

EACS Newsletter - September 2022



Participate in the WAVE in Ukraine online workshop

WAVE is organising its 6th workshop for Ukrainian medical doctors on Thursday, 22 and Friday, 23 September from 16:00 to 17:45 CEST. The workshop will be interpreted in English and Ukrainian and will focus on STIs in women living with HIV – modern approaches to prevention, screening, diagnosis and treatment.

For more information and to register

NEAT ID and EACS Monkeypox & HIV coinfection data dashboard

The NEAT ID Foundation, in partnership with EACS, has developed another simple Data "Dashboard" to monitor the progress of the Monkeypox Virus in people living with HIV across Europe and the world and invites you to contribute to this initiative.

The data will be available for public viewing via www.NEAT-ID.org and as a summary to you on the Dashboard.

Learn more

HIV Glasgow 2022: EACS session on *Response to emerging problems*

EACS is organising a session at HIV Glasgow 2022 on *Response to emerging problems* on Tuesday, 25 October from 13:45 to 15:00 BST. The session will be chaired by Tristan Barber (United Kingdom) and Georg Behrens (Germany). The following topics will be discussed during the session:

- Unified support framework to support HIV cascade of care for displaced persons in Europe, Marta Vasylyev (Ukraine)
- HIV clinics and people living with HIV in times of epidemics: impact of COVID-19 and MonkeyPox, Casper Rokx (Netherlands)
- New EACS Guidelines update version 11.1, Juan Ambrosioni (Spain)

Come and visit the EACS booth at HIV Glasgow 2022

For more information

Interview with the new YING Chair, Tristan Barber

Tristan Barber became the new YING Chair at the YING Conference in July 2022. In this interview, he shares what the added value is of the YING network and what he is looking forward to for the upcoming period.

"As the new YING Chair, I am really looking forward to widening our network of participants and making things feel informal and accessible. I am looking forward to meeting more YINGers and ways to encourage more people to join YING. I am tremendously excited about the EACS Conference in Warsaw in 2023 and the next YING Conference in 2024".

Read the full interview!

EACS pre-conference workshop at the SFLS Conference

EACS is organising a pre-conference workshop in collaboration with SFLS (Société de la Lutte Contre le Sida) in Paris on Wednesday, 16 November 2022 from 14:00-18:00 CET on Healthcare for Migrants and Ukrainian exiles. The following topics will be discussed during the workshop:

- Refugees in Europe: the scope of the problem, Teymur Noori (ECDC)
- Healthcare for HIV in Ukraine before the war and today, Marta Vasylyev (Ukraine)
- Update on the drug injectors in Eastern Europe, Oleksii Zavadinskiy and Anastasia Dieieva (Ukraine)
- The Polish response to the refugee crisis from Ukraine, Justyna Kowalska (Poland)
- The French response to the issues of healthcare for migrants, Nicolas Vignier (France)

For more information

EACS Live! Interactive case-based discussion in Japan

EACS will present a joint online case-based discussion with the JSAR on Friday, 18 November 2022 at the 36th annual meeting of the Japanese Society for AIDS Research (9:10-10:40 CET / 8:10-9:40 GMT / 17:10-18:40 JST).

Moderators:

EACS: Jürgen Rockstroh (Germany), Tristan Barber (United Kingdom) JSAR: Toshibumi Taniguchi, Takashi Muramatsu, Hideta Nakamura (Japan)

<u>Case presenters:</u> EACS: Jasmini Alagaratnam (United Kingdom) JSAR: Yasuaki Yanagawa and Kazuaki Fukushima (Japan)

For more information

Submit your proposals for the WEEPI Foundation

The WEEPI Foundation has launched a call for proposals for a new round of Stage 1 projects. The call seeks to support clinical or implementation research projects aimed at improving the quality of care for people living with HIV, viral hepatitis or tuberculosis in Central and Eastern Europe. Organisations and institutions from that region are eligible to apply.

The maximum funding for a Stage 1 project is CHF 30,000. Successful Stage 1 projects are eligible to subsequently apply for a larger Stage 2 project grant.

The deadline for submitting applications is 30 September 2022.

Learn more

Complete the Monkeypox survey

If you are a nurse, doctor or healthcare professional involved with looking after people with monkeypox, we are asking you to contribute to this vital short survey on your experiences so far.

The survey will form part of a large piece of research understanding the experience of healthcare professionals from around the world. It is intended to better understand your experiences so as to inform policy discussions on what healthcare professionals are facing during this global monkeypox outbreak. This is being led by Professor Chloe Orkin, United Kingdom, and will support the international response.

The survey has been translated and is now available in English, Spanish, Portuguese, German, and French.

Click here to complete the survey.

PentaTr@ining: Fungal Infections in Paediatrics

A new interactive training course, 19 September - 15 December

2022.

The interactive online course comprises 6 comprehensive and thoughtprovoking training modules, a variety of real-life clinical cases for discussion, live webinars and dedicated tutoring from a panel of expert trainers.

Building on the combined expertise within the EPMyN and Fungal Infections Group and the PentaTr@ining infrastructure, the aim is to deliver an international, accessible, and affordable training course. The exciting training programme utilises a child-centered teaching model to support ongoing learning needs with innovative e-learning methods.

Read more

EECA Interact 2022: call for abstracts

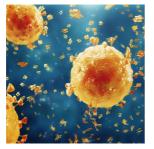
The third scientific workshop on HIV, Hepatitis C and Tuberculosis in Eastern Europe and Central Asia – EECA INTERACT 2022 – will be held on 13-14 December in Riga, Latvia.

EECA INTERACT 2022 will bring together scientists, clinicians, members of civil society, and government officials to tackle topics facing individual countries while building capacity and strengthening research and clinical networks.

Researchers from Eastern and Central Europe, Balkans, Central Asia, and the Baltics are encouraged to submit abstracts for peer review. There are a limited number of scholarships for the highest-scoring abstract presenters to attend the INTERACT workshop in person. **The deadline for submission is 25 September**.

Learn more





EACS Resource Library

You can access below all the materials and information related to the European AIDS Conference and the EACS core activities.

More info



EACS Guidelines version 11 Website

Have a look at the new interactive website of the latest version of the European Guidelines for the treatment of people living with HIV in Europe.

More info

Free Management of HIV and Coinfections Online Course

Follow the practical and comprehensive course on management of HIV, including: the latest



findings and guidelines on how to manage, treat and prevent HIV and related diseases; optimisation of HIV treatment programmes and other related topics.

More info



EACS Social Media Accounts

Don't forget to check EACS social media accounts to stay updated on the most important news related to HIV care. We are on <u>Twitter</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Youtube</u>.



CALENDAR

EACS Events:

- 23 September: WAVE in Ukraine. More info
- 26 September: EACS Live! Journal Club. More info
- 13-14 October 2022: Standard of Care for HIV and Co-infections in Europe. More info

Other Events:

- 23-26 October: HIV Glasgow. More info
- 16-18 November: SFLS Conference. More info
- 18-20 November: 36th Annual meeting of the Japanese Society for AIDS Research <u>More info</u>

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