

SIOPE - MAC Event

Launch of the European Cancer Plan for Children and Adolescents

18 November 2015

**(12:30 – 14:30, *starting with a networking lunch at 12:00*)
European Parliament (Room: JAN 6Q2)**

Programme

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Wednesday 18th November 2015

12:00 – 12:30 Networking Lunch

12:30 – 12:40 Welcome address

- **Alojz Peterle**, MEP (EPP, SL) and President of MAC
- **Martin Schrappe**, SIOPE President-Elect (University Medical Center Schleswig-Holstein, DE)

12:40 – 12:50 Introduction to SIOPE European Cancer Plan for Children and Adolescents

- **Gilles Vassal**, SIOPE President (Institut Gustave-Roussy, FR)

12:50 – 13:10 Session 1: Inequalities

Parents' perspective from the Eastern Europe region: State of access to standard care and expertise

- **Irina Ban**, ZVONČICA Association of Parents of Children with Malignant Diseases, RS

Eradicating inequalities by building a European Reference Network

- **Ruth Ladenstein**, SIOPE Board Member (St. Anna Children's Hospital, AT)

13:10 – 13:30 Session 2: Innovation

Urgent need to speed up innovation

- **Patricia Blanc**, Imagine for Margo, FR

Creating an enabling regulatory environment for innovation

- **Pamela Kearns**, SIOPE Board Member (University of Birmingham, UK)

13:30 – 13:50 Session 3: Survivorship

Survivors' perspectives on key problems and the magnitude of needs to be met

- **Jaap den Hartogh**, Dutch Childhood Cancer Parent Organization, NL

Defining and implementing new models of care with the Survivorship Passport

- **Riccardo Haupt**, Istituto Giannina Gaslini - Ospedale Pediatrico, IT

13:50 – 14:20 Session 4: Stakeholder Statements and Reflections/Discussion

Chair:

- **Martin Schrappe**, SIOPE President-Elect (University Medical Center Schleswig-Holstein, DE)

Speakers:

- **Patricia Blanc**, Imagine for Margo, FR
- **Nessa Childers**, MEP (S&D, IE) and Vice-President of MAC
- **Joan Kelly**, Past President, Association of the European Cancer Leagues - ECL (Irish Cancer Society, IE)
- **Isabell Ladiges**, Policy Officer - Programme Management and Diseases, Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety, European Commission, LU
- **Miroslav Mikolášik**, MEP (EPP, SK) and Member of MAC
- **Alojz Peterle**, MEP (EPP, SL) and President of MAC

14:20 – 14:30 Concluding remarks

- **Alojz Peterle**, MEP (EPP, SL) and President of MAC
- **Martin Schrappe**, SIOPE President-Elect (University Medical Center Schleswig-Holstein, DE)