

## PROGRAMME

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### Health Technology Assessment in national and cross-border healthcare in Europe

Day 1: 8 December 2011, Thursday

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**Chairman: François Meyer**, Director, Advisor to the President of International Affairs, French National Authority for Health (HAS)

**12.00** - Start of the registration

**12.00 - 13.45** - Welcome coffee and refreshments

**14.00 - 14.05** - **Welcome** by **Wojciech Matusewicz**, President of the Agency for Health Technology Assessment in Poland (AHTAPol)

**14.05 - 14.10** - Chairman's opening remarks

**14.10 - 14.20** - **Introduction** by the European Commission by **John Dalli**, European Commissioner for Health and Consumer Protection

**14.20 - 14.35** - **Introduction** from the Health Ministries of Poland, The Netherlands and Denmark:

**Adam Fronczak**, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Health, Poland

**Hugo Hurts**, Director General of Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices, Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sports, The Netherlands

**Niels Würgler Hansen**, Head of Division for Hospital Policy, Ministry of Health, Denmark

**14.35 - 15.00** - **Results of EUnetHTA Joint Action 1** by **Finn Børlum Kristensen**, Chair of the Executive Committee of European network for Health Technology Assessment (EUnetHTA)

**15.00 - 15.15** - Question and Answers moderated by **François Meyer**

**15.15 - 15.35** - **EUnetHTA Joint Action 2 and the EUnetHTA long term strategy** by **Julia Chamova**, EUnetHTA Secretariat (presented by Finn Børlum Kristensen)

**15.35 - 15:50** - **HTA capacity building and facilitation of national strategies for HTA sustainability as a part of the long term strategy** by **Krzysztof Orłowski**, Agency for Health Technology Assessment in Poland (AHTAPol)

**15.50 - 16.15** - Discussion moderated by **François Meyer**

**16.15 - 16.45** - Coffee Break

**16.45 - 17:25** - **Vision on HTA now and in the future** – by representatives from industry, patients, payers, health care providers.

**Andrea Rappagliosi**, Belgium (Industry)

**Anders Olauson**, Sweden (Patients)

**Irina Odnoletkova**, Belgium (Payers)

**Pascal Garel**, France (Healthcare Providers)

**17.25 - 17.55** - **Roundtable on future in international HTA collaboration** with representatives from stakeholders and participants from EUnetHTA moderated by **Rubin Minhas**, Clinical Director, BMJ Evidence Centre, BMJ Group, London.

Participants from EUnetHTA:

**Carole Longson**, NICE, United Kingdom

**Alric Rüter**, IQWiG, Germany

**Raf Mertens**, KCE, Belgium

**Juozas Galdikas**, VASPVT, Lithuania

**17.55 - 18.00** - Concluding remarks by **François Meyer**

**18.00** - **End of scientific programme** day 1.

**20.00-22.00** - **Gala dinner at Gdańsk Shipyard**

## **Day 2: 9 December 2011, Friday**

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**Chairman:** **Lloyd Sansom**, Senior Advisor at Department of Health and Ageing, Australia

**09.00 - 09.10** - Chairman's opening remarks

**09.10 - 09.40** - **Relative effectiveness assessments (REA) of pharmaceuticals**, first results by **Wim Goettsch**, Health Care Insurance Board (CVZ), The Netherlands.

**09.40 - 10.00** - **The role and development of European guidelines for REA of pharmaceuticals** by **Mira Pavlovic**, French National Authority for Health (HAS).

**10.00 - 10.15** - Questions and Answers moderated by **Lloyd Sansom**

**10.15 - 10.45** - Coffee Break

**10.45 - 11.00** - The view of the European Commission on the results of the EUnetHTA JA1 so far the and role of cross-border (rapid) assessments in the future by **Andrzej Ryś**, European Commission.

**11.00 - 11.50** - Possible role of European collaborative assessments in national reimbursement processes - representatives from the Health ministries of European member states:

**Niels Würgler Hansen**, Ministry of the Interior and Health, Denmark

**Hugo Hurts**, Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sports, The Netherlands

**Anneli Törrönen**, Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, Finland

**Jakub Adamski**, Ministry of Health, Poland

**Marcella Marletta**, Ministry of Health, Italy

**11.50 - 12.30** - Roundtable on how to proceed with European collaborative assessments with representatives from national Health Ministries and **Andrzej Ryś**, European Commission - moderated by **Karen Facey**, Member of the Scottish Health Technologies Group, United Kingdom

**12.30 12:45** - Concluding remarks by **Finn Børlum Kristensen** and **Lloyd Sansom**

**12.45** - End of the program

**13.00** - Lunch