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ESCMID STUDY GROUP
FOR MYCOPLASMA INFECTIONS

European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

Rationale

To study & improve the diagnosis, treatment, control & prevention of *Mycoplasma* and *Ureaplasma* spp. infections in humans.

Promoting & supporting research, education, training & good medical practice.

Complement & enhance the International Organization for Mycoplasmology & the International Research Programme in Comparative Mycoplasmology

Increasing need internationally for co-ordination of *Mycoplasma* research. Typing studies are needed to understand epidemics and dynamics of these infections. Rapidly increasing antimicrobial resistance to macrolides for human species is of global concern. Increasing numbers of commercialised kits are available for human mycoplasmas.

M. pneumoniae
M. genitalium
Ureaplasma urealyticum, *U. parvum*, and *M. hominis*
Newly emerging species

COMPLETED

Educational workshop on *M. pneumoniae*

International *M. pneumoniae*
MLVA collaborative study completed 2014

Sponsorship & organisation of European
Mycoplasma meeting 2015 - Turkey

MEMBERSHIP

OPEN TO ALL ESCMID MEMBERS

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- Publications, guidelines and consensus documents:
 - Presentations on behalf of the Study Group at scientific meetings:
 - Scientific sessions at ECCMID:
 - Educational workshops at ECCMID:
 - Scientific meetings and workshop
 - MLVA data bank project
 - Macrolide resistance study

FUTURE PLANS...2015

Future workshops on *Ureaplasma* spp. & *Mycoplasma hominis*

MPN MLVA international database and antimicrobial resistance study

Educational workshop on *M. genitalium* and *Ureaplasma* spp.

Molecular typing & epidemiology

Clinical syndromes & diagnosis

Treatment: antibiotic resistance & therapeutic options.



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