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Institute of Rheumatology is estate offend Hospital with 54 beds, altogether staff is 170 employs including 25 medical doctors. In the Institute is also included Clinic of Rheumatology of 1st Medical Faculty Charles University in Prague. Clinical activities: Complex care for rheumatic patients the only inpatient department in the country serving as consulting unit. 60.000 patients investigated inpatient yearly. Departments of rehabilitation, imaging and laboratories available. Research activities: 15 grants each year about 70 publications a year; 10-12 IF; 2 International grants; 8 PhD students. Main research interest: systemic lupus polymyositis, registry of biological therapies, cartilage degradation, osteoporosis, osteoarthritis, fibromyalgia, molecular biology, immunogenetics. Teaching: Pre-graduate - curriculum for medical students. Postgraduate courses, certificate for continual medical education. Several text books of rheumatology.

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