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1. EUPHA update

The Vienna Declaration

Linked to the Vienna 2016 conference, EUPHA and the Austrian Public Health Association published a Declaration reiterating the importance of the Ottawa Charter, adopted 30 years ago. This Declaration was supported by EPHA, EuroHealthNet, ASPHER, EuSPR, European Observatory and WFPHA and co-signed by 15 national associations (Armenia, Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Polands, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom). During Vienna 2016, over 150 conference delegates from 29 countries also indicated their support for the Vienna Declaration.

https://eupha.org/advocacy-by-eupha

Changes in EUPHA Sections

The **EUPHA section on Health promotion** has elected a new president: Dr Luis Saboga Nunes from Portugal has taken over from Dr Christiane Stock from Denmark. We want to thank Christiane for her wonderful work for EUPHA and for the area of health promotion.

The **EUPHA section on Public health practice and policy** has elected a new president: Dr Marleen Bekker from the Netherlands has taken over from Dr Kai Michelsen from the Netherlands. We want to thank Kai for his wonderful work for EUPHA and the area of practice and policy.

The **EUPHA** section on Social security, work and health has elected a new president: Dr Gunnel Hensing from Sweden has taken over from Prof. Kristina Alexanderson from Sweden. Kristina has also stepped down as Section Council representative in the EUPHA Executive Council. We want to thank Kristina for her wonderful work and support for EUPHA and for setting up the section on Social security, work and health.

Changes in the Executive Council

Dr Natasha Azzopardi Muscat from Malta has taken over presidency from Prof. Martin McKee. Martin will stay on as past president of EUPHA and will continue to support EUPHA.

Dr Iveta Nagyova from Slovakia has taken over as section council representative from Prof. Kristina Alexanderson.

Prof. Carlo Signorelli from Italy has taken over as treasurer from Dr Markus Kaufmann from Switzerland.

Dr Julian Mamo has stepped down as representative of the International Conference Council. Emma Honkala is a new member of the Executive Council representing EUPHAnxt.

2. European Public Health Conference





Vienna welcomed Europe and beyond to the 9th European Public Health Conference between 9 and 12 November 2016. Almost 1,850 delegates from over 70 countries gathered to discuss and debate the state of global and European health from the perspective of research, methods and practices. The conference included 7 plenary sessions, 20 pre-conferences, 76 workshops, 44 oral sessions, 40 pitch sessions and 20 poster walks.

Each year, the conference organisers award abstract prizes in three different categories.

The Ferenc Bojan memorial prize, which is awarded to the best presentation by a young public health professional, was awarded to:

Kayvan Bozorgmehr, University of Heidelberg

Multiple deprivation and distribution of vulnerable asylum-seekers: a small-area analysis in Germany

The prize for the highest scoring abstract was awarded to two submitters this year:

Kayvan Bozorgmehr, University Heidelberg

Multiple deprivation and distribution of vulnerable asylum-seekers: a small-area analysis in Germany

Co-authors: O Razum, J Szecsenyi, W Maier, C Stock

Average score: 6.250

Marina Karanikolos, European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies

Amenable mortality in the EU28 before and after the economic crisis

Co-authors: J Mackenbach, E Nolte, M McKee

Average score: 6.250

The prize for the best poster presentation was awarded to:

Andrea Serafini, University of Siena

Heavy costs of diabetic population in Central Italy for cardiovascular diseases hospitalization

3. European Journal of Public Health



The European Journal of Public Health is a multidisciplinary journal in the field of public health.

The EJPH is published bimonthly. The journal provides a forum for discussion and debate of current international public health issues with a focus on the European region. In 2016, the impact factor of the journal is at 2.751. The 5-year impact factor is 2.512. The EJPH is the official journal of EUPHA.

