

3rd Nordic Conference on Paediatric Medicines

8.–9. October 2019, Helsinki

Tuesday 8.10.2019 – REGISTRATION AT 12:00–13:00

Programme

time

13:00 Welcome. Nordic collaboration and Practicalities Chairperson: *Mia Bengtström, Senior Advisor, PIF/NTA, Finland*

EU Paediatric Regulation – after 12 years.

13:15 What has the Regulation achieved and what can we do to strengthen the system and optimize outcomes for children? *Fabio D'Atri, Policy Officer, EU Commission*

13:45 Pharma Industry point of view. *Esteban Herrero-Martinez, Director Regulatory Policy and Intelligence, AbbVie*

13:55 Clinician's point of view. *Risto Lapatto, Specialist, Paediatric metabolic diseases, Helsinki University Hospital*

14:05 Panel discussion – Possible options to improve the situation. Moderator: *Kalle Hoppu, Pediatric Pharmacologist, FinPedMed, Helsinki University Hospital*

14:40 – 15:15 Coffee break

Rational age classification for inclusion of developmental subgroups in paediatric studies?

15:15 Introduction by chair; *Kalle Hoppu, Pediatric Pharmacologist, FinPedMed, Helsinki University Hospital*

15:25 When does the normal development of adolescents end?
Helena Fonseca, Associate Professor with Habilitation in Pediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Lisbon, PDCO member (EMA), Portugal

15:55 Is it feasible to include pediatric subpopulations in adult studies – and adult subpopulations in pediatric studies? Pharma Industry point of view.
Christina Bucci-Rechtweg, Head, Pediatric & Maternal Health, Policy Global Drug Development Regulatory Affairs, Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation, US

16:25 Discussion

16:50 Nordic Trial Alliance/NordForsk initiatives, *Ole Alexander Opdalshei, Assisting General Secretary at the Norwegian Cancer Society*

17:15 End of day – instructions to City Hall. *Mia Bengtström, Senior Advisor, PIF/NTA*

18:00 Reception at Old City Hall of Helsinki



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9:00 Welcome – practicalities of the day. *Mia Bengtström, Senior Advisor, PIF/NTA*

European Paediatric Research Infrastructure Initiatives.

Chairperson: *Pirkko Lepola, Executive Secretary, FinPedMed, Helsinki University Hospital*

9:10 IMI C4C – General introduction, *Katharine Cheng, Senior Director, Paediatric Drug Development Child Health Innovation Leadership Department (CHILD), Johnson&Johnson, UK*

9:40 IMI C4C – NatHubs and networks. *Jaana Kallio, Specialist Paediatric clinical Trials, Helsinki University Hospital*

9:55 IMI C4C – Academic validation trials. *Régis Hankard, Coordinator PEDSTART Inserm-FCRIN, France*

10:25 Managing paediatric clinical trials to meet the needs of the patient population within the Scottish National Health Service, *Pamela Dicks, Network Manager, ScotCR, NHS NRS Children's Research Network, Royal Aberdeen Children's Hospital, Scotland*

10:55 – 11:25 Coffee break

Chairperson: *Pekka Lahdenne, Helsinki University Hospital, New Children's hospital, Helsinki*

11:25 NOPHO –Past, present and future. *Virve Pentikäinen, consultant in pediatric hematology – oncology Helsinki University Hospital, NOPHO*

11:55 NORDICPEDMED –update. *Pirkko Lepola, Executive Secretary, FinPedMed, Helsinki University Hospital*

Young persons as a new stakeholder's group for paediatric medicines development.

12:05 eYPAGnet. *Jennifer Preston, Senior Patient and Public Involvement Manager, University of Liverpool, NIHR Alder Hey Clinical Research Facility, UK*

12:35 Finnish YPAG. *Minna Lehtola, Paediatric Clinical Research Coordinator, Helsinki University Hospital*

12:45 – 13:45 Lunch

Opportunities for the paediatric clinical research in Nordic Countries.

Chairperson: *Pia Annunen, Senior Medical Officer, Fimea*

13:45 Biobanks in Finland and possibilities for pediatric research. *Lila Kallio, Director, Auria Biobank Turku, Finland*

14:05 Research Service needs for Swedish Investigator's; research results. *Estelle Naumburg, Ass. Professor Paediatrics, Karolinska Institutet and Umeå University, Sweden*

14:25 EU STARS project aims to improve training of academia in regulatory sciences. *Marko Kallio, Research Coordinator, Finnish Medicines Agency, Turku, Finland*

14:45 End of the Conference – Thank you and Good Bye. *Mia Bengtström, PIF/NTA, Finland*
Visit to the new Children's hospital. *Pekka Lahdenne, New Children's Hospital, HUS, Finland*

15:00 Bus/taxi transportation to airport and [New Children's Hospital](#)