



16TH WORLD CONGRESS ON PUBLIC HEALTH 12 – 17 OCTOBER 2020 LA NUVOLA, ROME, ITALY

PUBLIC HEALTH FOR THE FUTURE OF HUMANITY: ANALYSIS, ADVOCACY AND ACTION

We will be meeting in Rome at a critical time for our planet. Global temperatures lie far beyond historical records and threats to food and water supply, poverty and inequalities are leading to mass migration and conflict. International agreements, on climate change, nuclear weapons, and much else, are being torn up. Some leading politicians are rejecting the Enlightenment view that policy should be shaped by evidence. At a time when global solidarity is required, populist politicians are exploiting divisions.

The theme of the Congress, *Public Health for the Future of Humanity: Analysis, Advocacy, and Action*, reflects our firm commitment that we, in the global public health community, have an obligation to respond to these new circumstances. We must make visible the threats to health, some of which are already emerging. We must challenge and hold to account those with the power to make a difference. And we must act, making real our commitment to health in all policies.

We, as public health community, have much to contribute and much to learn. As always, we will have many opportunities to share ideas among ourselves, but this year we can enrich our experiences even further, bringing a global perspective to our thinking. We look forward to seeing you in Rome. More about the plenary programme [here](#).

PLENARY PROGRAMME

The plenary programme will follow the theme of the Congress and will include inspiring sessions with experts from around the globe on:

- What happened to the Enlightenment?
- The Earth: a strategy for survival
- Leading the way to a healthier world
- The Information Revolution
- Health systems fit for the future: promoting better health, economic growth, and social cohesion
- Revolutionizing the public health workforce as Agents of Change
- Moving out of the silos
- Making a difference

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Share your work with colleagues and learn from each other. The World Congress offers excellent opportunities to learn from the latest research and practice, to network with experts and colleagues and to expand your professional horizons. Abstracts are invited for workshops and single presentations in all areas of public health research, education, practice and policy. Abstracts and workshops can be submitted via the website from 1 December 2019 until 1 March 2020. Detailed instructions can be found on www.wcph2020.com. Do not miss the opportunity to be recognised for your hard work.

WORLD LEADERSHIP DIALOGUES

World Leadership Dialogues (WLD) can be organised by health organisations, NGOs, and commercial organisations. WLDs are high-level sessions on current topics in public health intended to complement the plenary sessions. Detailed information on how to submit a proposal to organise a WLD, click [here](#).

REGISTRATION

You can benefit from low cost registration fees until **1 December**. We are expecting over 3,000 delegates. Don't miss the largest global public health event in 2020 and register early to benefit from the reduced rates. Low cost fees EUR 399. Delegates from emerging countries pay EUR 349, students EUR 319 (all fees inclusive of VAT). Registration [here](#).

MEDIA TOOLKIT WCPH 2020

We have prepared a media toolkit that can be used by (public) health associations and organizations worldwide to promote the World Congress within your network. We provide ready-to-use promotional materials and other resources to help your efforts in communicating with your audiences, particularly through social media, newsletters and websites. Find the Media Toolkit [here](#).

WCPH ORGANISATION

The 16th World Congress on Public Health is organized by the World Federation of Public Health Associations (WFPHA) in collaboration with the European Public Health Association (EUPHA) and the Italian Society of Hygiene, Preventive Medicine and Public Health (SItI).

CONFERENCE VENUE



The 16th World Congress on Public Health will be held in La Nuvola, Viale Asia, 00144 Rome, Italy.

La Nuvola is easy to access. From Termini Station take the Metro Line B towards Laurentina.

From Leonardo Da Vinci Airport take the train line FL1 towards Fara-Sabina-Orte. Get off at Eur Magliana.

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