

EUROPEAN SUMMIT

PREVENTION AND SELF-MANAGEMENT OF AIRWAY DISEASES

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Host: MEP David Borrelli
MEP Sirpa Pietikäinen

Chairs: Prof. Antonella Muraro, EAACI
Prof. Wytse Fokkens, ERS (Rhinology)
Prof. Guy Joos, ERS (Respiratory)
Prof. Jean Bousquet, ARIA-EUFOREA



11:15 - 11:20

WELCOME ADDRESS

MEP David Borrelli, Host of the summit

11:20 - 12:00

SCIENTIFIC RATIONALE FOR PREVENTION OF CHRONIC AIRWAY DISEASES

The immunologic rationale for prevention of chronic airway diseases
Prof. Cezmi Akdis, Switzerland

Therapeutic strategies to prevent asthma

Prof. Ioana Agache, President-elect of EAACI

The paediatric view

Prof. Arunas Valiulis, Lithuania

Lessons on prevention by national audit

Prof. Valerie Lund, UK

Fit at work with rhinitis

Prof. Mike Bewick, UK

Prevention of allergy and asthma in Finland

Prof. Tari Haahtela, Finland

Key Note Speech

12:00 - 12:20

PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT OF CHRONIC AIRWAY DISEASES: WHAT EUROPEAN UNION CO-OPERATION CAN DO TO HELP

Mr. Martin Seychell, Deputy Director General in DG Health and Food Safety

12:20 - 12:35

LAUNCH OF THE EUROPEAN PATIENT SUPPORT PLATFORM

The EUFOREA platform: innovation in chronic airway diseases
Prof. Peter Hellings, EUFOREA

Implementing emerging technologies for predictive medicine in chronic airway diseases

Prof. Jean Bousquet, ARIA - EUFOREA

Novel era of patient education

Prof. Wytse Fokkens, EUFOREA

12:35 - 13:00

INNOVATIVE MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES OF CHRONIC AIRWAY DISEASES: A VISION TO THE FUTURE

The role of the scientific societies

Prof. Guy Joos, President of ERS (Respiratory)

Strategies for broad implementation of effective self-care (The PROSTEP project)

David Somekh, UK

Patient empowerment

Erna Botjes, Vice President of EFA

Technology transfer in rhinitis and asthma

Maddalena Illario, Co-chair of the EIP on AHA Reference Site Collaborative network

13:00 - 13:10

DISCUSSIONS & CONCLUSION

Prof. Antonella Muraro, EAACI president

MEP Sirpa Pietikäinen, Chair of the EP IG on Allergy and Asthma