

**GREEN PAPER ON MENTAL HEALTH CONSULTATION  
FIRST THEMATIC MEETING  
GROUP “DIALOGUE WITH MEMBER STATES”**

**Luxembourg, 16-17 January 2006  
European Commission, Directorate-General for Health and Consumer Protection  
Jean Monnet Building  
Room M6**

**DAY 1. Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January**

- 11.00 – 12.30h      Opening session (Plenary session with EU-Platform on Mental Health)
- Opening by Mr Michael Hübel, Head of Unit, European Commission, DG Health and Consumer Protection, Health Determinants Unit
  - Promotion and prevention: a responsibility for society  
Dr John Henderson, Mental Health Europe
  - Promotion and Prevention: situation, challenges and approaches- results from the IMHPA-country stories report,  
Dr Peter Anderson, IMHPA-network
  - Mental Health Policies and Promotion and Prevention,  
Dr Catherine Dartiguenave, Ministry of Health, France
- General discussion (30 minutes)
- 12-30 – 14.15h      Lunch break
- 14.15 – 15.30h      Session 1:  
Mental health of the population: situation, challenges and approaches
- Introductory statements:*
- Dr Maria Joao Heitor Dos Santos,  
Ministry of Health, Portugal (*tbc*)
  - Prof Dainius Puras,  
Advisor to the Minister, Lithuania
- 15.30 – 16.00h      Coffee break
- 16.00 – 17.15h      Session 2:  
Identifying the Priorities in Promotion and Prevention
- Introductory statements:*
- Dr Geoff Day, National Office for Suicide Prevention,  
Ireland
  - Dr Andrej Marusic, Director, Institute of Public Health,  
Slovenia

- 17.15 – 18.00h Summary of the day (Plenary session with EU-Platform on Mental Health)
- Rapporteurs:  
Dr Ray Xerri (Dialogue with Member States)  
Ms Kasia Jurczak (EU-Platform for Mental Health)  
Dr Jordi Alonso (Subgroup Interface Research and Policies)

## **DAY 2. Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January**

- 9.00 – 9.30h Moving forward promotion and prevention in mental health (Plenary session with EU-Platform on Mental Health)
- Lessons from day 1, presentation by Dr Eva Jané-Llopis
- 9.30 – 10.45h Session 3:  
Engaging actors in promotion and prevention in mental health
- Introductory statement:*
- Dr Eero Lahtinen,  
Ministry of Health and Social Services, Finland
- 10.45 – 11.15h Coffee break
- 11.15 – 12.30h Session 4:  
The role of the European Community
- Introductory Statement  
Jürgen Schefflein, European Commission  
DG SANCO/C/4
- 12.30 – 14.15h Lunch break
- 14.15 – 16.00h Summary and conclusions  
(Plenary session with EU-Platform on Mental Health)
- Rapporteurs:  
Dr Ray Xerri (Dialogue with Member States)  
Ms Kasia Jurczak, *tbc* (EU-Platform for Mental Health)  
Dr Jordi Alonso (Subgroup Interface Research and Policies)
- 16.00 hrs Closure of the meeting
- Commission