Organizing and financing public health services in the European region

Pre-conference workshop, EPH conference, Milan, 14 October 2015

Preliminary programme

9.00-9.30  Welcome and introduction
Welcome: Hans Kluge and Josep Figueras
Introduction: Martin McKee
Study overview: Bernd Rechel, Elke Jakubowski and Ellen Nolte

9.30-10.30  Oral presentations on country experiences in organization and financing
Chair: Elke Jakubowski
Speakers:

   Hans Maarse (Netherlands), discussed by John Middleton
   John Middleton (England), discussed by Ellen Nolte
   Bo Burström (Sweden), discussed by Andrea Poscia
   Vesna Kerstin-Petric (Slovenia), discussed by Marcela Tirdea

   Each presentation followed by comments from a discussant and immediate Q&A from the audience.

10.30-11.00  Coffee break
11.00-12.30  Oral presentations on country experiences in organization and financing
   Chair: Bernd Rechel
   Speakers:
   Klaus Plümer (Germany), discussed by Lukasz Balwicki
   Lukasz Balwicki (Poland), discussed by Klaus Plümer
   Marcela Tirdea (Moldova), discussed by Vesna Kerstin-Petric
   Ellen Nolte (France), discussed by Hans Maarse
   Andrea Poscia (Italy), discussed by Bo Burström

   Each presentation followed by comments from a discussant and immediate Q&A from the audience.

12.30-13.30  Lunch break

13.30-15.30  Commonalities and differences of public health services in different countries around key themes (organization, financing, workforce, quality and performance assessment)
   Chair: Ellen Nolte

   Small group work, followed by plenary debate

15.30-16.00  Tea break

16.00-17.00  Discussion of next steps for authors
   Chairs: Bernd Rechel, Elke Jakubowski and Ellen Nolte

17.00        End