

Temporal Encephalocele-associated Epilepsy Consortium

The general aim of this consortium is to clarify the pathophysiology of temporal encephaloceles (TE) and to determine its role in structural epilepsy. Based on these data and results, a classification of TE will be proposed.

TE are a rare but increasingly reported etiology of epilepsy. As explorative case series only offer limited validity, larger study populations are necessary for an improved insight into this entity. Questions of interest refer to etiology, epileptogenicity, associated pathological findings and personalized management.

In this regard, the first inaugural meeting of the Temporal Encephalocele associated Epilepsy – Consortium took place on 27th August 2018 at the 13th European Congress on Epileptology (ECE) in Vienna. While numerous cases were discussed, clearly more data is required for quality analysis.

We would therefore cordially invite you to join our open multicenter study.

If you have patients diagnosed with TE -associated epilepsy, please contact us through the online form linked below (preferably in Excel (for cohorts) or PPT format (for single cases of families)).

Best regards,

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