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# Symposium on Preventive Medicine 27 March 2020 Zagreb, Croatia

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► 09:00 – 09:20 **WELCOME ADDRESS**

- › *Professor Vili Beroš*, Ministry of Health of the Republic of Croatia
- › Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of the Republic of Croatia
- › *Milan Bandić*, Zagreb town mayor
- › *Professor Jasna Lipozenčić*, President of the Croatian Academy of Medicine (CAMS)
- › *Academician Davor Miličić*, Vice President of the Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts (CASA)
- › *Professor George Griffin*, President of the Federation of European Academies of Medicine (FEAM)

► 09:20 – 09:40 **Preventive Medicine: challenges and opportunities**

*Chair: Professor George Griffin*, President of the Federation of European Academies of Medicine (FEAM)

► 09:40 – 10:20 **Keynote lecture: European countries' health policy and success of prevention**

*Professor Johan P. Mackenbach*, Public Health Professor, Erasmus University Medical Centre, the Netherlands

► 10:20 – 10:45 **Panel discussion**

- › *Mr John Ryan*, Director, public health, country knowledge, and crisis management, DG Health and Food Safety, European Commission
- › *Professor Vili Beroš*, Minister of Health of the Republic of Croatia
- › *Assist. Professor Krivoslav Capak*, Director of the Croatian Institute of Public Health
- › *Prof. Johan Mackenbach*, Public Health Professor, Erasmus MC, the Netherlands

► 10:45 – 11:00 **Discussion**

**COFFEE BREAK**

**Session 1: Risk factors and health prevention**

*Chair: Professor Josip Grgurić*, pediatrician (UNICEF Expert Associate)

► 11:00 – 11:15 **Prevention of Obesity**

*Professor Davor Štimac*, Vice President of the CAMS, Zagreb, Croatia

► 11:15 – 11:30 **Tobacco control**

*Mr Luk Joossens*, Association of European Cancer Leagues, Brussels

► 11:30 – 11:45 **Alcohol control**

*Professor Giuseppe La Torre*, La Sapienza University

► 11:45 – 12:00 **Discussion**

**Session 2: Healthy ageing and preventive medicine**

*Chair: Professor Françoise Meunier*, Vice-President of the Federation of European Academies of Medicine (FEAM)

► 12:00 – 12:15 **Transforming the future of ageing**

*Professor Alan Gow*, Professor of Psychology, Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh

► 12:15 – 12:30 **Early Detection of Skin Cancers**

*Professor Jasna Lipozenčić*, President of CAMS and Assist. Prof. Zrinjka Paštar, Health Dpt. University of Zadar, Croatia

► 12:30 – 12:45 **Prevention of stroke and maintenance of brain function**

*Academician Vida Demarin*, President of the Dpt. of Medical Sciences of the CASA, Zagreb, Croatia

► 12:45 – 13:00 **A call for action to tackle the growing burden of Dementia**

*Professor Ninoslav Mimica*, Head of the Department for Biological Psychiatry and Psychogeriatrics, Zagreb, Croatia

► 13:00 – 13:20 **Discussion**

► 13:20 – 14:20 **LUNCH**

**Session 3: Medication challenges for managing chronic diseases**

*Chair: Professor Maria do Céu Machado*, Vice-President of the Federation of European Academies of Medicine (FEAM)

► 14:20 – 14:35 **Improving patient's adherence to prescribed medicine is the key approach in the successful chronic disease management**

*Professor Josip Čulig*, clinical pharmacologist, CAMS, General Council member, Zagreb, Croatia

► 14:35 – 14:50 **Tackling challenges related to the availability of medicines**

*Professor Jean Loup Parier*, President of the French Academy of Pharmaceutical Science

► 14:50 – 15:15 **Discussion**

► 15:15 – 15:30 **Closing remarks**