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“Improving patient outcomes – a shared responsibility”

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THE 2013 EAHP CONGRESS

Dear Colleagues,

"Improving patient outcomes: a shared responsibility" is the theme of the 18th Congress of EAHP which will take place in Paris, France, from 13-15 March 2013. This topic covers two of the major goals of our association: the commitment to the patient and the importance of collaboration with other health professionals. It is therefore a great pleasure to me inviting you to be a part of this event in line with the successful congresses of the last years.

Hospital pharmacists are the stakeholders in optimising the medication of inpatients, but their responsibility does not end at the interface to primary care. To hospital pharmacists, seamless care means that communicating with our colleagues and the doctors working in the primary sector is crucial. Due to the fact that this is prone to errors, the congress will focus on the different aspects of the interface with the scope of helping all participants to understand the origin of faults. Do not miss such an opportunity!

The EAHP congress is growing from year to year and we now have guests from all continents which makes it a forum for Europe, as well as, a place for networking with pharmacists from around the world. The exhibition will bring you in touch with all important companies in the field of hospital pharmacy giving insight to new technology from Europe and around the globe.

It is not necessary to emphasize the attractiveness of the venue: Paris is a unique city where everyone will find some unforgettable place to enjoy or visit cultural highlights.

See you in Paris!

Dr. Roberto Frontini, EAHP President

FOREWORD BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Dear Friends in European Hospital Pharmacy,

"Improving patient outcomes – a shared responsibility" will be the frame for the presentations at the Paris 2013 EAHP Congress. Most hospital pharmacists across Europe feel the need for the development of skills and services for the future of their profession. They are facing challenges mostly coming from economic factors but also from the expectations and the need for new hospital pharmacy services. These are the opportunities and driving forces in the process of change. The 18th EAHP Congress offers you inspiration for the process of developing your every day job and influencing the future of your profession.

Keynote presentations such as "The impact of the hospital pharmacist’s involvement in patient care" will open your eyes to the general trend and prepare you for an “An introduction to multidisciplinary teams”. During the third keynote, hospital pharmacists will receive a different point of view on "Prevention of critical incidents" from a non-pharmacological perspective.

Seminars which are open for interactions with the speakers will be dealing with the need for specialisation for the hospital pharmacist which is present in some European countries but missing in many others. This year, the seminars are related to three theme areas: Therapeutic, Operational and Conceptual. The therapeutic sessions are centered around the topics of Nutrition, Infection, Pediatrics, Cancer and Wound care. The operational topics will provide insight on how to select and implement new technologies, medication reconciliation, prescribing, vigilance and interface pharmacy. The conceptual theme will present topics like accreditation, education and communication. The common denominator of all these topics will be multidisciplinary cooperation between nurses, physicians and other health care providers. All subjects for presentations are in the form of seminars with presentations by two speakers and time for questions. Along with keynotes and seminars there will also be the Highlights of French Hospital Pharmacy, where our young and dynamic French colleagues will present the current topics related to hospital pharmacy in France today. In addition, workshops will be given within the theme of the congress and will provide inspiration within the clinical pharmacy and medical devices areas.

Join the 18th EAHP Congress in Paris, a city which requires no further introduction and where good living and science are well integrated as will be our 18th congress.

Come and enjoy.

Prof. Dr. Cees Neef, incoming Chairman of the Scientific Committee

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Preliminary Scientific Programme

Theme: Improving patient outcomes – a shared responsibility

Keynote 1: The hospital pharmacist’s impact on patient care
Keynote 2: An introduction to multidisciplinary teams
Keynote 3: Prevention of critical incidents - an issue for different disciplines

Seminars:

Therapeutic
ST1 A multidisciplinary approach to nutrition
ST2 Ethics and risks in antibiotic prophylaxis
ST3 Are Pan European hospital standards feasible in the small world of paediatrics?
ST4 Team challenges in cancer: from cytotoxics to supportive care
ST5 Innovative approaches to wound care

Operational
SO1 The selection and implementation of technology
SO2 Medication reconciliation: the ultimate team work
SO3 Working together to improve the prescription process
SO4 Challenges in vigilance
SO5 Medicines across the interface- who is responsible?

Conceptual
SC1 Accreditation and quality management
SC2 Reciprocal learning cuts both ways
SC3 Trends in communication

Other Sessions
Highlights of French Hospital Pharmacy; National Delegates’ Seminar; 3 workshops; Synergy satellites

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