6th GERIATRICS and GERONTOLOGY COURSE

Was Performed in 7-11 May, 2018 in Neva Palace Hotel Ankara-Turkey.

The course was organized by Turkish Geriatrics Society and Hacettepe University Research Center of Geriatric Sciences-GBAM by the support of International Institute on Ageing-INIA and United Nations. Distinguished scientists and clinicians who have contributed to this course provided a comprehensive overview of geriatrics and gerontology.
Multidimensional and multidisciplinary scientific programme was composed of the following subjects.

problems), Quality of Life in Later Life, Basic Principles of Geriatric Rehabilitation, Age-Friendly Cities, Abuse and Neglect in Old Age, Standards of Social Services for Older Persons, Healthy Nutrition in Elderly, Oral and Dental Health in Later Life, Oral and Dental Signs of Systemic Diseases in Later Life, Sociological Perspective of Ageing, Basic Problems of Aged Consumers And Recommendations, Disability Concern and Prevention, Geriatric measures and tools, Pressure ulcers, Home Care for Older Persons, Ethical

The course provided several scientific source materials and a visit to a nursing home was also performed.

Trainees coming from various parts of Turkey were composed of family medicine practitioners, specialists of public health, residents, nurses, psychologists and social workers. The attendees stated that this was a very successful event for all those who choose to address and deal with the ever-increasing number of elderly people in Turkey.