EPA FORUM 2017 TOGETHER FOR MENTAL HEALTH: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

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First introduced in 2015, the Forum brings together EPA Council of National Society/Association (NPA) members and EPA Individual members and Congress participants, along with other European NPAs and European organisations, stakeholders and policy makers, to present and discuss matters of European importance in the field of Mental Health and Mental Health Care.



Mental health as an essential component of public health *Chair: Silvana Galderisi*

- **09:15** Public mental health:
- 09:35 time to translate evidence into practice Kristian Wahlbeck
- 09:35 The failure to translate 09:55 evidence into practice: is it a matter of cost
 - effectiveness? Martin Knapp
- 09:55 Promoting and protecting 10:15 mental health in Europe: Challenges and opportunities Daniel Chisholm
- 10:15 Discussion 10:30

Identifying and bridging the gaps in the organisation of mental health services across europe *Chair: Wolfgang Gaebel*

- 10:30 Mental health services
 10:50 in Europe: An overview Norman Sartorius
 10:50 The organisation
 11:05 of Mental Health Services in Northern Europe Merete Nordentoft
 11:05 The organisation
 11:20 of Mental Health Service
 - in Southern Europe Angelo Fioritti
- 11:20The organisation11:35of Mental Health Servicein Eastern EuropeCyril Höschl
- 11:35 Discussion 11:50
- 11:50 Coffee Break 12:00

Identifying and bridging the gaps in the organisation of mental health services across Europe: The point of view of the various stakeholders *Chair: Philip Gorwood*

12:00 12:15	The role of the European Commission
	Herta Adam (DG SANTE)
12:15	The point of view
12:30	of the users
	Hilkka Kärkkäinen (GAMIAN)
12:30	The point of view
12:45	of the families
	Miia Männikkö (EUFAMI)
12:45	The point of view
13:00	of the European general
	practitioners
	Henk Parmentier (WONCA)
13:00	The point of view of the
13:15	European Psychiatric Nurses
	Martin Ward (Horatio)
13:15	General Discussion
13:30	moderated by Wolfgang
	Gaebel
13:30	EPA Forum Lunch
14:00	

About the European Psychiatric Association

The European Psychiatric Association (EPA) was founded in 1983. With active individual members in as many as 88 countries and 40 National Society/Association Members who represent over 78,000 European psychiatrists, the European Psychiatric Association is the main association representing psychiatry in Europe. Its mission is to improve psychiatry and mental health care in Europe.

EPA members include leading experts in numerous fields. EPA's activities address the interests of psychiatrists in academia, research and practice throughout all stages of career development. Together, EPA members contribute to the life of the association and to the development of psychiatry in Europe. Each member has the possibility to actively contribute to ongoing projects and play a key role in shaping the future of the association and its policy.

EPA accomplishes its mission though the following activities:

- Annual European Congress of Psychiatry
- European Psychiatry Journal
- EPA Courses, Summer School, Faculty Workshops and other forms of training
- Early Career Psychiatrists Committee and specialised Congress Programme
- Research Prizes and Scholarship Programme
- 21 Scientific Sections
- Cooperation with National Psychiatric Societes/Associations through EPA membership
- Guidance papers and position statements on related topics of interest
- Initiatives on improving ethical standards of psychiatric care and practice
- Collaborative activities in partnership with international organisations working in the field of psychiatry and mental health care

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