Eur J Public Health Advance Access for November 18, 2016

Global region of birth is an independent risk factor for type 2 diabetes in Stockholm, Sweden Liselotte Schäfer Elinder, Shawn Hakimi, Anton Lager, and Emma Patterson Eur J Public Health published 17 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw207 [Abstract]

Disability pension due to common mental disorders and healthcare use before and after policy changes; a nationwide study

S. Rahman, E. Mittendorfer-Rutz, K. Alexanderson, J. Jokinen, and P. Tinghög Eur J Public Health published 17 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw211 [Abstract]

The social gradient of sleep in adolescence: results from the youth@hordaland survey Mari Hysing, Keith J Petrie, Tormod Bøe, Tea Lallukka, and Børge Sivertsen Eur J Public Health published 17 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw200 [Abstract]

Nutritional evaluation of undocumented children: a neglected health issue affecting the most fragile people

Ornella Comandini, Stefano Cabras, and Elisabetta Marini Eur J Public Health published 17 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw210 [Abstract]

Eur J Public Health Advance Access for November 11, 2016

Four-year outcomes of an educational intervention in healthy habits in schoolchildren: the Avall 3 Trial Esteve Llargués, Ma Assumpta Recasens, Josep-Maria Manresa, Bjarne Bruun Jensen, Rosa Franco, Anna Nadal, Maria Vila, Isabel Recasens, M. José Pérez, and Conxa Castell Eur J Public Health published 11 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw199
[Abstract]

Knowledge and attitudes towards the use of antibiotics in the paediatric age group: a multicenter survey in Italy

Fabrizio Bert, Maria R Gualano, Renata Gili, Giacomo Scaioli, Emanuela Lovato, Italo F Angelillo, Silvio Brusaferro, Elisabetta De Vito, Giuseppe La Torre, Lamberto Manzoli, Francesco Vitale, Walter Ricciardi, and Roberta Siliquini

Eur J Public Health published 11 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw209 [Abstract]

Adolescent immigrants, the impact of gender on health status

Cheryl Zlotnick, Daphna Birenbaum-Carmeli, Hadass Goldblatt, Yael Dishon, Omer Taychaw, and Efrat Shadmi

Eur J Public Health published 11 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw208 [Abstract]

Female lung cancer mortality and long-term exposure to particulate matter in Italy Raffaella Uccelli, Marina Mastrantonio, Pierluigi Altavista, Emanuela Caiaffa, Giorgio Cattani, Stefano Belli, and Pietro Comba

Eur J Public Health published 11 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw203 [Abstract]

The economic burden of a Salmonella Thompson outbreak caused by smoked salmon in the Netherlands, 2012–2013

Anita W.M. Suijkerbuijk, Martijn Bouwknegt, Marie-Josee J. Mangen, G. Ardine de Wit, Wilfrid van Pelt, Paul Bijkerk, and Ingrid H.M. Friesema

Eur J Public Health published 11 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw205 [Abstract]

The longitudinal relationship between flourishing mental health and incident mood, anxiety and substance use disorders

Marijke Schotanus-Dijkstra, Margreet ten Have, Sanne M. A. Lamers, Ron de Graaf, and Ernst T. Bohlmeijer

Eur J Public Health published 5 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw202 [Abstract]

Eur J Public Health Advance Access for November 4, 2016 Viewpoint

Written informed consent in health research is outdated R. Broekstra, E.L.M. Maeckelberghe, and R.P. Stolk Eur J Public Health published 3 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw198 [Extract]

Original Article

Is risk-taking behaviour more prevalent among adolescents with learning disabilities? Michaela Palfiova, Zuzana Dankulincova Veselska, Daniela Bobakova, Jana Holubcikova, Ivo Cermak, Andrea Madarasova Geckova, Jitse P. van Dijk, and Sijmen A. Reijneveld Eur J Public Health published 3 November 2016, 10.1093/eurpub/ckw201 [Abstract]

4. Interesting news

Most breast and cervical cancer deaths occur in developing countries, yet many could be prevented with cost-effective interventions

By 2030, the number of women diagnosed with breast cancer worldwide could almost double to 3.2 million a year unless urgent action is taken. Routine HPV vaccination of girls in the world's poorest countries over the next 4 years could prevent 600,000 future cervical cancer deaths, say researchers. https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/20...

