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How to improve antibiotic use in my hospital: a practical introduction to antibiotic stewardship

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January 25, 2017 (Wednesday)

09:00 – 09:15 Arrival and registration

- *Welcome coffee*

09:15 – 10:00 Event Opening and Introduction

- Jovanka Kostovska, State Advisor, Ministry of Health (tbc)
- Margarita Spasenovska, Acting Head of WHO Country Office
- Danilo Lo Fo Wong, Programme Manager Control of AMR Communicable Diseases and Health Security, WHO Regional Office for Europe
- Bojana Beović, ESCMID Study Group for Antibiotic Policies (ESGAP) & University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Ljubljana, Slovenia

10:00 – 10:15 National antimicrobial resistance data

- Nikola Panovski, President of National AMR Committee, Macedonia
- Kristina Hristova, MSc, Head of Department for Pharmacy, Health Insurance Fund, Macedonia
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10:15 – 10:30 Brief description on antimicrobial stewardship activities on the local level

- Katarina Stavrik, Head of Centre for Family Medicine, Medical Faculty, Skopje
- Neda Milevska Kostova, CRPRC Studiorum

10:30 – 10:45 Current national actions and policies on antimicrobial resistance

- Jovanka Kostovska, State Advisor, MoH
- Golubinka Boshevaska, Institute of Public Health, National AMR coordinator

10:45 – 11:00 WHO and antimicrobial stewardship

- Danilo Lo Fo Wong, WHO Regional Office for Europe

- 11:00 – 11:30 Discussion
- Moderators:
- Danilo Lo Fo Wong
 - Golubinka Boshevka
- 11:30 – 12:00 Conclusions on the steps forward including education
- Moderators:
- Danilo Lo Fo Wong
 - Golubinka Boshevka
 - Jeroen Schouten
- 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch break
- 13:00 – 13:15 What is antimicrobial stewardship: the definitions, the goals
- Bojana Beović, ESGAP & University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Ljubljana, Slovenia
- 13:15 – 13:30 Quality and quantity of antimicrobial
- How to assess quality and quantity of antimicrobial prescribing, how to measure the impact of interventions
Vera Vlahovic Palcevski, University Hospital Rijeka, University of Rijeka Medical Faculty, Croatia
- 13:30 – 13:45 How to identify and overcome the barriers
- Jeroen Schouten, Intensivist, Senior Researcher IQ Healthcare Radboud UMC Nijmegen, the Netherlands
- 13:45 – 15:30 Group work
- Small group sessions: definition, quality and quantity, barriers
- 15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break
- 16:00 – 16:15 The guidelines: from international to local
- Leonardo Pagani, Antimicrobial Stewardship Program, Infectious Diseases Unit; Bolzano Central Hospital, Bolzano, Italy
- 16:15 – 16:30 How to organize an AS team
- Bojana Beović, ESGAP & University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Ljubljana, Slovenia
- 16:30 – 17:00 Group sessions
- The guidelines, the hospital team

January 26, 2017 (Thursday)

09:00 – 09:15 What influences antimicrobial prescribing

- Jeroen Schouten,

09:15 – 09:30 Discussion

- Moderator: Jeroen Schouten

09:30 – 09:45 Education of healthcare workers

- Education of prescribing and non-prescribing healthcare workers, Bojana Beovic

09:45 – 10:00 Discussion

- Moderator: Bojana Beovic

10:00 – 12:00 Group sessions: practical work in designing interventions including educational activities

Each group has a designated moderator:

- Tomislav Kostyanev
- Guillaume Beraud
- Leonardo Pagani
- Bojana Beovic
- Jeroen Schouten
- Vera Vlahovic Palcevski

(including working coffee/tea break)

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch break

13:00 – 13:30 AS tools: computerized prescribing, biomarkers

- Guillaume Beraud, Poitiers, France, ESGAP

13:30 – 14:00 The role of microbiology in AS

- Tomislav Kostyanev, Antwerp, Belgium, ESGAP

15:00 – 15:30 Presentation of the projects

15:30 – 16:30 My next steps: how I plan to improve antibiotic use in my hospital: small groups formed by the representatives of one hospital – led by 6 ESGAP members

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