenza Bicchieri** (*Parma, Italy*)
- 14:40** | *Questions & Answers*
- 15:00** | ■ Endoscopic Treatment of Obesity:  
Final Solution or Bridge to Bariatric Surgery?  
**Giorgio Ricci** (*Ferrara, Italy*)
- 15:20** | ■ Bariatric Surgery: Restrictive or Malabsorptive Procedures?  
**Marcello Lucchese** (*Florence, Italy*)
- 15:40** | *Questions & Answers*

#### 18:00 – 20:00 MENARINI FOUNDATION SYMPOSIUM N. 247

- | **OPENING CEREMONY**
- | **OPENING LECTURE**

## FRIDAY, April 11, 2014

09:00 – 19:00 **MENARINI FOUNDATION SYMPOSIUM N. 247**

- **SESSION I**  
**EPIDEMIOLOGY AND PATHOPHYSIOLOGY OF OBESITY**
- **SESSION II**  
**METABOLIC CONSEQUENCES OF OBESITY**

## SATURDAY, April 12, 2014

09:00 – 14:00 **MENARINI FOUNDATION SYMPOSIUM N. 247**

- **SESSION III**  
**DIGESTIVE CONSEQUENCES OF OBESITY**
- **SESSION IV**  
**MEDICAL AND SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF OBESITY**

## SATURDAY, April 12, 2014

**POST-GRADUATE COURSE – Second part**

### **HOW TO FACE OBESITY CHALLENGE: FROM BENCH TO BEDSIDE**

- 15:00** ■ The Obese Patient with GERD:  
Antireflux Surgery or Bariatric Surgery?  
**Sandro Contini** (Parma, Italy)
- 15:30** *Discussion between experts and audience*
- 16:00** ■ The Obese Pregnant Woman with Comorbidities:  
How to Cope with?  
**Anna Bertelé** (Parma, Italy)
- 16:30** *Discussion between experts and audience*
- 17:00** ■ Emergency and Elective Abdominal Surgery in the Obese Patient:  
How to Afford It?  
**Federico Marchesi** (Parma, Italy)
- 17:30** *Discussion between experts and audience*

## SIO POST-GRADUATE COURSE PARMA, April 10-12, 2014



### CONGRESS VENUE

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### HOW TO REGISTER

**Registration to the Course is free.**

Please, contact the Organizing Secretariat.