



8<sup>TH</sup> EUROPEAN PUBLIC HEALTH  
CONFERENCE  
14 - 17 OCTOBER 2015  
MILANO CONGRESSI (MiCo), MILAN, ITALY  
HEALTH IN EUROPE - FROM GLOBAL TO  
LOCAL POLICIES, METHODS AND PRACTICES

## POST CONFERENCE NEWSLETTER

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENDANCE AND CONTRIBUTIONS

The 8th European Public Health Conference is over and we hope that you have resumed your normal duties with pleasant recollections of the conference. The EPH Conference was attended by over 1,500 delegates from over 65 countries worldwide, while the SItI Conference attracted over 1,000 delegates.

We look back at a successful and enjoyable conference. It has been a pleasure to organise the event for you and we look forward to receiving more detailed comments through the online questionnaire (see below).

### PRESS RELEASES 8<sup>TH</sup> EPH CONFERENCE MILAN 2015

EUPHA expresses its concern about the **impact of climate change on health** and calls upon political leaders to include health in the agenda of the upcoming COP Global Summit in Paris. Read the press release [here](#)

EUPHA calls for **European leadership on the refugee crisis**. The refugee crisis facing Europe has shaken European institutions to their core. Read more [here](#)

The **World Federation of Public Health Associations (WFPHA)** called for the implementation of essential public health measures to alleviate the need of the thousands of refugees in Europe. Read more [here](#)

The **European Child Safety Alliance (ECSA)** released a report on child injury and inequity and three targeted good practice tools focussing on pre, primary and secondary school age children. Read more [here](#)

EUPHA calls for immediate action to **control the spread of antimicrobial resistance** (AMR) by improving awareness, strengthening surveillance and research and working together with the veterinary sector in reducing the use of antibiotics in animals. Read more [here](#)

You are invited to distribute the press releases further amongst your own network .

## **CONFERENCE EVALUATION**

We would appreciate it if you could take a few moments to evaluate the 8th EPH Conference Milan 2015. Your feedback will provide us with valuable information on what we could improve upon. An early response is much appreciated. All you need to do is login and give five minutes of your time. Link to the online evaluation form through your personal EPH Conference login:

<http://ephconference.eu/questionnaire/questionnaire.php>

## **VIDEO SUMMARY**

The [video summary](#) of the conference, produced by Elena Azzolini, is now available on the conference website.

## **PRIZE WINNERS 8TH EPH CONFERENCE MILAN 2015**

The winner of the Ferenc Bojan Award for the best Young Investigator presentation was won by **Maria Elena Flacco** from the Regional Health Care Agency of Abruzzo, Pescara, Italy with a presentation on '*Electronic cigarettes efficacy and safety at 12 months: cohort study*'.

The Best Poster Prize was won by **Birute Strukcinskiene**, Department of Public Health, Klaipeda University, Lithuania, with a poster display on '*Pedestrian mortality trends in children and young people over four decades in transitional Lithuania*'.

Congratulations to Maria Elena and Birute for winning these prestigious awards.

## **CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE**

Delegates who wish to receive a Certificate of Attendance are requested to contact our Registration Officer, Ms José Velthuis, at [registration@eupha.org](mailto:registration@eupha.org)

## **VIENNA 2016: THE PLACE TO BE**

In 2016 the conference will take place in Vienna, Austria. The theme of next year's conference is '**All for Health - Health for All**' Please check our website for updated information. We look forward to welcoming you in Vienna from 9-12 November 2016.



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