Infectious Diseases at the 9th European Public Health Conference

Overview Infectious Diseases Activities

10-12 November 2016
Vienna, Austria
Thursday 10th

8:30-12:00, Hall N1

Pre-conference: Core competences for strengthened public health system preparedness

Organised by:
European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC), EUPHA Section on Infectious diseases control and the National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), The Netherlands

Chairperson(s):
Massimo Ciotti, ECDC, Sweden
Aura Timen, EUPHA and RIVM, The Netherlands

Speakers:
Michael Stoto, Georgetown University, United States
Silvio Brusaferro, University of Udine, Italy

Panellists:
Massimo Ciotti, ECDC
Michael Stoto (United States)
Silvio Brusaferro (Italy)
Carmen Varela Santos, ECDC
Aura Timen, EUPHA and RIVM, The Netherlands
Giacomo Scaioli, EUPHAnxt
Chadia Wannous, UNISDR
Robert Otok, ASPHER
Frank Van Loock, European Commission, DG SANTE
Thomas Hoffman, WHO EURO

Moderator
Karl Ekdahl (ECDC)

Registration fee:
This pre-conference is free of charge and includes buffet lunch and refreshments.

13:50-14:50, Room L2

Oral presentations: Communicable diseases preparedness and surveillance

Ebola preparedness: the need for co-ordination overarching the public health and curative sector
Corien Swaan - The Netherlands

Imported infectious diseases among newly arrived Eritrean refugees in Switzerland
Afona Chernet - Switzerland

Cost-effectiveness of influenza vaccination of elderly in Sweden
Ellen Wolff - Sweden

Screening for tuberculosis among asylum-seekers in Germany: a systematic review and meta-analysis
Kayvan Bozorgmehr - Germany

Creating a toolkit for critically appraised, evidence-based information on Ebola Virus Disease
Maureen Dobbins - Canada
Thursday 10th

16:30-17:30, Room L2

Oral presentations: Costs and benefits of infectious diseases control

Chairperson(s): Michael Edelstein - United Kingdom

A microsimulation model forecasting the health care costs associated with increasing MRSA infections
Magdalena Prioux - Sweden

Cost-effectiveness analysis of hepatitis B vaccination to children in Sweden
Ellen Wolff - Sweden

The effect of the Ebola Virus Disease on Maternal and Infant Healthcare utilization in Guinea
Alexandre Delamou - Guinea

“Doing the right things right”: Benefits of structured quality improvement (QI) in HIV prevention
Christiana Noestlinger - Belgium

Increasing subnational commitment for measles and rubella elimination: the role of regional reports
Giovanna Adamo - Italy

Fostering flu vaccination among health workers; Forum Theatre and On Site Vaccination in Hospital
Alice Corsaro - Italy

Vaccination status and acceptance of medical students. Results of a multicenter study
Karen Voigt - Germany

A meta-analysis of Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C and HIV prevalence in prisons of high-income countries
Elisa Camussi - Italy

A novel method for a quick detection of legionella in water samples
Daniele Rosadini - Italy

Risk factors of Cutaneous Leishmaniasis (CL) caused by L. tropica: a case-control study in Palestine
Ikram Salah - Israel

Prevention of STI among medical students in Germany and Hungary. Results of a multicenter study
Henna Riemenschneider - Germany

17:40-18:40, Room L4

Skills building seminar: All for e-health and e-health for all: How to develop digital innovations for public health?

Organised by: EUPHA (IDC) and RIVM

Chairperson(s): Desiree Beaujean - The Netherlands

Introduction seminar:
Lex Van Velsen - The Netherlands
Wander Kenter - The Netherlands

17:40-18:40, Room L2

Pitch presentations: Evidence and public health practice in infectious diseases control

Chairperson(s): Silvio Brusaferro - Italy

Available data on immunogenicity and safety of meningococcal B vaccine in children and adolescents
Annalisa Rosso - Italy
**Friday 11th**

**8:30-9:30, Room L2**

**Pitch presentations:**

*Anti Microbial Resistance and other burning topics in infectious diseases*

- **Chairperson(s):**
  Andrea Ammon - (ECDC)

- **Prevalence of livestock associated methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus in farms workers**
  Valentina Mascaro - Italy

- **Highly resistant microorganisms in the community**
  Dorien Nieuwenhuis - The Netherlands

- **Surveillance of resistant bacteria in a French Hospital in 2010-2015 using cumulative control charts**
  Lorenzo Righi - Italy

- **Public’s knowledge, behavior, beliefs and risk perception related to antibiotic resistance**
  Leonie Jansen - The Netherlands

- **Key recommendations for first responders considered essential in outbreak preparedness**
  Evelien Belfroid - The Netherlands

- **Determinants of patient and health-care system delay in the diagnosis of tuberculosis in Sicily**
  Annalisa Quattrocchi - Italy

- **Access without cooperation, legality without legitimacy: challenges of field work in prisons context**
  Sergio Ferreira Jr - Brazil

**11:10-12:40, Room L2**

**Workshop:**

*How can institutional preparedness for public health emergencies contribute to “health for all”?

