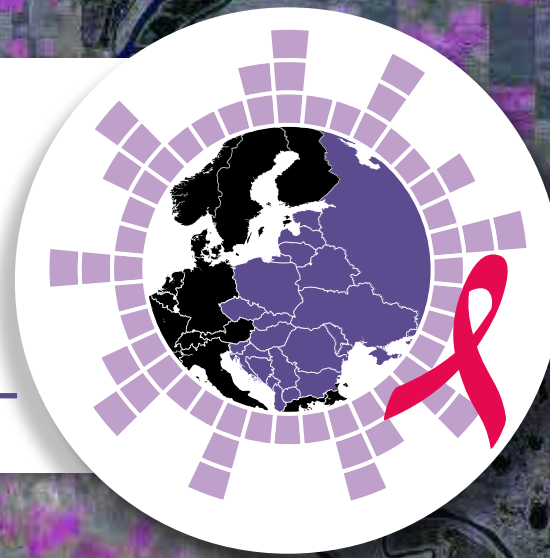


2ND CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPEAN MEETING ON

VIRAL HEPATITIS AND CO-INFECTION WITH HIV

BUCHAREST, ROMANIA • 6 - 7 OCTOBER 2016



WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Healthcare professionals involved in daily care for HCV patients such as infectious disease doctors, gastro-enterologists, hepatologists and others.

WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

- This new independent program is developed by **regional and international Key Opinion Leaders** for the medical and scientific community in Eastern and Central European countries;
- This meeting aims to provide a unique and much needed **platform for scientific and medical interchange** and education on treatment of Viral Hepatitis and Co-infection with HIV.
- It is a **focused meeting** to address **regional challenges** and to **build collaborations** in order to advance the field.

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

THURSDAY 6 OCTOBER

08.30 h Registration, welcome coffee

10.00 h **Opening of the Meeting**

Session 1 HIV-HCV Coinfection: Situation in Central-Eastern Europe

10.15 h **Country - specific presentations (10 min. each)**

12.30 h Panel discussion

13.00 h Lunch

Session 2 Management of Hepatitis B

14.00 h **State-of-the-Art Treatment of Hepatitis B**

Cihan Yurdaydin, MD, PhD, University of Ankara, Turkey

14.30 h **Prospects of care**

Speaker to be confirmed

15.00 h Abstract - driven presentations

15.30 h Coffee Break

16.00 h **industry - sponsored Symposium**

Session 3 Management of Hepatitis Delta

17.30 h **Update on New Drugs**

Speaker to be confirmed

18.00 h Abstract - driven presentations

18.30 h Adjournment

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

We invite you to submit abstracts for a poster or oral presentation on the following topics:

- Liver cancer
- Liver transplantation
- Liver Steatosis
- Hepatitis Drug Resistance

- New anti-HCV agents
- Treatment issues --- Hepatitis-HIV coinfection
- Drug Interactions --- Hepatitis ARTs
- Monitoring and diagnostic tools

**Abstract submission deadline:
1 July 2016**

FRIDAY 7 OCTOBER

Session 4 Treatment Challenges in HCV - special populations

08.30 h **Intravenous Drug Users**

Pavel Khaykin, MD, MainFachArzt, Germany

09.00 h **Women**

Speaker to be confirmed

09.30 h Abstract - driven presentations

10.00 h Coffee Break

Session 5

10.30 h Abstract - driven presentations

11.00 h Special Session

13.00 h Lunch and poster viewing

Session 6 Debate: Prioritizing Treatment

14.00 h **Moderator: Jürgen Rockstroh, MD**, University of Bonn, Germany

Panel members: 2 - 3 country representatives

15.30 h **Cost-efficiency versus Potency**

Adrian Streinu Cercel, MD, PhD, Matei Bals Infectious Diseases Institute, Bucharest, Romania

16.00 h Coffee Break

Session 7 Management of HIV - HCV Co-infection

16.30 h **State-of-the-Art Treatment of HIV - HCV Co-infection**

Jürgen Rockstroh, MD, University of Bonn, Germany

16.30 h **Drug - Drug Interactions: considerations**

Anca Streinu Cercel, MD, PhD, Matei Bals Infectious Diseases Institute, Bucharest, Romania

Abstract - driven presentations

17.00 h Closing Remarks

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