

**ABDOMINAL SONOGRAPHY**  
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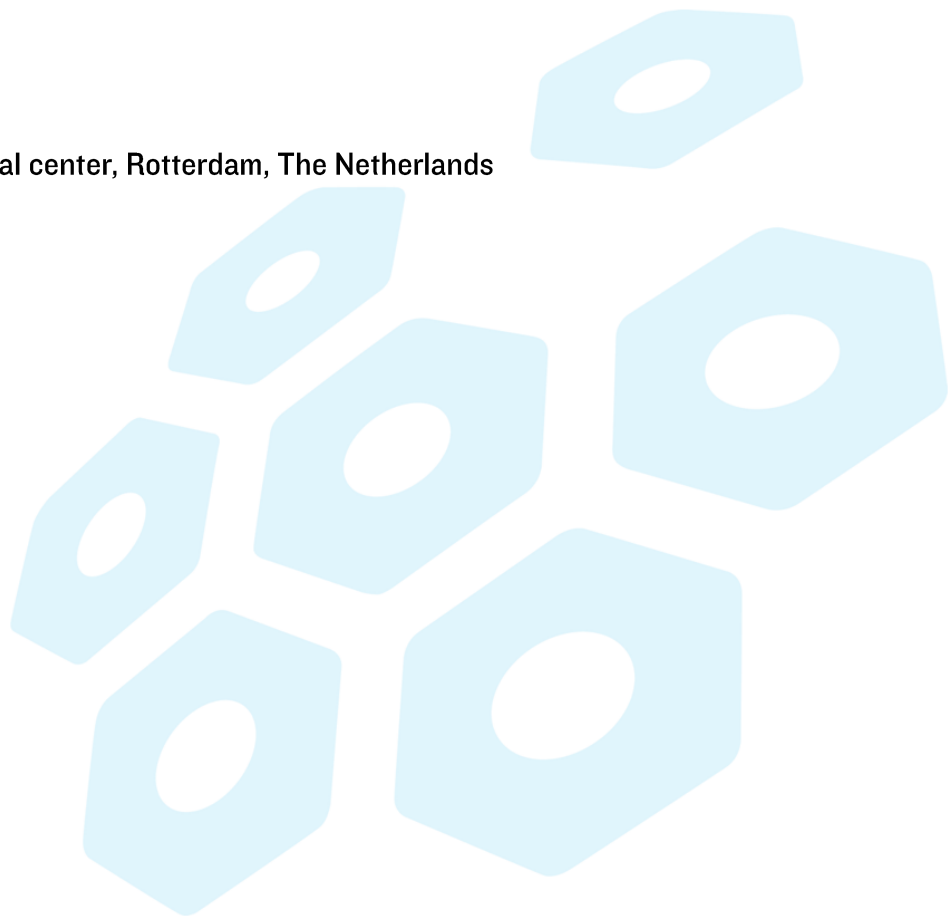
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## **PROGRAMME**

### **DAY I**

09:20-09:30 Welcome

09:30-09:45 Why should a hepatologist perform sonography?

09:45-10:00 Liver biopsy: its role in today's hepatology.

10:00-10:15 Liver elastography: its role in today's hepatology

10:15-11:00 Live demonstration: How to perform abdominal sonography

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-13:00 Abdominal sonography on healthy volunteers (groups of 4 per tutor)

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:00 Abdominal sonography on healthy volunteers (groups of 4 per tutor)

15:00-15:15 Major liver diseases: diffuse liver disease, liver cirrhosis, portal hypertension.

15:15-15:30 Major liver diseases: focal liver lesions, biliary and gallbladder disease, vascular liver disease.

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:00-16:16 Theoretical introduction to sonography simulators.

16:15-17:45 Abdominal sonography on simulators (groups of 4 per tutor)

17:45-18:15 Sonography Quiz

18:15 Dinner

## **DAY 2**

**09:00-10:30** Abdominal sonography on simulators (groups of 4 per tutor)

**10:30-10:45** Coffee break

**10:45-12:00** Abdominal sonography on 'real' patients

**12:00-12:15** Regulatory and other issues about abdominal sonography: hardware, quality control, societies, education, licensing etc.

**12:15-13:00** What did we learn? Sonography Quiz /Examination

**13:00-13:15** Granting of certificates and farewell

**13:15** Lunch

