PUBLIC HEALTH EPIDEMIOLOGY SECTION

Ljubljana 2018
Agenda

- Communications
- 2018 main PHE activities
- Election of a new Section President
- Future activities
  - Workshop proposals
  - Preconference meeting
  - Research collaboration
  - Other
Public health epidemiology

We currently have 3162 section members. It would be great to add you to those members!

So join us here.

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The aim of this section is to increase the knowledge base on epidemiologic methodology that can be applied to the public health fields, both at the individual and population levels.

The epidemiological approach to public health involves several disciplines, both quantitative and qualitative, such as epidemiology, biostatistics and social sciences, and the role of the section is to promote initiatives both methodological and operational.

The section is to:

- Promote and strengthen the development and use of the epidemiological methods in public health
- Encourage the presentation of public health epidemiology experiences at the annual conferences of EUPHA. Oral presentation of abstracts should be brought together at the same sessions.
- At each conference arrange at least one workshop on methodological, scientific and/or operational aspects regarding public health epidemiology.
- Work for a high scientific standard of studies on public health epidemiology.
- Encourage the publication of studies on public health epidemiology.
- Act in an advisory capacity for policy statements and papers to influence policy makers and politicians in line with EUPHA objectives.

Pre-conference meeting for public health epidemiology researchers in connection to the EUPHA...
• Workshop 2005: Systematic reviews and meta-analysis in public health
• Workshop 2006: **Contextual and compositional determinants of inequalities**
• Workshop 2007: The role of public health epidemiology in the health technology assessment
The procedures for the election of a new President of the Section of Public Health Epidemiology are closed.

The nominees got the following results:
- Stefania Boccia: 99 votes
- Lindsay Gray: 24 votes
- Hamid Yahya Hussain: 3 votes

So, Prof. Stefania Boccia has been elected as new President of the section.
HOW CAN WE REDUCE INEQUALITIES IN CHILD HEALTH? PERSPECTIVES FROM ACROSS EUROPE.
• Future activities
Workshop proposals

• Joint workshop with HTA section on Assessing statistical methods in drug therapy
• Policies as instrumental issue (legal epidemiology) (WHO)
Methods of evidence based public health
• 12th EPH Conference 2019
Building bridges for solidarity and PH
Marseille, France, 20-23 November
Suggestions

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