Childhood bullying places 'long term strain' on UK mental health services

Childhood bullying has a strong link to mental health service use throughout a person's life, putting additional strain on an "already overstretched" UK healthcare system, suggest researchers. United Kingdom

Social media proves effective as a tool for antimicrobial stewardship

A new study examines the use of social media platforms to inform young physicians about proper use of antimicrobial agents such as antibiotics. Currently, as much as 50 percent of all antibiotic use is inappropriate, leading to such unintended consequences such as antibiotic toxicity and increased antimicrobial resistance. Ensuring optimal use of antibiotics continues to be a central public health concern, and medical residents are a central focus of efforts to improve education in this field. But the question remains as to the best way to reach them.

https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/20...

High blood pressure affects 1.13 billion people around the world

The number of people in the world with high blood pressure has reached 1.13 billion, according to new research. The largest ever study of its kind, the research involved the World Health Organization and hundreds of scientists throughout the world, and incorporated blood pressure measurements from nearly 20 million people.

https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/20...

Your birth year predicts your odds if flu pandemic were to strike

We are not blank slates with regard to how susceptible we are to emerging strains of flu virus, researchers have discovered. These findings could provide relevant information for the development of a universal flu vaccine.

https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/20...

JA-CHRODIS Final Conference

Registrations are now open for the final conference of JA-CHRODIS, which will be held on the 27-28 February 2017, at the Thon City Centre Hotel, Brussels.

The one-and-a-half day event will focus on JA-CHRODIS work and outputs and on the bigger picture of the challenge of chronic diseases across Europe. High level speakers, including European Commissioner for Health and Food Safety Vytenis Andriukaitis, will explore how the outcomes of this European collaboration can be used and taken up.

JA-CHRODIS's aim is to contribute to reducing the burden of chronic diseases and to promoting healthy living and active ageing in Europe. Partners gathered highly promising and cost-effective good practices focusing on health promotion and primary prevention as well as the management of multimorbidity and diabetes, with a view to facilitate their exchange and transfer between European countries and regions.

For more information and to register for the final conference, please click here.

Panel on implications of behavioural policy-making in health promotion

At the third International Conference on Public Policy to be held in Singapore, June 28-30, 2017, we are organizing a panel on 'implications of behavioural policy-making in health promotion'. This panel aims to bring together 'behavioural insights' from political scientists and public health experts from Asia, Australia, Europe and the US. Invited papers may analyse countries' health promotion profiles, comparing international case studies of nudge-based health promotion or reflecting broader implications of the 'behavioural turn'. Three research-guiding questions are from particular interest: What are the underlying assumptions when it comes to behavioural policy-making with regard to healthy lifestyles and risk avoidance? Are there cross-sectorial overlappings and intersections between approaches of behavioural health promotion and adjacent policy fields? Who are the policy-makers of behavioural health promotion and what are their interests?

You are cordially invited to submit a paper proposal on any of these topics (Please find a call for paper attached). This can be done until January 15th, 2017.

For more information on the panel (T17aP09), see

http://www.ippapublicpolicy.org/conference/icpp-3-singapore-2017/panel-list/7#topic24

For information on the conference, see

http://www.ippapublicpolicy.org/conference/icpp-3-singapore-2017/7

Health at the centre of Sustainable Development

EuroHealthnet explains how health, sustainability and equity are linked, and how integrated, innovative health promotion policy is essential to meet sustainable development goals.

News release PR_2016_18 24 November 2016

This week, many health ministers, mayors and senior policy makers met at the 9th WHO Global Conference 'Promoting Health in the Sustainable Development Goals: Health for all and all for health' in Shanghai to discuss how health is central to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals. It provided guidance on how health promotion and the development of healthy populations, communities and environments can be integrated into national and international responses to the international goals. Conclusions are presented in the 'Shanghai Declaration'.

