

## **Minutes Join the network meeting 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

### **EUPHA Chronic diseases section (EUPHA-CHR)**

#### **Welcome**

All members attending the network meeting well “welcomed” to the section meeting and a round robin introduction was undergone.

#### **Agenda**

1. Activities 2023 including at this conference collaboration with multiple sections
2. Plans 2024 conference, webinar series, preparations and plans for EPH conference 2024
3. Election of incoming president
4. Proposal for Sectional and Inter-sectional group set-ups
5. Active roles by members
6. Other matters

#### **Activities of the section**

The CHR section organized multiple workshops during EPH all in collaboration with one or more EUPHA sections.

There are plans to start organizing monthly Zoom workshops covering different aspects. All attendees were encouraged to participate as speakers and/or attendees.

A chronic diseases conference is being proposed to be organized in Naples.

Dr. Sarah Cuschieri (Vice-President elect) proposed to organize an online members database for all the section’s members to facilitate collaborations within the section

#### **Ideas for workshop activities next year**

1. Digital health and AI in prevention and management of chronic diseases (Sarah already in contact with EUPHA-DH)
2. Skills building session on technical epidemiology modelling
3. Skills building session targeting scientific writing (Sarah & Julian already in contact with EUPHA-NXT)
4. Oral health as the missed chronic disease (Sarah in contact with EUPHA-OH)

#### **Suggestions from participants**

- Technical epidemiology modelling workshop - proposed by Raffaele Palladino
- AI theme collaboration - proposed by Marcello Di Pumpo
- Collaboration with Dublin City University through Bridget O'Sullivan on the broader understanding of patients' needs using realistic research for patients

### **Elections**

Prof. Saverio Stranges – President elect

Saverio nominated Dr. Sarah Cuschieri as Vice-President – nomination accepted by members

### **Steering committee**

Julian Mamo

Tatjana Makovski

Iveta Nagyova

### **List of attendants**

- Tommaso Osti
- Bridget O'Sullivan
- Maria Laura Bonaccio
- Julian Mamo
- Saverio Stanges
- Marcello Di Pumpo
- Alastair Legland
- Terebessy András
- Raffaele Palladino
- Arnaud Chiolerio
- Valerie Santschi
- Ouma Mary
- Elizabeth Grech
- Sarah Cuschieri