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Rationale

IMAgINE EURO, coordinated by the WHO Collaborating Center of the IRCCS Burlo Garofolo Trieste is a project based on a network of more than 15 countries. It includes two online surveys (one for mothers, the other for health workers) to explore maternal and newborn health services preparedness, quality and resilience, among countries of the WHO European Region, at different phases of the COVID-19 pandemic. This webinar is intended for those who, for various reasons, are involved in translating scientific knowledge into policies: institutions, voluntary sector, and other stakeholders, with a focus on the quality of care in pregnancy, childbirth and maternal and child health.

Aims and objectives

The aim is to share the key concepts on effective actions for translating research into maternal and child health policies, including health promotion in the first 1000 days. Successful or unsuccessful case studies, at all levels, related to the WHO European Region will also be presented: hospitals, communities, local health authorities, as well as regional, country-level, European, or UN bodies and regulatory agencies.

Training method

Online presentation

PROGRAMME

Wednesday, October 27, 2021 – Rome time

- 14.00 *Opening session*
Welcome and objectives of the meeting
Angela Giusti
Welcome from WHO HQ, Geneva
Ornella Lincetto
Welcome from WHO CC MCH, IRCCS Burlo Garofolo, Trieste
Marzia Lazzerini
Welcome from WHO CC OP ISS
Angela Spinelli, Paola Nardone
Welcome from UNICEF Italy
Paolo Rozera
Welcome from the University of Central Lancashire
Soo Downe
- 14.15 *Session 1 – Local initiatives*
Moderators: **Angela Giusti, Elise Chapin**
- Translation of WHO Standards into Bosnian
Amira Cerimagic
- Breastfeeding intention and knowledge in secondary-school students in Croatia
Marija Catipovic
- Family Integrated Care in NICU – Portugal
Mariana Amorim
- 15.00 Discussion
- 15.30 Break
- 15.45 *Session 2 – National / International initiatives*
Moderators: **Angela Spinelli, Paola Nardone, Soo Downe**
- Italian maternal mortality: Surveillance System
Serena Donati
- Midwifery Units Net
Lucia Rocca-Ihenacho
- 16.05 Discussion
- 16.35 Existing frameworks for translating research evidence into policy and practice
Marzia Lazzerini
- 16.45 Closure of the meeting and expected next steps



MODERATORS AND KEY SPEAKERS

Mariana Amorim, EPIUnit – Instituto de Saúde Pública, Universidade do Porto, Portugal

Marija Catipovic, Bjelovar University of Applied Sciences, Croatia

Amira Cerimagic, NGO Baby Steps, Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina

Elise Chapin, UNICEF Italy, Rome

Serena Donati, Istituto Superiore di Sanità, Rome

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Conference venue

The webinar will take place in streaming, on Starleaf online platform. The link will be published on the Istituto Superiore di Sanità website at the web page www.iss.it/convegni

Official language

The official language of the Conference is **English**.

Target audience

The webinar is intended for those who are involved in translating scientific knowledge into policies: institutions, voluntary sector, and other stakeholders, with a focus on the quality of care in pregnancy, childbirth and maternal and child health.

Registration

Participation is free of charge. Registration is not required. A maximum of 1.000 participants can attend the event in streaming.

Certificate of attendance

Attendance certificates will not be issued.

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Continuing Medical Education credits will not be issued.

For any further information about the conference, please contact the Organizing Staff.