This Declaration follows on the Ottawa Charter for Health Promotion, which was established 30 years ago, with conferences meeting every five years since then to consider past results and future challenges for global health. This edition focusses on sustainability, and ensuring no-one is left behind. Caroline Costongs, EuroHealthNet Managing Director who had the honour of delivering a key note speech at the plenary today, emphasised the need for collaborative inter-sectoral actions: "There is a clear link between health, sustainability, and equity. Our lifestyles impact our health and well-being, as well as the environment. Economic development is accelerating human impact on the planet with the negative consequences falling disproportionately on low socio-economic groups and on those living in poor conditions and deprived neighbourhoods. Promoting good health across all sectors of society creates healthy lifestyles, populations, communities and environments, enabling sustainable growth and development for all"

Discussing how responses should be developed, and reflecting on the recent publication of the European Commission's Communication entitled 'Next steps for a sustainable European future - European action for sustainability', she continued:

"The European response to the SDGs should demonstrate a clear willingness for change and outline concrete steps for implementation. Ensuring health equity and addressing the causes of poor health must be a core component of that. EuroHealthNet has developed the REJUVENATE framework, explaining ten essential actions for the coming decade to improve health and help implementing the 2030 agenda for sustainable development."

New and innovative models, which consider the interaction between health, environment, and equity are needed to enable healthy, sustainable lifestyles. Work, led by EuroHealthNet, is already underway in this area thanks to the four- year, EC-Funded Horizon 2020 'INHERIT' project (inherit.eu) which looks at health equity, and how it relates to sustainable consuming, moving and living.

5. Upcoming courses and conferences

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Education, Training & Career

Going International is the first source for finding courses, seminars, congresses and other events in the fields of medicine & health. Going International is Europe's biggest service provider and information platform and serves as an interface between organisers and participants of events. Going International is an official partner of EUPHA.

Title: MAPEC Life international workshop: What future for air?

Date / location: 2 Dec 2016 / Brescia, Italy

Organiser: MAPEC

Title: One Health EcoHealth 2016

Date / location: 4 Dec 2016 - 7 Dec 2016 / Melbourne, Australia Organiser: International Association for Ecology and Health

Title: Integrated Care Summit 2016

Date / location: 7 Dec 2016 / London, United Kingdom

Organiser: Dods Group Plc

Title: Pregnancy and programming and later risk of obesity related disease

Date / location: 12 Dec 2016 - 16 Dec 2016 / Frederiksberg, Denmark Organiser: Graduate school of Health and Medical Sciences

Title: Health in All Policies: Making it Work in Practice - Durham University Winter

School

Date / location: 30 Jan 2017 - 1 Feb 2017 / Durham, United Kingdom

Organiser: Centre for Public Policy and Health (CPPH), Durham University

Title: Trajectoires Migratoires et santé Autour de la Naissance - Regards croisés sur

les pratiques et la recherche

Date / location: 2 Feb 2017 - 3 Feb 2017 / Brussels, Belgium

Organiser: University of Montreal, University of Geneva and the Free University of Brussels

Title: Kritische Bewertung medizinischer Studien" (critical appraisal of medical

studies)

Date / location: 13 Feb 2017 - 14 Feb 2017 / Krems, Austria
Organiser: : Danube University Krems and Cochrane Austria

Title: 31st International Papillomavirus Conference and Clinical and Public Health

Workshops (HPV 2017)

Date / location: 28 Feb 2017 - 4 Mar 2017 / Cape Town, South Africa

Organiser: International Papillomavirus Society

Title: Hospital-based interventions to contain antibiotic resistance in low-resource

settings

Date / location: 6 Mar 2017 - 24 Mar 2017 / Antwerp, Belgium Organiser: Institute of Tropical Medicine in Antwerp

Title: Medizinische Statistik für Nicht-StatistikerInnen" (medical statistics for non-

statisticians)

Date / location: 14 Mar 2017 - 15 Mar 2017 / Krems, Austria
Organiser: Danube University Krems and Cochrane Austria