- **Chairperson(s):**
  Aura Timen - The Netherlands
  Karl Ekdahl - ECDC

- **From SARS to H1N1 to Ebola and beyond: learning from experience with institutional responses to public health emergencies**
  Michael Stoto - United States

- **ECDC support for strengthening capacity for preparedness in the Member States**
  Massimo Ciotti - ECDC

- **Priorities in preparedness: a strategic approach**
  Michael Edelstein - United Kingdom

- **Preparedness issues related to leadership**
  Erik Baekkeskov - Australia

- **How can economic evaluations contribute to institutional preparedness?**
  Tek-Ang Lim - France
Friday 11th

12:50-13:50, Hall E

**Extra activities - Lunch symposium:**
**Research, Practice and Policy: All for Health**

**Organised:**
ECDC, EUPHA

**Chaired and moderated by:**
Karl Ekdahl (ECDC) and Günter Pfaff (EUPHA)

**Speakers:**

Focus on an example from communicable disease area in bringing research-policy-practice together;
Andrea Ammon, Acting Director ECDC

Focus on an example from non-communicable disease area in bringing research-policy-practice together
Gauden Galea, Director, Division of Non-Communicable Diseases and Promoting Health through the Life-Course, WHO Regional Office for Europe

Focus on policy at EU level and the link with research and practice
Isabel de la Mata, European Commission

Focus on policy at national level
Ricardo Baptista Leite, Member of Parliament, Portugal, Head of Public Health, Catholic University of Portugal

Contribution to the network of researchers, policy makers and practitioners in infectious diseases
Aura Timen, President of the EUPHA infectious disease section: EUPHA-IDC

Focus on how policy and research influence his practice
Gindrovel Dumitra, GP from Romania

The perspective of a policy science researcher on how research-policy-practice should work together – what can we learn from the 2009 pandemic?
Erik Baekkeskov, University of Melbourne, Australia

14:00-15:00, Hall L2

**Extra activity:**
**Infectious disease control – Join the network**

EUPHA Sections are theme-specific networks that organise workshops and projects together. EUPHA Pillars are concerned with general aspects of public health. All EUPHA Sections and Pillars are inviting you to Join the Network and attend their annual meeting. These meetings are open to all delegates so feel free to join the network

16:40-17:40, Room L2

**Skills building seminar:**
**Tackling Antimicrobial Resistance: case studies and ethical reflection**

**Chairperson(s):**
Aura Timen - The Netherlands
Peter Schröder-Back - The Netherlands

Dilemmas related to being a carrier of a multidrug resistant organism
Babette Rump - The Netherlands

Value based public health practice and its implications for meeting challenges of antimicrobial resistance and communicable diseases
Farhang Tahzib - United Kingdom

AMR and the Principle of the Least Intrusive Means
Morten Fibieger Byskov - The Netherlands
Saturday 12th

Poster walks, Gallery
8:30-17:00
Poster Display: Health information and infectious diseases

9:40-10:40
Poster walk: Infectious diseases

Chairperson(s):
Gini Van Rijckevorsel - The Netherlands

11:10-12:40, Room L1
Skills building seminar:
Knowledge translation in public health: Moving from evidence to policy and practice

Communication in public health
EUPHA (CHR) EUPHA (PMH), EUPHA (IDC)

Chairperson(s):
Aura Timen - The Netherlands
Jutta Lindert - Germany

Getting research findings into practice and policy: Barriers and bridges to evidence-informed public health
Iveta Nagyova - Slovakia

Knowledge translation of health research: Using evidence for policy in health and well-being
Claudia Stein - WHO EURO

Prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases (NCDs) through evidence-informed public health
Gauden Galea - WHO EURO

Panel:
Claudia Stein - WHO EURO
Gauden Galea - WHO EURO
Silvio Brusaferro - Italy
David Stuckler - United Kingdom
Katarzyna Czabanowska - The Netherlands

9:40-10:40, Room L8
Workshop: Ageing and Healthpart

Chairperson(s):
Jutta Lindert - Germany
Iveta Nagyova - Slovakia

Meeting the challenge of ageing and multimorbidity
Andrea Pavlickova - United Kingdom

The willingness of older adults to receive vaccination against influenza, pneumococcal disease, herpes zoster and pertussis and the role of the general practitioners
Renske Eilers - The Netherlands

Life events and mental health
Jutta Lindert - Germany

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