

77TH WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY SIDE EVENT

ACCESS TO NOVEL THERAPIES GLOBALLY: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES

Date/Time: Friday, 31 May 2024, 10:00 – 13:30

Venue: International Museum of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, Avenue de la Paix 17, 1202 Genève, Switzerland

ORGANIZERS



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10:00 – 10:30 REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE

10:30 – 10:50	Welcome Addresses	<i>Dr Androulla Eleftheriou</i> , Executive Director, Thalassaemia International Federation (TIF) <i>Cesar Garrido</i> , President, World Federation of Hemophilia (WFH) <i>George Savva</i> , Health Officer, Department of International Relations and World Health Organization Affairs, Ministry of Health of the Republic of Cyprus <i>Dr. Natasha Azzopardi-Muscat</i> , Director of the Division of Country Health Policies and Systems, WHO EURO
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SETTING THE SCENE – Chair: Alain Baumann, Chief Executive Officer, WFH

10:50 – 11:10	Global Inequities in Access to Therapies for Bleeding Disorders	<i>Brian O'Mahony</i> , Chief Executive of Irish Haemophilia Society, Coagulation Products Safety, Supply and Access Committee, WFH
11:10 – 11:30	Global Inequities in Access to Innovative Therapies: The Example of Haemoglobin Disorders	<i>Dr Androulla Eleftheriou</i> , Executive Director, TIF
11:30 – 11:45	Q&A	

PANEL DISCUSSION – Moderator: Dr Androulla Eleftheriou, Executive Director, TIF

11:45 – 12:30	PANELISTS	
	Patient Representatives	<i>Mr. Ganescu Costin Radu</i> , President, Asociatia Persoanelor cu Talasemie Majora (APTM); President, Romania Coalition of Patients Organizations with Chronic Disease; Treasurer, European Patients Forum
	» Thalassaemia	
	» Hemophilia	<i>Brian O'Mahony</i> , Chief Executive of IHS, Coagulation Products Safety, Supply and Access Committee, WFH
	Healthcare Professionals	<i>Maria Elisa Mancuso</i> (MD, PHD), Senior Hematology Consultant, Center for Thrombosis and Hemorrhagic Diseases of IRCCS Humanitas Research Hospital in Rozzano, Milan, Italy, Adjunct Clinical Professor at Humanitas University.
	Industry Representative	<i>Paolo Morgese</i> , Vice-President of Public Affairs, Alliance for Regenerative Medicine
	Policymakers	<i>Dr. Natasha Azzopardi-Muscat</i> , Director of the Division of Country Health Policies and Systems, WHO EURO

CONCLUDING REMARKS

12:30 – 12:45	<i>Dr Androulla Eleftheriou</i> , Executive Director, TIF <i>Cesar Garrido</i> , President, WFH
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12:45– 13:30 NETWORKING LUNCH