



Destigmatisation and Improving the Quality of Care in Psychiatry

28 – 29 May 2009

Aquapalace Hotel, Prague - Čestlice

28.5.2009

Arrival of participants and check in at hotels
Social evening event at Aquapalace Hotel at 19:00

29.5.2009

Conference day

9:00 – 9:30

Arrival at conference venue and registration

9:30 – 10:30

Morning plenary session I

Opening session

Introduction/Welcome words by the Minister of Health of the Czech Republic **Speaker tbc**

Michael Hübel (Head of the Unit "Health Determinants", European Commission DG Health & Consumers) - *Stigma and Discrimination in the European Pact for Mental Health and Well-being*

Johan Ten Geuzendam (Head of the Unit "Integration of People with Disabilities", European Commission DG Employment, Social affairs and Equal opportunities) - *Improving mental health services: the rights based approach of the European Commission*

Prof. Mario Maj (President of the World Psychiatric Association, Italy) - *Improving quality of care in psychiatry: the WPA position and the Italian experience*

10:30 – 11:00

Coffee break



11:00 – 12:30

Morning plenary session II

Towards modern mental health systems

Prof. Jiří Raboch (President of the Czech Psychiatric Association – ČLS JEP, Czech Republic) - *Taking care of the mentally ill in the Czech Republic; participation in European projects such as EDEN and EUNOMIA*

Prof. Dr. Med. Wolfgang Gaebel (Director of the Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at the Heinrich-Heine-University in Düsseldorf, Germany) - *Anti-stigma interventions in Germany: Experiences from the Open the Doors Programme and the German Alliance for Mental Health*

Malgorzata Kmita (President of Mental Health Europe) - *Beyond Psychiatry - the Whole Person Approach to Mental Health and Well-Being as the Basis for De-stigmatisation and Social Inclusion*

Jana Petrenko (Director of Coalition for Health, Czech Republic) – *Destigmatisation from the patients' point of view*

12:30 – 13:30

Press Conference and Lunch

13:30 – 15:00

Parallel session I

Improving Quality of Care - Chaired by MUDr. Stanislava Pánová (Director of the Department of Healthcare Services, Ministry of Health, Czech Republic)

Dr. Helen Killaspy PhD (Department of Mental Health Sciences, University College London, UK) – *The “DEMoBinc” project: Development of a European Measure of Best Practice for People with Longer Term Mental Health Problems in Institutional Care*

Mgr. Tomáš Petr (Chairman of Psychiatric Section of Czech National Nurses Association - ČAS, Czech Republic) – *Challenges of nursing care in psychiatry*

David Mc Daid (London School of Economics and Social Sciences, UK) – *The economical aspects of mental health*

MUDr. Pavel Horák CSc., MBA (Director of VZP insurance company, Czech Republic) – *Financing mental health in the Czech Republic: future challenges*



Prof. Heinz Katschnig (Resident Twinning Advisor EC project "Support for the Development of Community Mental Health Services and the De-institutionalization of Persons with Mental Disorders", Romania)

and

Dr. Mugur Ciumageanu (Media Monitoring Agency, Romania) - *From hospital to community: The stony way of Romania*

13:30 – 15:00

Parallel session II

Destigmatisation – Chaired by Prof. Dr. Med. Wolfgang Gaebel (Director of the Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy at the Heinrich-Heine-University in Düsseldorf, Germany)

Dr. Arūnas Germanavičius PhD (Clinic of Psychiatry, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University, Lithuania) - *Measuring the impact of stigma: what we can learn from INDIGO study?*

Dr. Ondřej Pěč (Member of the ČLS JEP, Czech Republic) – *Projects in the field of destigmatisation and community care in the Czech Republic*

Dr. Georgi Onchev PhD (Department of Psychiatry, Medical University Sofia, Bulgaria) – *The influence of European projects on destigmatisation in mental health care*

Dr. Livia Vavrušová PhD (President of Slovak Psychiatric Association, Slovakia) – *Destigmatisation programmes in the Slovak Republic*

15:00 – 15:15

Coffee break

15:15 – 16:15

Afternoon plenary session

Closing Session

Michael Hübel (Head of the Unit "Health Determinants", European Commission DG Health & Consumers)

Dr. Matthijs Muijen (WHO Regional Office for Europe)

Kevin Jones (Secretary General of EUFAMI) - *How Families and Carers are playing their part to help improve the quality of Care*

Closing remarks by Czech representative **Speaker tbc**