



6th European Public Health Conference
13 – 16 November 2013
The Square, Brussels, Belgium

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Brussels 2013 is organized by:

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Health in Europe: are we there yet?

Learning from the past, building the future



Brussels 2013

First announcement



Don't miss this opportunity!

The European Public Health Conference aims to contribute to the improvement of public health in Europe by offering the means for exchanging information and a platform for debate to researchers, policymakers and practitioners in the field of public health, health services research and public health training and education in Europe.

In 2013, the European public health community will celebrate the 20th anniversary of the health mandate under the Treaty of Maastricht. Timing and location of the conference, at the heart of Europe, offer a unique opportunity to consider the successes achieved in the past and the challenges to continue building the future.

Europe is facing societal and economic challenges which touch upon all sections of society. Demographic changes, due to ageing, will increase demand and pressure on current health services and healthcare provision. More cases of chronic diseases, shrinking workforces in the health sector, growing expectations and demands from citizens, and budget constraints put further pressure on the sustainability of health systems across the Europe. From a positive side, European citizens are living longer and in better health. More years of good health mean better quality of life and greater independence, as well as the opportunity to continue to lead an active life and contribute to society. More years of good health also mean less pressure on health systems.

The conference has a wide European dimension, with participants from over 50 countries. The conference covers a broad range of health issues, has a high

political relevance and has a large number of involved organizations, European networks and a major audience of public health professionals.

Plenary sessions:

The plenary sessions will be organized on the following themes:

- Are we there yet? Learning from the past, building the future
- Hurling towards the cliff edge? Population dynamics and public health
- No limits for public health! Using evidence for policy changes
- How to make it happen! On the development of people and institutions in public health
- Perspectives on past and future health actions in Europe

Invited keynote presenters:

- John Dalli, EU Commissioner for Health and Consumer Policy
- Zsuzsanna Jakab, WHO Regional Director for Europe
- Hans Rosling, Karolinska Institute, Sweden

- Alok Mukhopadhyay, Voluntary Health Association, India
- David Byrne, former EU Commissioner, Ireland
- Harry Burns, NHS, Scotland
- Pamela Rendi-Wagner, Ministry of Health, Austria
- Peter Piot, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, United Kingdom
- Julio Frenk, Harvard School of Public Health, United States
- Marianne Olsson, Sahlgrenska University Hospital, Sweden

DATE AND VENUE

The 6th European Public Health Conference will be held from 13 to 16 November 2013 at The Square, Brussels, Belgium.

LANGUAGE

The conference language will be English.



CONFERENCE FEES

	EUPHA/ASPHER members and members of our partners	Non-members
Until 15 September 2013	€ 550	€ 625
From 16 September 2013	€ 600	€ 675
Student fees	€ 325	€ 325
Day registration	€ 350	€ 400

Registration fee includes conference documentation, coffee breaks, lunch and conference reception. The conference dinner will be charged at an additional fee.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Interested public health professionals are invited to submit their abstracts for oral or poster presentations by 1 May 2013 directly via the conference homepage: www.eupha.org/Brussels2013

The guidelines for abstracts can be found on the website as of 1 February 2013.

CALL FOR WORKSHOPS

International scientific groups are invited to submit workshops as a forum to present their experiences and debate their interpretation. Workshops can be submitted by 1 May 2013 directly via the conference homepage: www.eupha.org/Brussels2013.

The guidelines for workshops can be found on the website as of 1 February 2013.

WELCOME RECEPTION

The welcome reception is kindly offered by the City of Brussels and will be hosted by the Mayor of Brussels at the City Hall on the Grand-Place on Thursday 14 November 2013.

SUBSIDISED PLACES

There is a possibility for subsidized places for presenting authors. Please check our website for further details: www.eupha.org/Brussels2013.

STUDENT REGISTRATION

Students can register at a reduced rate. Persons full time enrolled in a college or university who are actively pursuing a degree in the health field can register as a student. Proof of status from the Registrar's office verifying full-time status is required to process your application. Part-time students, postdoctoral candidates and others that cannot meet these requirements are not eligible for the discounted student rates. Please register as a student and send proof of student status to student@eupha.org

CANCELLATION CHARGES

Registration is only confirmed after receipt of the enrolment fee. Cancellations should be notified in writing to: registration@eupha.org

Cancellations will be charged as follows:

- Until 15 September 2013: bank and credit card charges, € 30 administrative fees;
- Until 15 October 2013: 50% payable
- After 15 October 2013: no refund

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation has been pre-blocked in a number of hotels within walking distance of the conference venue. For booking information please visit: www.eupha.org/Brussels2013

Programme at a glance

Wednesday – 13 November

08.30: Pre registration
All day: Pre-conferences

Thursday – 14 November

08.30: Registration
All morning pre-conferences
12.00: Opening session: Welcome address and opening of the conference
13.00: Plenary 1
14.00: Parallel sessions 1
16.00: Parallel sessions 2
17.40: Plenary session 2
18.40: End
Welcome reception City Hall Brussels

Friday – 15 November

09.00: Plenary session 3
10.30: Parallel sessions 3
13.00: Parallel sessions 4
15.00: Moderated posters sessions
17.20: Plenary session 4
18.20: End
Conference dinner

Saturday – 16 November

09.00: Parallel sessions 5
10.30: Moderated poster sessions
13.00: Late breaker session
14.00: Plenary session 5
15.00: Closing ceremony
15.45: End

Brussels 2013 is the place to meet your colleagues from:

- Universities and Schools of Public Health
- Research Organizations
- Health Consulting Companies
- European Non-governmental organizations
- European Patients organizations
- Health Departments/Government
- Pharmaceutical Companies
- Medical/Health Product Manufacturers
- Publishers
- Health Technology Firms
- International Agencies
- Prevention Agencies