Advanced Studies in Aquatic Therapy

The course will be in the Centre de Réadaptation of the local hospital in the Val de Ruz valley, the village of Landeyeux/Fontaines. This is a part of the hospitals of Neuchâtel in the French speaking part of Switzerland. Neuchâtel (Neuenburg in German) is more or less in the middle between the airports of Zürich and Geneva (about 1.45 min), with good rail connections from both airports. See: https://www.j3l.ch/en/Z10771/neuchatel . With 35.000 inhabitants the best place to find a place to sleep.

The regional bus starts in the city center (Place Pury) and brings you in about 15 minutes to the hospital in Landeyeux/Fontaines. The village of Fontaines is at walking distance of the hospital. For the location of the hospital, use this pluscode in Google: 2WJ4+XG Fontaines. The village is tiny and rural: best is to find a place in Neuchatel, although there are some (Airbnb) rooms available. Fontaines doesn't have shops, just a minimarket at a fuel station. ** Check for Fontaines Switzerland (France also has a village named Fontaines).

Place Pury has quite a few platforms (Quai) for city buses and regional ones: one needs Quai G at the <u>Quai Philippe Godet</u>. Line 422 stops at the hospital ** BUT take the bus to Villiers and not to Boudevilliers!







Buses go once per hour, also from the hospital to Neuchatel.

Place Pury is not next to the railway station, one has to walk some 15 minutes or take a city bus

The city bus leaves from the **backsid**e of the railway station

We expect that most participants will find a play to stay in Neuchâtel, but for those that will go to Fontaines:



All lines go to Place Pury, but take the bus stop at the other side of the street when leaving the railway station **at the back side.** At Place Pury, change bus to Fontaines (Quai G).

One has to buy a ticket for zone 10/11 (city + Landeyeux/Fontaines), this costs SF 4,20 for one ride, but also multiride tickets are available at the green machines: their display can be set to English.

** The course programme will be from 12.30 – 22.00 at workdays. Bus services have stopped and therefore we;'ll provide transportation to Place Pury.

To give an idea of the Centre de Réadaptation (the physiotherapy building):











You see the physiotherapy building, the entrance, the pool, the shower area and one of the dressing room areas.

** The theory room is in the main building, to be accessed through the reception at the main entrance.