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April 23-24, 2026



PREFACE

The development of rehabilitation in Ukraine in recent years has gone from the outdated Soviet model of sanatorium-resort treatment to the creation of one of the most progressive recovery systems in the world, based on the unique combat experience of 2022–2026. This transformation was made possible by the rapid implementation of the International Classification of Functioning (ICF), which allowed us to change the focus from treating the disease to restoring vital functions and social integration of the serviceman. The modern model of Ukrainian rehabilitation is based on the work of multidisciplinary teams (MDTs), where FRM doctors, physical therapists, occupational therapists and psychologists work synergistically, developing individual recovery plans from the moment the patient is stabilized in the acute period. A key achievement was the creation of powerful rehabilitation clusters that combine reconstructive surgery, high-tech prosthetics and psychological support into a single continuous cycle. Thanks to its unique experience in treating mine and blast injuries, Ukraine has developed its own protocols for managing complex complications, such as heterotopic ossification, neurogenic dysfunctions and phantom pain, while integrating the artificial intelligence system and virtual reality. An important vector of development has been the transition from isolated hospital treatment to social rehabilitation and peer-to-peer programs, where veterans are involved in the recovery of their comrades, which turns the health care system into an effective tool for returning human resources and preserving the state's defense capability. Today, Ukrainian specialists not only implement NATO standards, but also form new global guidelines for military medicine, dictating trends in the field of recovery after extremely severe injuries.



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REGULATIONS

April 23, 2026

08:00 - start of registration plenary session participants
 09:00 - opening conferences
 10:00 - 13:00 - first part of the plenary session
 11:00 - 11:15 - break , coffee break
 13:00 - 14:00 - lunch
 14:00 - 17:30 - second part of the plenary session
 17:30-18:00 - discussion reports

April 24 , 2026

9:00 - 13:00 - first part of the plenary session
 11:00 - 11:15 - break , coffee break
 13:00 - 14:00 - lunch
 14:00 - 17:00 - second part of the plenary session
 17:00-18:00 - discussion of reports and summing up the conference

17:00 - final part, summing up the closing of the conference

PLACE CARRYING OUT CONFERENCES

(*Online and Offline* : Chayky, Kyiv region)

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MAIN DIRECTIONS WORKS CONFERENCES

-  *Organizational and managerial aspects of implementing the policy on the rehabilitation and readaptation of wounded military personnel.*
-  *Modern approaches to neurorehabilitation .*
-  *Patient-centeredness in the provision of rehabilitation services.*
-  *Organization of barrier-free space and inclusion.*
-  *Creation of a strategy for the long-term development of the rehabilitation system in the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine.*
-  *Current clinical directions of physical therapy and occupational therapy in war conditions. In particular, the features of physical rehabilitation and occupational therapy in amputations. Restoration of mobility and stability after amputations.*
-  *Management of postoperative pain, phantom pain sensations and stump care.*
-  *Speech and language therapy.*
-  *Psychological recovery and combating PTSD as a component of a multidisciplinary approach to rehabilitation.*
-  *Peculiarities of the work of multidisciplinary rehabilitation teams. Discussion of the roles of specialists in the MDT and their cooperation.*
-  *Strengthening multidisciplinary interaction in the healthcare system of the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine. Discussion of interaction between specialists in the treatment of patients with mine and blast injuries at rehabilitation levels.*
-  *Latest technologies and innovations in rehabilitation: experience of application in martial law conditions.*
-  *Exchange of best practices in rehabilitation care. Detailed analysis of real clinical cases of patients with mine and explosive injuries sustained during hostilities.*

Forms of participation :

-  *Oral report (online and offline)*
-  *Publication theses*
-  *Online listener*

Working languages for reports and presentations : Ukrainian, English.

The event is held for doctors of physical and rehabilitation medicine, physical therapists, occupational therapists , orthotists -prosthetists, speech and language therapists, psychologists, psychotherapists, clinical psychologists, physical therapist assistants, occupational therapists , rehabilitation nurses, psychophysicologists, neurologists, neurosurgeons, health care organizers, occupational pathologists, reflexologists .

