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# Europe 2020: Delivering a healthy and sustainable future for all?

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Hotel Leopold  
35 rue du Luxembourg  
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The objectives of the day are:

- To assess whether the EU leading strategy (Europe 2020) will achieve better health outcomes or pose greater threats by increasing health inequalities
- To discuss how more equal societies will benefit all of us
- To discuss the Charter on Health Equity with leading European organizations

08.45 – 09.30	Coffee and registration
9.30 - 11.00	<b>Opening: introduction and welcome</b>
	<b>Leen Meulenbergs</b> , Executive Manager, Strategic Partnership, WHO Regional office for Europe (tbc)
	<b>Presentation of the European Charter for Health Equity to Commissioner Dalli</b>
	<b>Jo Leinen</b> , MEP chair of the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety in the European Parliament <b>confirmed</b>
Key note speakers	<b>John Dalli</b> , European Commissioner for Health and Consumer Policy <b>confirmed</b>
	<b>Mr Staffan Nilsson</b> – President of the European Economic and Social Committee <b>confirmed</b>
	<b>Prof Sir Michael Marmot</b> , Chair of the World Health Organisation Commission on the Social Determinants of Health <b>confirmed</b>
11.00 – 11.30	Break

11.30 – 13.00	<b>Panel 1 - Social and Employment targets in the Europe 2020: opportunities or threats to healthy standards of living in Europe?</b>
Chair:	<b>Elizabeth Mestheneos</b> , President of the AGE Platform Europe <b>confirmed</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Representative of the European Commission</li> <li>• <b>Sian Jones</b>, Director European Anti-Poverty Network <b>confirmed</b></li> <li>• <b>Hildrun Sundseth</b>, Institute of Women's Health <b>confirmed</b></li> <li>• <b>Pervenche Bérès MEP</b>, Chair of the European Parliament Committee on Employment and Social Affairs. <b>confirmed</b></li> </ul>
	Discussion with audience
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 15.30	<b>Panel 2 - Access to health and patient rights? – European dream or reality</b>
Chair:	<b>Paul de Raeve</b> , Secretary General of the European Federation of Nurses <b>confirmed</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Representative of the European Commission</li> <li>• <b>Marisa Matias MEP</b>, member of the European Parliament ITRE Committee <b>confirmed</b></li> <li>• <b>Antoniya Parvanova MEP</b>, member of the European Parliament ENVI Committee <b>confirmed</b></li> <li>• <b>Dr Josep Figueras</b>, Director of the World Health Organisation European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies (tbc)</li> <li>• <b>Javier Guemes</b>, Acting Director of the European Disability Forum <b>confirmed</b></li> </ul>
	Discussion with audience
15:30 – 16:00	Break
16:00 – 17:00	<b>Concluding session</b>
	<b>A jobless European economic recovery + austerity plans + Europe 2020 = ?</b>
Chair:	<b>Archie Turnbull</b> , EPHA President
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Peter Liese MEP</b>, member of the European Parliament ENVI Committee (tbc)</li> <li>• <b>Clive Needle</b>, former MEP, health inequalities campaigner and Director of Eurohealthnet <b>confirmed</b></li> <li>• <b>Claire Roumet</b>, Director of CECODHAS <b>confirmed</b></li> <li>• <b>Jana Hainsworth</b>, Director of Eurochild <b>confirmed</b></li> </ul>
17:00 – 17:30	Conclusions from <b>Sir Michael Marmot</b> <b>confirmed</b>
17:30 – 19:00	<b>Networking reception</b>

This conference is organised by the European Public Health Alliance