Title: 15th World Congres on Public Health

Date / location: 3 Apr 2017 - 7 Apr 2017 / Melbourne, Australia

Organiser: WFPHA and Tunisian Association of Health Promotion

Title: 25th International Conference on Health Promoting Hospitals and Health

Services

Date / location: 12 Apr 2017 - 14 Apr 2017 / Vienna, Austria

Organiser: Austrian HPH-Network and WHO-CC for Health Promotion in Hospitals and Health

Care at Austrian Public Health Institute

Title: Social Sciences and Health Innovations: Making Health Public

Date / location: 22 May 2017 - 24 May 2017 / Tomsk, Russia

Organiser: Tomsk Stat University e.o.

Title: European Training Consortium summer school - Public Health Assets

Date / location: 16 Jul 2017 - 29 Jul 2017 / Alicante, Spain

Organiser: European Training Consortium in Public Health and Health Promotion

Title: The Sixth ESWI Influenza Conference
Date / location: 10 Sep 2017 - 13 Sep 2017 / Riga, Latvia

Organiser: ESWI

Title: Healthy aging at the crossroads: challenges and need for further action

Date / location: 21 Sep 2017 - 23 Sep 2017 / Istanbul, Turkey

Organiser: The Healthy Community Association

Title: 14th International Conference on Urban Health
Date / location: 26 Sep 2017 - 29 Sep 2017 / Coimbra, Portugal

Organiser: ISUH

Title: 8th International Conference of EBHC Teachers and Developers

Date / location: 25 Oct 2017 - 28 Oct 2017 / Taormina, Italy

Organiser: GIMBE Foundation

Title: IDF congress 2017

Date / location: 4 Dec 2017 - 8 Dec 2017 / Abu Dhabi Organiser: International Diabetes Federation

Title: 1st World Congress on Migration, Ethnicity, Race and Health - Diversity and

health

Date / location: 17 May 2018 - 19 May 2018 / Edinburgh, Scotland

Title: The future of healthy living

Date / location: 19 Jan 2019 / Salford, United Kingdom

Organiser: University of Salford

6. Interesting publications

The role of socio-economic status in depression: results from the COURAGE (aging survey in Europe)

http://bmcpublichealth.biomedcentral.com...

Political origins of health inequities: trade and investment agreements (viewpoint)

Desmond McNeill, Carolyn Deere Birkbeck, Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, Anand Grover, Ted Schrecker, David

Stuckler

The Lancet, 2016

Published online: 8 November 2016

http://bit.ly/2fNJL66

Quality of life of residents living in a city hosting mega-sport events: a longitudinal study http://bmcpublichealth.biomedcentral.com...

After Brexit: learning to be good neighbours Andrew Duff

Click here to download this Publication.

The forgotten guidelines: cross-sectional analysis of participation in muscle strengthening and balance & co-ordination activities by adults and older adults in Scotland

http://bmcpublichealth.biomedcentral.com...

HIV/AIDS infection in Italy

Notiziario dell'Istituto Superiore di Sanità Vol. 29, n. 9, Supplement 1 - 2016

"HIV/AIDS infection in Italy"

http://www.iss.it/binary/publ/cont/COA_ONLINE.pdf

Addressing medical absenteeism in pre-vocational secondary students: effectiveness of a public health intervention, using a quasi-experimental design

http://bmcpublichealth.biomedcentral.com...

Inequalities in full immunization coverage: trends in low- and middle-income countries

María Clara Restrepo-Méndez, Aluísio JD Barros, Kerry LM Wong, Hope L Johnson, George Pariyo, Giovanny VA França, Fernando C Wehrmeister, Cesar G Victora

Bull World Health Organ 2016;94:794-805A

Published online: November 2016

http://bit.ly/2fYsjPM

Perspectives: Area-based units of analysis for strengthening health inequality monitoring

Ahmad Reza Hosseinpoor, Nicole Bergen Bull World Health Organ 2016;94:856–858

Published online: August 2016

http://bit.ly/2fjSLmb

7. European Commission news

Public Consultation on the mid-term evaluation of the 3rd Health Programme (2014-2020) opens today!