CONFERENCE PROCEDURE

April 23, 2026

WELCOME WORDS

09:00 – 10:00

KAZMIRCHUK Anatolii Petrovych, *Commander of the Medical Forces of the Armed Forces of Ukraine, Doctor of Medical Sciences, Professor, Major General of the Medical Service ;*

SAVYTSKYI Valerii Leonidovych, *Head of the Ukrainian Military Medical Academy, Doctor of Medical Sciences, Professor, Brigadier General of the Medical Service*

SNIZHYNSKYI Sergii Petrovych , *Chief of Staff - Deputy Commander, Colonel of the Medical Service;*

START OF THE CONFERENCE MEETING

10:00-17:00

Moderators

YESHCENKO Oleksandr Ivanovych (Head of the Department of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine of the Ukrainian Military Medical Academy, Candidate of Medical Sciences, Associate Professor, Colonel of the Medical Service)

PANCHENKO Lyudmila Vasylivna (Head of the Department of Medical Rehabilitation and Sanatorium-Resort Treatment of the Central Medical Evacuation Department of Military Unit A0928, Colonel of the Medical Service)

BONDAR Ivan Mykolayovych (Chief Specialist of the Digital Development Department of Digital Transformations and Digitalization of the Headquarters of Military Unit A0928, Colonel)

ILYUSHYN Volodymyr Vitaliyovych (Head of the Planning and Management Department of the Logistics Department of the Headquarters of Military Unit A0928, Colonel)

FIRST PART OF THE PLENARY SESSION

10:00-10:30

CURRENT CHALLENGES FOR THE REHABILITATION SYSTEM IN UKRAINE

Vladimirov Olexander Arkadievich (Dr. of Medical Sciences , Professor)
Shupyk National Healthcare University of Ukraine

10:30 - 11:00

ORGANIZATION OF THE REHABILITATION SYSTEM IN THE ARMED FORCES OF UKRAINE, DEVELOPMENT PROSPECTS

Panchenko Lyudmila Vasylivna, military unit A0928

10:40-11:00

MODERN STRATEGIES FOR TRAINING PHYSICAL REHABILITATION SPECIALISTS IN MARTIAL ARTS CONDITIONS

Yeshchenko Oleksandr Ivanovich (Science of Medicine , associate professor)

Ukrainian Military Medical Academy, Kyiv

11:00 -11:15

Coffee break

11:15-11:35

THE IMPACT OF EARLY REHABILITATION ON FUNCTIONAL RECOVERY IN COMBINED EXTREMITY INJURY WITH PERIPHERAL NERVE INJURY

Svist Olga Mykhailivna

Honored Doctor of Ukraine. National Legend of Ukraine

11:35-11:55

MULTIDISCIPLINARY REHABILITATION IN MULTIPLE LIMB AMPUTATIONS

Shcheglyuk Olga Ivanovna

Military Medical Clinical Treatment and Rehabilitation Center

11:55 - 12:15

REHABILITATION IN INTENSIVE CARE: THE ROLE OF A MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAM IN WORKING WITH SEVERE COMBAT INJURIES AND DISORDERS OF CONSCIOUSNESS

