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Our USP:





From Roman spas to early forms of alpine health tourism

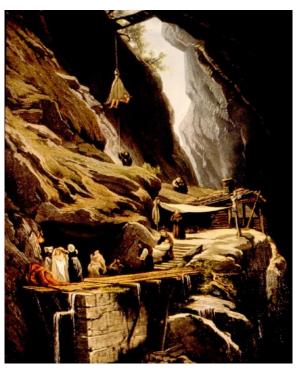


Old Roman spa thermal in Bath (UK) since 45 AD



Publication in 1535 AD





Bad Pfäfers (Swiss) since 1350 AD

The romantic era in the Alpes: Culture and medicine approaches nature













The 5 pillars of Pfarrer Kneip's health



concept (1855)









Activity

Water

Herbal medicine

Natural food

Mindfulness

The social insurance laws of Bismarck



1889:

- Retirement at age 70
 (mean life expectancy: 37 years;
 only 10% of population reached age 70
- Every worker obtained the right to spend 4-6 weeks in a spa every 3 years for therapeutic or prevention purposes
- In 1996 this right was reduced to 3-5 weeks only every 4 years: CRISIS of the SPAs!

2018:

 80% of the population reach retirement age of 65





Bismarck fountain in Bad Reichenhall

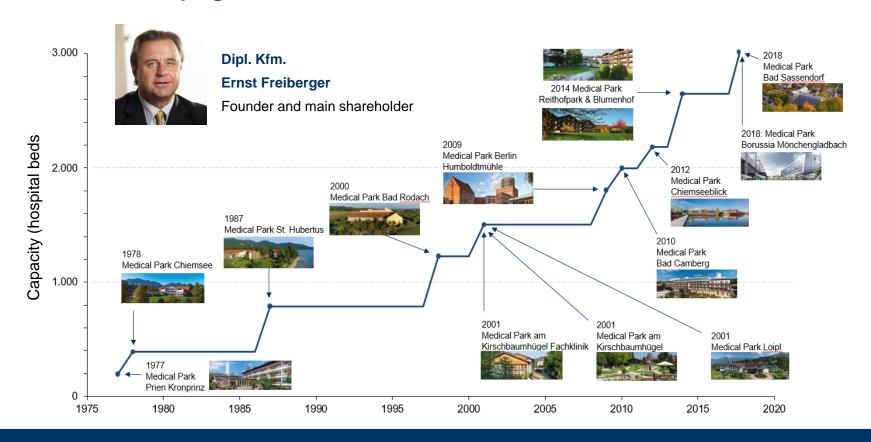
The philosophy of Medical Park



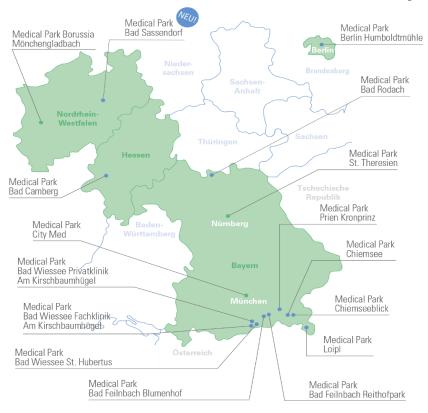


Medical Park has constantly and successfully grown since 1977





13 specialist hospital and 3 outpatient health care centres for rehabilitation and prevention



Our hospitals

- 70,000 patients a year
- More than 3,000 employees
- 3000 rooms

Indications

- Neurology/ Pediatric Neurology
- Orthopaedics/Traumatology
- Sports Medicine
- Internal Medicine/Cardiology
- Psychosomatic diseases
- Oncology

Medical Park strives for quality leadership in rehabilitation















Quality facts and figures:

- Every clinic DIN ISO 9001 certified since 2005
- Additionally certified under QMS REHA since 2012
- High level of patient satisfaction, over 90% recommend us to friends and relatives
- Specialist committees for Quality Measurement, Monitoring and Improvement
- Patient safety, e.g. through CIRS in every hospital

Medical Park: first-class medicine and therapy with an ambiance at four-star hotel level

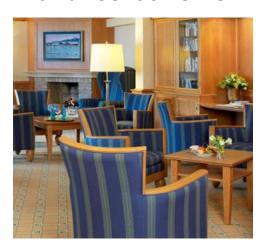


Get well...



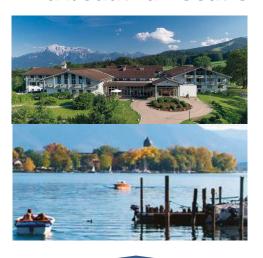
- Market leader in medicaltherapeutic rehabilitation
- Individual treatment concepts

...and feel at home...



