

Detailed Scientific Programme

11th Annual EUPHA meeting, 20-22 November 2003, Rome - Programme

Thursday November 20th Thursday November 20th

8.30 OPENING OF REGISTRATIONS

9.00 – 10.15 ANNUAL MEETINGS OF THE EUPHA SECTIONS

10.30-12.30 EUPHA GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING

14.00-15:30 PARALLEL SESSIONS/WORKSHOPS 1

Workshops:

- **1. EUPHA section on public health practice and policy. Public health practice in Europe – perspectives and challenges**
- **2. Final EUPHA workshop on the future of public health**
- **3. EUPHA section on food and nutrition: European experiences in prevention of obesity and in evaluation of preventive programmes**
- **4. EUPHA section on health promotion: the role of health promotion in tackling inequalities**
- **5. EUPHA section on social security and health: How to assess work ability in relation to sickness certification?**
- **6. EUPHA section youth: Environment and children's health in Europe**
- **7. Policy health impact assessment for the European Union**
- **8. IFH conference session: Preventing infectious disease in the domestic setting: a shared responsibility**

17.00-17.30 OPENING SESSION – WELCOME ADDRESSES BY:

Italian Health Minister, G. Sirchia

EUPHA President, W. Kirch

SITI President, G. Renga

EUPHA Elect President, W. Ricciardi

17.30–18.00 Globalization and health: which consequences for Europe
M. McKee

18.00–18.30 Prevention and control of infectious diseases in a European perspective
F. V. Loock

18.30–19.00 Europe against cancer: current status and perspectives
P. Boyle

19.00–19.30 DISCUSSION

Friday November 21st Friday November 21st

9.00-10.30 PLENARY SESSION 1 “FOOD SAFETY IN EUROPE”

- Food Policy in Europe
T. Lang
- Nutrition and Health in Europe
F. Romano
- Discussion

11.00-12.30 PARALLEL SESSIONS/WORKSHOPS 2

Workshops:

- 9. Health indicators at the sub-national level**
- 10. Monitoring of cardiovascular diseases: results of the EUROCISS project**
- 11. Infectious diseases: a world without borders**
- 12. EUPHA section on health services research: in search of the best innovations: comparative methods in health services research**
- 13. Why utilisation of medicines is a public health interest. Final results from the eu-funded EURO-MED-STAT project.**
- 14. Availability and use of ethnic specific public health data in various European countries**
- 15. EUPHA workshop on the public health impact of man-made disasters: research methods and tools**
- 16. Evidence for action: how research can address the needs of policy-makers (European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies, WHO Health Evidence Network, DG SANCO)**

14.00-15.30 PARALLEL SESSION/WORKSHOPS 3

WORKSHOPS

- 17 End-of-life decision making in 6 European countries**
- 18 EUPHA skills-building workshop: the interaction between research and evaluation: a partnership for public health policy development**
- 19 European health indicators for people with an intellectual disability - the POMONA project**

PARALELL SESSIONS

- 1. Medication**
- 2. Health Services Research**
- 3. Child-related health issues I**
- 4. Public health policies**
- 5. Violence and disasters**
- 6. Cardiovascular diseases I**
- 7. Hospital management**

8. Social economic inequality and mortality

9. Health indicators I: international

16:00-17:30 PARALLEL SESSIONS/WORKSHOPS 4

WORKSHOPS

20 Future directions for health systems research

21 Towards European co-ordination and exchange of information and knowledge: is it possible to develop a European system based on national health surveys?

22 EUROCHIP: the European Cancer Health Indicator Project: results and future actions

23 The development of European Health Promotion Monitoring System (the EUHPID project)

PARALELL SESSIONS

10. Child-related health issues II

11. Promoting work ability

12. Health indicators II: data

13 Risk factors for disease

14 Cardiovascular diseases II

15 Social and socio-demographic inequalities

16 Health policies

17 Pharmaceuticals

18 Alcohol and health

19 Ethical health issues

17:40-18:10 PLENARY SESSION 2 HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT

- Health services management: the economist's view
K. Lee
- Health services management: the physicians view
T. Massaro
- Discussion

Saturday November 22nd Saturday November 22nd

9.00-10.30 PLENARY SESSION 3 "PUBLIC HEALTH AND MAN-MADE DISASTERS"

- Risks and actions against bio-terrorism in Europe
G. Fadda
- Public health consequences of disaster
S. Wessely
- Médecins sans Frontières
J.H. Bradol. E. Davoli
- Discussion

11.00-12.30 PARALLEL SESSIONS/WORKSHOPS 5

WORKSHOPS

24 The HAPIEE study: a multi-centre study of determinants of cardiovascular diseases in Russia, Poland and the Czech Republic

25 Health targets implementation: values and principles for the 21st century

26 UEMS Workshop: Challenges in the harmonisation of the Public Health Medicine name and in competencies and practices

PARALELL SESSIONS

20. Migrant and ethnic minorities and refugees

21. Health promotion

22 Mental Health

23 Health care

24 Life-styles

25 Mortality

26 Health indicators III: application

27 Sickness absence

28 Infectious diseases

29 Informed patients and use of health services

30 General practice

31 Miscellaneous

12.45-13.15 FERENC BOJAN MEMORIAL LECTURE

- EU enlargement: major public health issues in the acceding countries
R. Adany

13.15-13.45 Closing Ceremony