Being nearly at the half-way point of the 3rd Health Programme which runs from 2014 to 2020, the Commission would like to evaluate whether it is meeting its objectives and whether there is room for improvement.

As part of the mid-term evaluation, we seek to gather views and experiences from a wide range of stakeholders – not only the organisations and individuals directly involved in or benefitting from the activities of the Programme, but also wider stakeholder groups and individuals interested in health policy, public health, and/or healthcare in Europe.

Does this describe you? If so, we invite you to complete the online form by 23 February 2017.

The results of the public consultation will be used together with other evidence to inform the mid-term evaluation of the Third Health Programme. The European Commission will publish the results of the evaluation including those of the consultation, and will transmit to the European Parliament and to the Council by mid-2017.

For more information

What's new on DG Health & Food Safety website (24-11-2016) EU Common Entry Gate (EU-CEG)

Important information for submitters Submitters are advised to continue with their submissions and await the response for submissions already sent to the EUCEG system

Health-EU Newsletter

Efforts to fight Antimicrobial Resistance intensify, but everyone must do his part Editorial by Prof. Benoit Vallet, Director General for Health, Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, France

Health programme

Public Consultation on the mid-term evaluation of the 3rd Health Programme (2014-2020) opens today

What's new on DG Health & Food Safety website (23-11-2016) State of Health in the EU

Commission kicks off "State of Health in the EU" cycle with the OECD's new "Health at a Glance: Europe" report

Europeans live longer, but extra years are not always spent in good health Press release

What's new on DG Health & Food Safety website (18-11-2016) Antimicrobial Resistance

Leading the fight against Antimicrobial Resistance: New Action Plan to be launched in 2017 On the occasion of the 9th European Antibiotic Awareness Day (EAAD), Commissioner Andriukaitis reminded that the Commission will launch, in 2017, a second Action Plan "building upon and strengthening work done and supporting Member States in the implementation and monitoring of their National Action Plans".

EU Health Award for NGOs

EU Health Award 2016 shortlisted NGOs announced on European Antibiotics Awareness Day

Nutrition and physical activity

Celebrating 'Together' making a difference to lifestyles of mums across Europe – Pilot project's final events and promise of sustainability

Plenary meeting of the European Platform for Action on Diet, Physical Activity and Health (2 June 2016) Minutes of the meeting

Major and chronic diseases

Cancon gives evidence-based advice on cancer control

What's new on DG Health & Food Safety website (17-11-2016) Interest groups

Registration now open for the EU Health Policy Platform meeting on 5 December!

8. European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control news

Eurosurveillance, Volume 21, Issue 47, 24 November 2016 In this issue:

Survey on vaccine hesitancy among GPs in France showed 11% were moderately hesitant and 3% highly hesitant or opposed to vaccination.

RAPID COMMUNICATIONS

A major impact of the influenza seasonal epidemic on intensive care units, Réunion, April to August 2016

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22649

Indoor development of Aedes aegypti in Germany, 2016

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22651

Prolonged excretion of type-2 poliovirus from a primary immune deficient patient during the transition to a type-2 poliovirus-free world, Israel, 2016

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22652

RESEARCH ARTICLE

Prevalence and correlates of vaccine hesitancy among general practitioners: a cross-sectional telephone survey in France, April to July 2014

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22650

ADDENDUM

Addendum for Euro Surveill. 2016;21(46)

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22653

MISCELLANEOUS

Authors' correction for Euro Surveill. 2016;21(46)

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22648

Eurosurveillance, Volume 21, Issue 46, 17 November 2016 In this issue:

More evidence on enterovirus (EV) circulation and EV associated severe disease in 2016 in two rapid communications from Sweden and France

EDITORIAL

Mycobacterium chimaera infections associated with heater-cooler units (HCU): closing another loophole in patient safety