Amelina Yulia Andreevna,
Chernyavskyi Vasyl Igorovych

Military Medical Clinical Center of the Western Region

12:15 - 12:35

ENHANCING PUBLIC REHABILITATION CARE THROUGH PROCESS MANAGEMENT: LESSONS FROM THE LITHUANIAN BILATERAL PROGRAM

Ruta Valaityte

Rehabilitation group lead , Central Project Management Agency , Lithuania

12:35-12:55

EMPLOYMENT AFTER INJURY IS AN IMPORTANT GOAL OF REHABILITATION OF MILITARY SERVANTS WITH AMPUTEES

Volyanskyi Oleksiy Mykolayovych

Military Medical Clinical Treatment and Rehabilitation Center

13:00-14:00

Dinner

SECOND PART OF THE PLENARY SESSION

14:00-14:20

ASSESSING STRESS AFTER COMBAT INJURY

Hans Jakob Boe

Clinical psychologist, LtCol, PhD, Institute of military psychiatry,
Norway

14:20-14:40

MULTIDISCIPLINARY REHABILITATION FOR PERIPHERAL NERVE INJURIES: FROM RESTORATION OF CONDUCTIVITY TO FUNCTIONAL OUTCOME

Salenko Maryna Serhiivna

Military Medical Clinical Treatment and Rehabilitation Center

14:40 - 15:00

ENERGY-INTENSIVE PHYSICAL LOADS IN THE CONDITIONS OF MULTI-LEVEL CLINICAL MONITORING

Tobacconist Svyatoslav Yulianovych

Military unit A4799

15:00 - 15:20

SEXUAL REHABILITATION AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE MILITARY SERVANTS' RECOVERY PROCESS

Goretska Anastasia Nikolaevna

Military unit A4799

15:20 - 15:40

PROGRAM FOR IMPROVING COMMUNICATION CAPABILITIES IN THE CASE OF STUTTERING IN THE INJURED: INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Babych Natalia Nikolaevna

B. Grinchenko University

15:40 - 16:00

USE OF ICF AS A UNIVERSAL TOOL FOR EVALUATING THE REHABILITATION PROCESS, REHABILITATION EFFECTIVENESS RATE (REFR)

Kononov Oleksandr Serhiyovych

Military unit A4799

16:00 - 16:20

PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT FOR MILITARY SERVANTS WITH COMBAT INJURIES: INTEGRATION OF MENTAL AND MEDICAL CARE

Kristalova Olena Anatoliivna

Medical Rehabilitation Center "Odessky", Military Unit A7367

16:20 - 16:40

**PSYCHOLOGICAL REHABILITATION OF PATIENTS WITH COMBINED
COMBAT INJURY IN THE POST-ACUTE AND LONG-TERM REHABILITATION
DEPARTMENT**

Marinina Tetyana Volodymyrivna

National Military Medical Clinical Center "Main Military Clinical Hospital"

16:40-17:00

**PRACTICE OF FORMING THE REHABILITATION EFFICIENCY
COEFFICIENT BASED ON ICF**

Vdovichenko Vyacheslav Yuriyovych

Military unit A4799

17:00-17:20

**PROPRIOCEPTIVE NEUROMYSAL FACILITATION IN THE DAILY WORK
OF A PHYSICAL THERAPIST**

Ushakov Pavel Anatolyevich

National Military Medical Clinical Center "Main Military Clinical Hospital"

17:20-17:40

**APPLICATION OF INTEGRATIVE (HOLISTIC) PSYCHOTHERAPY IN THE
REHABILITATION OF PATIENTS WITH MINE-EXPLOSION INJURY**

Kulina Oleksandra Viktorivna

Military unit A4799

17:40-18:00

Discussion of reports

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FIRST PART OF THE PLENARY SESSION

09:00 - 09:20

**EXPERIENCE IN POSTOPERATIVE SCAR MANAGEMENT IN PATIENTS
WITH TRAUMATIC EXTREMITY AMPUTATIONS**

Mykhalchuk Ihor Vyacheslavovych

National Military Medical Clinical Center "Main Military Clinical Hospital"

09:20-09:40

**INTERVENTIONAL NEURORADIOLOGY – A CATALYST OF EFFECTIVE
REHABILITATION**

Darii Ivan Volodymyrovych

Military Medical Clinical Center of the Northern Region

09:40 - 10:00

PRACTICE OF USING ORTHOSIS PRODUCTS USING 3D-SCANNING TECHNOLOGY IN PATIENTS WITH MINE-EXPLOSION INJURIES

Pavlovsky Volodymyr Alekseevich
Military unit A4799

10:00 - 10:20

REHABILITATION STRATEGIES FOR COMBINED MINE-EXPLOSION INJURY: A CLINICAL CASE ANALYSIS AND CHALLENGES

Melnyk Yuriy Andriyovych
Military unit A7011

10:20 - 10:40

DUAL-TASK TRAINING AS A TOOL TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FALLS IN MILITARY SERVANTS AFTER TBI

Skrypka Volodymyr Serhiyovych
Military unit A4799

10:40-11:00

ACUTE REHABILITATION, OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY IN THE HOME: FROM STABILIZATION TO DAILY ACTIVITY