- · Rooms of hotel standard
- Service culture embodied

...in a beautiful location



- Lakeside locations at Chiemsee and Tegernsee
- Mountain area: Loipl

Medical Park's activities are characterized by sustainability



Starting point

Sustainable Energy industry

Resource-conserving consumption control

Regional products & business partners

Explanation

- Extensive use of LED lamps instead of conventional luminaires
- Gas-powered combined heat and power plants for high-efficiency electricity and heat generation
- Control of resource use (including water, heat, laundry) along the actual needs

- Promotion of locally based companies (incl crafts)
- Use of regional products in our gastronomy





WARNING: in 30 minutes your brain will be different...





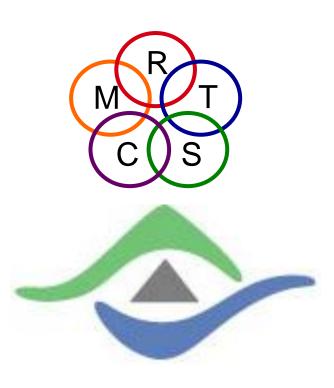
"We take neurorehabilitation to a higher level"





Center for Clinical Neuroplasticity (CCNP) to be opened at Medical Park Loipl 2019





Motivation

Information sets Goals

Repetition

High frequency induces repair

Training

Aerobic fitness promotes stem cells

Stimulation

Fascilitates recovery

Consolidation

Allows for long term effects



USP for the region?

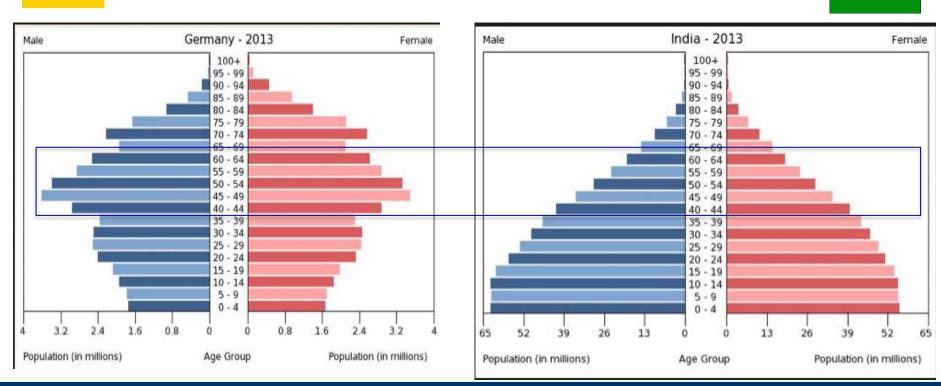
If neuroplasticity works in rehabilitation, can we use it for prevention of brain diseases as well?

Age pyramide (2013): "best ager"?







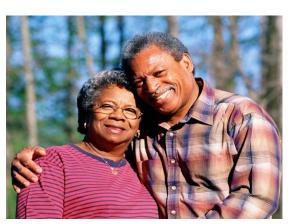


The good news

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We are getting older!

In 2030 50% of all women will be over 90 years old







The bad news



As of today 50 Mio. people worldwide live with dementia

In 2030 this number will double to 100. Mio.

Cost of brain diseases in EU is estimated at 800 Bill./year





The good news: We can do something –





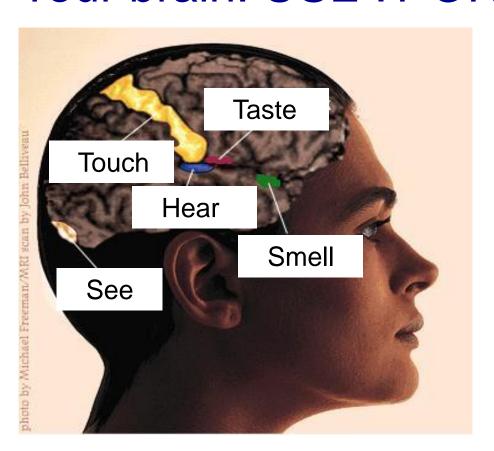




"It is rarely to early and never too late!"

Your brain: USE IT OR LOSE IT!

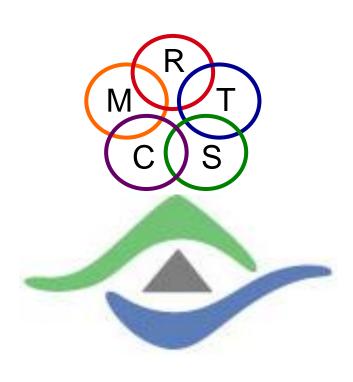






Based on the concept of neuroplasticity prevention should entail all categories





Motivation

Information about the brain's capacity

Repetition

Learning something new

Training

 Walking / hiking in the mountains with multisensorial input

Stimulation

Listen to a concert / visit a museum

Consolidation

Optimize food and sleep

Proximity and connection of first class medicine with nature and culture: USP for our success

