

PRESENTATION

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The Department of Neurological Sciences was established in 1999 by decree of Bologna University's Chancellor to replace the Institute of Clinical Neurology. The Department comprises six scientific research sectors with teaching programmes pertaining to degree courses within the Faculty of Medicine and the Faculty of Motor Sciences, two Postgraduate Schools (in Neurology and in Child Neuropsychiatry) and a Research Doctorate in Sleep Medicine.

With full respect for the freedom of individual academic staff, the Department promotes and coordinates research in the neurological sciences. The Department is responsible for the management of its research facilities and devises new research projects, undertaking contract consultancy, research and teaching activities and organizing doctorate research courses. The Department also provides healthcare relating to the diagnosis and treatment of central and peripheral nervous system diseases under the auspices of the Italian National Health Service.

The Department employs 24 teaching and research staff and 84 technical and administrative staff (see personnel) and is governed by internal regulations approved by the Department's Council and ratified by Decree of the Chancellor.