Alina Petrovna Kyslenko
Military Medical Clinical Center of the Northern Region

11:00 -11:15

Coffee break

11:15 - 11:35

COMPREHENSIVE REHABILITATION FOR BURNS RESULTING FROM MINE AND EXPLOSIVE INJURIES

Tryhub Roman Igorovych
Military Medical Clinical Center of the Western Region

11:35 - 11:55

CARDIOVASCULAR RISKS DURING REHABILITATION: HOW TO RECOGNIZE THE PROBLEM EARLY

Yuriy Yaroslavovich Kotyk
Ukrainian Military Medical Academy, Kyiv

11:55-12:15

INTEGRATED ASSESSMENT OF REHABILITATION EFFECTIVENESS

Pashkovsky Serhiy Mykolayovych (Candidate of Medical Sciences , Associate Professor)
Military Medical Clinical Center of the Central Region

12:15 - 12:35

**EFFECTIVENESS OF PHYSICAL THERAPY IN REDUCING PHANTOM PAIN
IN PATIENTS AFTER AMPUTATIONS BASED ON ICF**

Shportko Lyudmila Vilhelmivna
Military unit A4799

12:35-12:55

**MODERN APPROACHES IN NEUROREHABILITATION USING THE
EXAMPLE OF HIGH-INTENSITY WALKING TRAINING**

Sazonov Vyacheslav Yurievich
Military Medical Clinical Center of the Southern Region

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Dinner

SECOND PART OF THE PLENARY SESSION

14:00 - 14:20

**PHARMACOLOGICAL POTENTIAL OF CANNABINODS IN THE THERAPY
OF CHRONIC PAIN AND NEUROPATHIC COMPLICATIONS AFTER COMBAT
MINE AND EXPLOSIVE INJURIES**

Yaroshenko Ilarion Viktorovych
Ukrainian Military Medical Academy, Kyiv

14:20-14:40

**SOFT TISSUE WORK AS AN ADDITIONAL METHOD OF COMPREHENSIVE
INTERVENTIONS IN PHYSICAL AND REHABILITATION MEDICINE**

Chernysh Inna Romanivna
Military unit A7010

14:40-15:00

**CRISIS COUNSELING IN VRIT: THE ROLE OF THE PSYCHOLOGIST IN
MEDICAL DECISION-MAKING**

Shulgina Olga Volodymyrivna
Military Medical Clinical Center of the Northern Region

15:00-15:20

**INTEGRATION OF MODERN PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC METHODS FOR THE
TREATMENT OF PTSD AND ADJUSTMENT DISORDERS IN THE WORK OF A
MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAM**

Bereza Yevhenii Volodymyrovych
Military unit A7011

15:20-15:40

POSTOPERATIVE REHABILITATION IN VRIT AS A FACTOR IN REDUCING COMPLICATIONS AND MORTALITY

Sydorchuk Mykhailo Yuriyovych

Military Medical Clinical Center of the Northern Region

15:40-16:00

INTEGRATED ASSESSMENT OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF PROVIDING REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE TO MILITARY SERVANTS ACCORDING TO PERIPHERAL BLOOD INDICATORS

Koval Nataliya Volodymyrivna

Military Medical Clinical Center of the Central Region

16:00-16:20

CONCEPT AND METHODS OF APPLICATION OF SLING AND BALANCE THERAPY. THE RULE OF THE "THIRD HAND"

Dubrovsky Maksym Viktorovych

Military unit A4799

16:20-16:40

ROLE AND PLACE OF PHYSICAL EXERCISE IN A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO REHABILITATION INTERVENTION FOR PATIENTS WITH LOWER LIMB AMPUTATIONS AT THE LEVEL OF THE N/S TIBIA

Balay Taras Gennadiyovych

Military unit A4799

16:40-17:00

CROSS-CULTURAL ASPECTS OF REHABILITATION OF MILITARY SERVANTS IN THE DEFENSE FORCES OF UKRAINE WHO HAVE CITIZENSHIP OF OTHER COUNTRIES

Zavgorodnia Natalia Igorivna

Military unit A4799

17:00-17:20

SPECIFICITIES OF SPEECH AND SPEECH THERAPY IN COMBAT INJURY

Pluzhnyk Pavlo Pavlovych

Military unit A4799

17:20-18:00

Discussion of reports and summing up the conference

