

# PAEDIATRIC CONFERENCE



## VIRTUAL EVENT

## BETTER MEDICINES FOR CHILDREN

Global Paediatric Drug Development

Progress made & always remaining challenges

18&19 October 2022



#### **AGENDA AT A GLANCE**

TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER 2022		
11:45	Opening of Conference	
12:00	Welcome and Introduction to the Conference	
12:10	PDCO Vision	
12:40	Implementation of the CT Regulation 536/2014 – Impact on Paediatric trials	
13:30	Panel discussion: Global / transatlantic alignment for the development of paediatric products – what can be learnt from paediatric oncology drug development?	
14:30	Coffee break	
14:45	Panel session: Rare diseases – what is happening and can be expected? EU Commission/EU joint program on rare diseases	
15:45	Breakout sessions:  How to improve Patient & Parents involvement in Paediatric Research? Paediatric Lay Summaries Is it time to prioritise?	
17:15	Fireside Chat	
18:15	End of Day 1	

WEDNESDAY 19 OCTOBER 2022		
11:45	Opening of Conference	
12:00	Welcome and Debrief from Day 1	
12:10	Panel Session: Optimising Paediatric Drug Development – what progress has been made since the 2021 Paediatric Conference?	
13:30	Panel Session: Neonatal Research – where are we and what could be next steps?	
14:30	Panel Session: What's new at ICH for paediatric drug development?	
15:30	Coffee break	
15:50	Panel Session: Can drug repurposing benefit drug development in Children & in Paediatric Rare Diseases?	
16:50	Feedback from the Breakout Sessions	
17:50	End of Day 2 – Conclusion & Farewell	

### RATIONALE

The EFGCP "Better Medicines for Children" Conference is an annual flagship event providing a unique opportunity to share best practice, reflect on what has happened since we last met in October 2021, and discuss paediatric updates with a truly global outreach. Despite an ever changing and challenging environment, and the need to meet virtually again, we believe we have been able to organise a dynamic, innovative, and highly engaging conference to inform our delegates of the latest scientific and regulatory developments.

The conference will focus on **Global Paediatric Development**, its challenges and solutions, and in particular on what has been achieved during the pandemic, and the remaining opportunities and challenges. To this effect, the conference brings together not only distinguished speakers from all around the world but also all the stakeholders involved in paediatric drug development.

**Day One** will bring regulators and patient representatives to discuss the potential impact on R&D of the **revision of paediatric regulation** and of the **implementation of the Clinical Trial Regulation**. Stakeholders from around the world while focusing on **global alignment** will share their view on what can be learnt from paediatric oncology drug development. A panel committed to finding solutions for **rare diseases**, which present a unique public health challenge, will discuss the latest information on rare diseases.

Active engagement of conference delegates will be then welcomed in **Breakout Sessions** to discuss challenges and identify solutions on what could be done to optimise children's access to new medicines, with a focus on important topics:

- 1. How to improve Patient and parents' involvement in Paediatric research?
- 2. Paediatric Lay Summaries
- 3. Is it time to prioritise?

At the end of Day 1, **a fireside chat** will be the opportunity to hear from Dr Koen Norga (previous PDCO chair), and Dr Angeliki Siapkara (MHRA and former UK representative on PDCO) about their respective activities and priorities; and also to hear their view and answers to questions raised ahead of the conference.

**Day two** will be the opportunity to keep the momentum with experts who joined the 2021 conference. Hot paediatric topics for which multi-stakeholders' collaboration is more than ever valued to address gaps in scientific knowledge, will explore innovative development avenues that could foster paediatric drug development.

The programme committee looks forward to welcoming you all to the conference for a global educational and networking event that is a unique opportunity to learn from one another, to meet and interact with colleagues from all parts of the world.

We do hope that the 2022 conference will be the last one organised remotely, and 2023 will give us to go back to face-to-face meetings.

**NEWS!** For those interested in paediatric drug development, a pre-conference Workshop on **the "Fundamentals of Paediatric Extrapolation"** has been set up on October 17. This will be the opportunity to learn from the experts the value of paediatric extrapolation, a topic detailed in the ICH E11 guideline recently released for public consultation. For further details on this pre-conference Workshop, please visit the webpage.

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	◇ Moderator: Gilles Vassal, Gustave Roussy Institute
	Panel: Martha Donoghue, FDA   Dominik Karres, EMA   Helen Mao, Health Canada   Angeliki Siapkara, MHRA   Zhimin Yang, NMPA   Kaye Robertson, TGA
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	Moderator: <b>Angeliki Siapkara</b> , <i>MHRA</i>
	Panel: Kristina An-Haack, Sanofi   Christina Kyriakopoulou, EU Commission   Dimitrios Athanasiou, EURORDIS
15:45	Breakout sessions
	How to improve Patient & Parents involvement in Paediatric Research?  ♦ Moderators: Pamela Dicks, NHS, eYPAGnet & Rhian Thomas-Turner, NHS
	Paediatric Lay Summaries  ◇Moderators: Begonya Nafria Escalera, SJD Hospital, eYPAGnet   Nicola Ruperto, PRINTO
	Is it time to prioritise?  ⋄Moderators: Gilles Vassal, Gustave Roussy Institute & Solange Corriol-Rohou, AstraZeneca
17:15	Fireside Chat with Koenraad Norga, Former PDCO Chair   Angeliki Siapkara, MHRA  Moderator: Claudio Fracasso, Pfizer
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## **♦** Day Two − 19 October 2021 **♦**

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	<ul> <li>Innovative Techniques towards Drug Development: Hannah Batchelor, Institute of Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences, University of Strathclyde</li> <li>Use of RWD in paediatric drug development: Marie-Yvonne Douste-Blazy, MYDB Paediatric Clinical Insights</li> <li>Decentralised Clinical Trials: Isaac Rodriguez-Chavez, ICON</li> <li>Adolescents in Adult Clinical Trials: Christina Bucci-Rechtweg, Novartis</li> </ul>
13:30	Panel Session  Neonatal Research – where are we and what could be next steps?  ◇Moderators: Solange Corriol-Rohou, AstraZeneca & Mark Turner, Liverpool University  ◇Panel: Jeff Barrett, C-Path Initiative   John van den Anker, Children's National Medical Center Washington   Ralph Bax, EMA   Susan McCune, PPD
14:30	Panel Session What's new at ICH for paediatric drug development?  ◇Moderators: Solange Corriol-Rohou, AstraZeneca & Sabine Fuerst-Recktenwald, Roche
	<ul> <li>ICH E11A: Lynne Yao, FDA</li> <li>MIDD: Kristin Karlsson, MPA &amp; Nicolas Frey, Roche</li> <li>Pregnant &amp; Breast-feeding Individuals in CTs: Corinne de Vries, EMA</li> </ul>
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