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22645

RAPID COMMUNICATIONS

Outbreak of enterovirus D68 of the new B3 lineage in Stockholm, Sweden, August to September 2016 http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22647

Severe paediatric conditions linked with EV-A71 and EV-D68, France, May to October 2016 http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22646

SURVEILLANCE REPORT

Mycobacterium chimaera colonisation of heater–cooler units (HCU) in Western Australia, 2015: investigation of possible iatrogenic infection using whole genome sequencing http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22640

RESEARCH ARTICLE

Clinical implications of *Mycobacterium chimaera* detection in thermoregulatory devices used for extracorporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO), Germany, 2015 to 2016 http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22641

REVIEW ARTICLE

Prevention of hospital-acquired bloodstream infections through chlorhexidine gluconate-impregnated washcloth bathing in intensive care units: a systematic review and meta-analysis of randomised crossover trials

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22642

NEWS

Eurosurveillance 5th scientific seminar on 30 November at ESCAIDE - 20 years of communicating facts and figures in a changing world

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22644

ECDC publishes 2015 surveillance data on antimicrobial resistance and antimicrobial consumption in Europe

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22643

Eurosurveillance, Volume 21, Issue 44, 3 November 2016 In this issue:

A review of publications on zoonotic influenza with an assessment, among studies considered, of the serological evidence of human exposure to animal influenza

RAPID COMMUNICATION

Summer music and arts festivals as hot spots for measles transmission: experience from England and Wales, June to October 2016

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22634

REVIEW ARTICLE

Weighing serological evidence of human exposure to animal influenza viruses – a literature review http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22632

NEWS

Inaugural 'One Health Day' organised on 3 November 2016 http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22630

MISCELLANEOUS

Job vacancy: Eurosurveillance is looking for a Scientific Editor

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22628

Job vacancies at the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22629

In the national epidemiological bulletins – a selection from current issues

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22631

ECDC's latest publications

http://www.eurosurveillance.org/ViewArticle.aspx?ArticleId=22633

9. WHO news

WHO release's Innov8 Approach for Reviewing National Health Programmes to Leave No One Behind: Technical Handbook

Leaving no one behind" is at the forefront of discussions on the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda. Yet stakeholders at all levels are grappling with the question of how to concretely do just that. The Innov8 Approach for Reviewing National Health Programmes to Leave No One Behind is an eight-step review process geared towards this very aim. Innov8 is a resource that supports operationalization of the SDGs and the progressive realization of universal health coverage and the right to health. It does this by identifying ways to make concrete, meaningful and evidence-based programmatic action to make health programmes more equity-oriented, rights-based and gender responsive, while addressing critical so-cial determinants of health influencing programme effectiveness and outcomes.

The Innov8 Technical Handbook is a user-friendly resource that includes background readings, country examples and analytical activities to support a programmatic review process. The Technical Handbook will be complemented by the release of wider set of materials currently under development by WHO as part of the Innov8 resource package. http://bit.ly/2ghnH4F

Global monitoring system for action on the social determinants of health (SDH) - web-based consultation

World Health Organization

Further Information: http://www.who.int/social_determinants/monitoring-consultation/en/

Deadline: 31 December 2016

The World Health Organization (WHO) is holding a global consultation on its proposed global monitoring system for action on the social determinants of health (SDH). To support submissions on the monitoring system, this consultation paper aims:

To introduce the monitoring of action on the SDH (pp 1-4);

To present the proposed monitoring framework (pp 4-6);

To present the proposed core basket of indicators (pp 6-13); and

To present the rationale and evidence base for the measurement concepts (pp 14-18).

Link to the document: click here

Member States and any other organizations or individuals are invited to comment on any aspect of the proposed framework and indicators that are presented in this consultation paper. However, WHO especially welcomes feedback on the following questions:

- Do the framework objectives cover the pledges made in the *Rio Political Declaration on the Social Determinants of Health*?
- Do you recommend other indicators either as preferred indicator or place-holder indicators?
- Do you recommend other data sources for proposed indicators?