

Live OBPP Course



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2nd Live OBPP course: **Secondary procedures** Clinical exam and surgeries Havana, 6th to 8th November 2025

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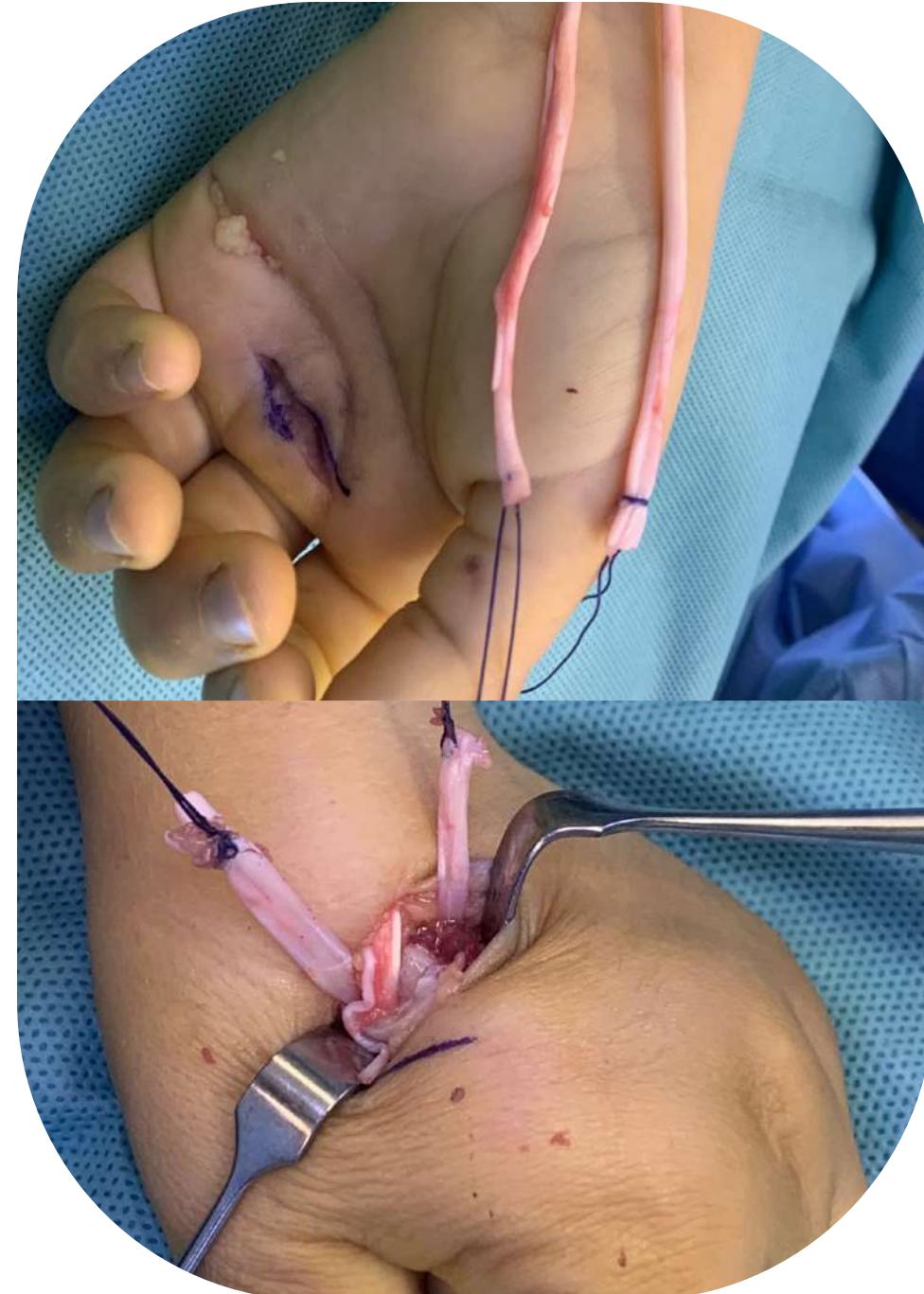
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Introduction:

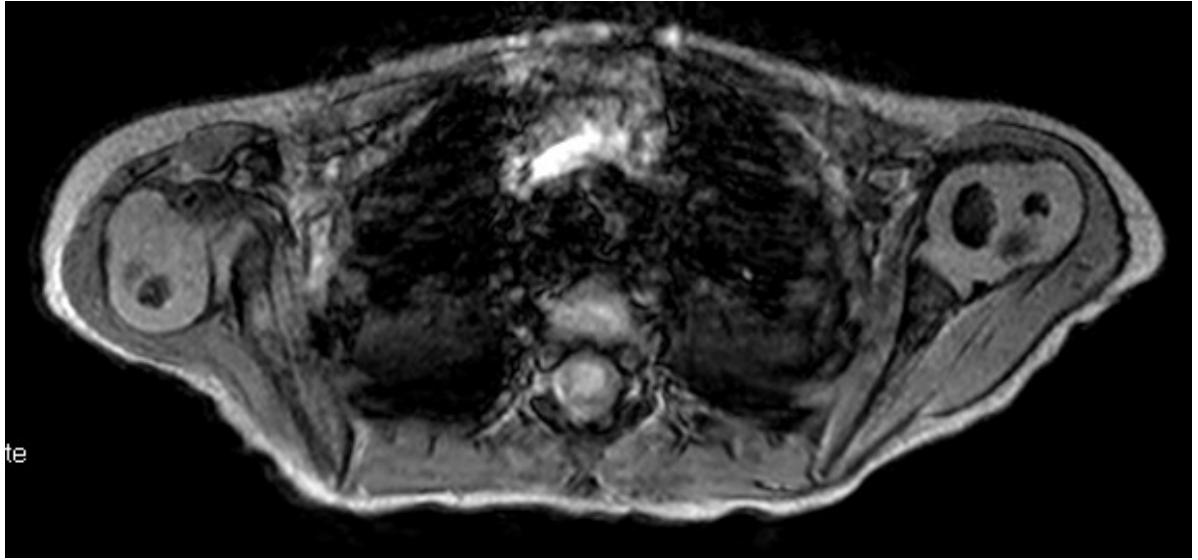
Most surgeries in OBPP are used to correct secondary deformities or late deficits

Still significant room for improvement.
Neonatal plexus is not like adult BPI. We should not disregard factors such as co-contractions and growth.

We will keep practical: live clinical examinations, surgical exploration, and the implementation of surgical techniques.

Renowned experts will make it possible.





Course Overview:

Practical course: live clinical examinations, surgical exploration, and technique implementation.

Provide participants with a deeper understanding of the rationale and decision-making behind each expert's approach.

Enhance knowledge and skills in diagnosing OBPP secondary deficits or deformities, performing surgical reconstructions, and employing specialized techniques such as late nerve transfers, MSK procedures, and gracilis transplant.

Course Schedule (Day 1)

Clinical Examinations and Discussion

Blinded clinical examinations on multiple infants by the experts



Explanation of their examination technique, diagnosis, and proposed reconstruction.



Discussion on disparities between experts rationale, faculty and audience.



Course Schedule (Days 2 and 3)

Live Surgeries and Special Techniques

Shoulder:

- Glenoid osteotomy (Hupyan S)
- Humeral Osteotomy (Medial arm approach (Kozin S) / Orthokids Precise derotation (Sha M))
- External rotation nerve transfers: SAN-IE (Nietosvaara Y), Tc or lower subescap -Tminor (Soldado F)
- Lower trap to infraspinatus tendon trasnfer (Hupyan S)
- Percutaneous subscapularis release: Proximal (Sha M) Distal (Soldado F)
- Pectoralis minor to subscapularis (Bertelly J)
- Hoffer procedure (Nietosvaara Y)

Elbow:

- ICN to triceps or MCN for cocontractions (Bertelli J)
- Lower Trap-Triceps (Bharwadj P)

Forearm:

- One Bone Forearm (Kozin S)
- Forearm fusion periosteal flap (Soldado F)

Wrist:

- FDS for wrist extension (Kozin S)
- Wrist fusion (Barwhadj P)
- Wrist flexion restoration (Barwhadj P)

Thumb Fingers:

- Finger extension restoration (Barwhadj P)

Conclusion:

- Practical course offering : live surgeries and discussions
- Practical learning diagnosing, exploring, and surgically treating OBPP.
- *Remember, "Formación es Felicidad!" (Training is Happiness!).*



Registration and information:

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