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Wednesday, 13 March 2013 14.00 –15.30

Room 252 A+B

Le Palais des Congrès de Paris 2, Place de la Porte Maillot 75 017 Paris, France

Chair and Moderator

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Biosimilar Antibodies:

Examining the Facts and the Clinical Dilemmas

18th Congress of the European Association of Hospital Pharmacists

AGENDA

- 14.00 Welcome and introduction
- 14.05 Biosimilar antibodies: Are we prepared? Jos Kosterink, PharmD, PhD
- 14.25 Q&A
- 14.30 Case #1: Non-Hodgkin lymphoma: A critical appraisal of biosimilar anti-CD 20 antibodies

 Timothy Illidge, MD, PhD
- 14.50 Q&A
- 14.55 Case #2: Breast cancer: A critical appraisal of biosimilar anti-HER2 antibodies

 Javier Cortés, MD, PhD
- 15.15 Q&A
- 15.20 Take-home messages

Target Audience

This educational activity is specifically designed for pharmacists and other healthcare providers interested in biosimilar antibodies.

Learning Objectives

After successful completion of this educational activity, participants should be able to:

- Discuss the complexities regarding biosimilar antibody development and usage
- Evaluate the role of monoclonal antibodies in the treatment of lymphoma and breast cancer
- Analyze major issues of contention regarding biosimilar antibodies, including immunogenicity, extrapolation, traceability, and automatic substitution



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