



22nd Emirates Critical Care Conference

"From Evidence to Excellence: The Future of Critical Care"

Emergency Neurological Life Support (ENLS) Course

8 May 2026

InterContinental Hotel Dubai, UAE



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What to do in the critical first hours of a neurological emergency?

- The Emergency Neurological Life Support (ENLS) course is designed to help healthcare professionals improve patient care and outcomes during the critical first hours of a patient's neurological emergency.
- ENLS demonstrates a collaborative, multi-disciplinary approach and provides a consistent set of protocols, practical checklists, decision points, and suggested communication to use during patient management.
- This activity is designated for a maximum of 15 AMA PRA CME, ANCC, ACPE and CECBEMS credits upon completion. A certificate can be obtained online.

Course Registration Fees

Registration Categories	Registration Rates
Physicians	1000 AED
Non Physicians	500 AED



Entry by Registration Only

Day 1 - 8 May 2026, Friday

ENLS Course



08:30 - 08:35	Introduction to ENLS	Katja Wartenberg
Session		
08:35 - 09:00	Airway, Ventilation and Sedation	Hussam Elkambergy
09:00 - 09:25	Approach to the comatose patient	Sana Alkhawaja
09:25 - 09:50	Intracranial Hypertension and Herniation	Sarah Livesay
09:50 - 10:00	Discusson	
10:00 - 10:30	Opening ceremony	
10:30 - 11:00	Inauguration of exhibition	
Session		
11:00 - 11:30	Resuscitation after Cardiac Arrest	Mary Kay Bader
11:30 - 12:00	Acute Non-Traumatic Weakness	Hussam Elkambergy
12:00 - 12:30	Spinal Cord Compression	Susan Yeager
12:30 - 13:00	Meningitis and Encephalitis	Jamil Dibuj
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch break	
Session		
14:30 - 15:00	Acute ischemic stroke	Lucie Pelunkova
15:00 - 15:30	Subarachnoid Hemorrhage	Yasser Abulhasan
15:30 - 16:00	Intracerebral Hemorrhage	Katja Wartenberg
16:00 - 16:30	Traumatic Brain Injury	Lori Shutter
16:30 - 16:45	Coffee break	
Session		
16:45 - 17:10	Traumatic Spinal Cord Injury	Matthew Kirschen
17:10 - 17:40	Status epilepticus	Emma Mazzio
17:40 - 18:05	Pharmacotherapy	Tamer Abdelhak
18:05 - 18:30	BRAIN Care	Katja Wartenberg
18:30 - 18:45	Discussion and Evaluation	All faculty
19:00	End of Day 1	