ESCMID Postgraduate Education Course

Migration Health

Palermo, Italy
1 – 4 October 2017

Target Audience
20 – 50 clinicians, infectious disease or tropical medicine specialists, microbiologists, paediatricians, obstetricians, public health specialists, psychiatrists and also physicians coming from other specialty fields.

Invited Faculty Members
- Mario Affronti, Palermo, Italy
- Manuel Carballo, Geneva, Switzerland
- Antonio Cascio, Palermo, Italy
- Francesco Castelli, Brescia, Italy
- Eric Caumes, Paris, France
- Claudia Colombo, Palermo, Italy
- Grinella Dino, Palermo, Italy
- Issa El Hamad, Brescia, Italy
- Emanuela Forcella, Rome, Italy
- Tommaso Frattini, Milan, Italy
- Massimo Galli, Milan, Italy
- Philippe Gautret, Marseille, France
- Christina Greenaway, Montreal, Canada
- Simona La Placa, Palermo, Italy
- Rogelio López-Vélez, Madrid, Spain
- Maurizio Marceca, Rome, Italy
- Alberto Matteelli, Brescia, Italy
- Marco Mazzetti, Milan, Italy
- Davide Mosca, Geneva, Switzerland
- Lorenzo Mujesan, Brescia, Italy
- Teimour Noori, Stockholm, Sweden
- Paola Olofsson, Geneva, Switzerland
- Eskild Petersen, Aarhus, Denmark
- Chiara Pezzoli, Brescia, Italy
- Giovanni Rezza, Rome, Italy
- Santino Severini, Copenhagen, Denmark
- Irene Veldhuijzen, Bilthoven, Netherlands
- Stefano Vella, Rome, Italy

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Organizers
- ESCMID Study Group for Infections in Travellers and Migrants – ESGITM
- UNESCO Chair “training and empowering human resources for health development in resource-limited countries”, University of Brescia, Italy

Co-Organizers
- International Organization for Migration (IOM) – the UN Migration Agency
- International Society of Travel Medicine (ISTM)
- Italian Society of Migration Medicine (SIMM)
- University of Palermo
- Italian Society of Infectious and Tropical Diseases (SIMET)
- Italian Society of Tropical Medicine and Global Health (SIMET)

Course Coordinator
- Francesco Castelli, Brescia, Italy

Course Objectives
The main objective is to create a forum for discussion about the various and multi-faceted aspects of migration health including but not limited to diagnosis and prevention of infectious diseases.

Topic overview:
- Migrants, refugees, asylum seekers: the international and European context
- Migration-related infectious disease
- Migration and non-communicable diseases
- Determinants of migration
- Impact on origin and destination countries
- Transcultural approach
- Economics of migration
- Ethics of migration health
Course Programme

Sunday, 1 October 2017
18.00 Welcome session. Local administration authorities, academic authorities, scientific societies, General Directorate for Health Prevention (Mol), National Institute for Health, Migration and Poverty (NBIMP)
18.30 Migration in mankind’s history. Massimo Gallo
19.00 Migration in the XXI century: a challenge and an opportunity. Manuel Carballo
19.30 Welcome dinner

Monday, 2 October 2017
Session I: why and how do migrants move?
Chair: Mario Affronti
11:00 Refugees, asylum seekers and migrants. Massimo Gallo
11:40 Migration and human rights. Pia Óbeoi
12:05 First arrival, refugees’ camps and resettlement: a European approach? Santino Severoni
12:30 Economic impact of migration on origin and destination countries. Tommaso Frattini
12:55 General discussion
13:10 Light lunch

Session II: the European Union and migration – a fragmented universe
Chairs: Maurizio Marceca, Davide Mosca
11:40 Migrants and human rights. Pia Óbeoi
12:05 First arrival, refugees’ camps and resettlement: a European approach? Santino Severoni
12:30 Economic impact of migration on origin and destination countries. Tommaso Frattini
12:55 General discussion
13:10 Light lunch

Session III: infectious diseases I – air-borne infections
Chairs: Alberto Matteielli, Simona La Placa
14:00 Tuberculosis. Christina Greenaway
14:40 Other air-borne infections possibly related to migration. Philippe Gautret
15:20 General discussion
15:30 Coffee break

Session IV: infectious diseases II – STIs and dermatological infections
Chairs: Isra El Hamad, Christina Greenaway
10:45 HIV infection and other STIs. Chiara Pezzoli, Isa El Hamad
16:25 Dermatological issues in migrants. Eric Caumes
17:05 General discussion

Tuesday, 3 October 2017
Session V: infectious diseases III – blood-borne infections
Chair: Claudio Colombo
09:00 Viral hepatitis. Irene Veldhuizen
09:40 Other blood-borne infections and Chagas. Rogelio López-Vélez
10:20 General discussion
10:30 Coffee break

Session VI: infectious diseases IV – vector-borne infections
Chairs: Ornella Dino, Teymur Noori
11:00 Malaria, dengue, chikungunya. Eskild Petersen
11:40 Is the risk of introduction/reintroduction of vector-borne infections real in Europe? Giovanni Rezza
12:20 General discussion
12:30 Light lunch

Session VII: transcultural approach
Chair: Stefano Velle
13:30 The European physician and the migrant patient. Simona La Placa, Mario Affronti
14:00 The point of view of the anthropologist. Emanuela Forcella
14:30 The point of view of the migrant. To be confirmed
15:00 General discussion
15:10 Coffee break
15:30 Research approach to migration and health. To be confirmed
16:00 Visit to the Astalli migrants’ reception centre

Wednesday, 4 October 2017
09:00 Poster viewing

Session VIII: migration and non-communicable diseases
Chairs: Tullio Prestileo, Antonio Cascio
10:00 Migration and mental health. Marco Mazzetti
10:30 Migration and chronic non-communicable diseases. Lorenzo Mujeresan
11:00 Coffee break
11:15 Migration, obstetrical issues and genital mutilations. To be confirmed
11:45 General discussion
12:00 Migration and global health. Stefano Velle
12:30 Closing session. Francesco Castelli, Mario Affronti, Antonio Cascio

Organization

Course Venue / Accommodation
Camplus Guest Palermo
Via dei Benedettini, 5
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Registration Procedure
Register now online on the ESCMID website at www.escmid.org/education. Registration deadline is 11 August 2017.

Attendence Grants
ESCMID provides a number of attendance grants for ESCMID “young scientist members”. The grant covers the registration fee. Travel is not included. Please apply via the ESCMID website at www.escmid.org/education before 16 June 2017. Applicants will be informed about their acceptance by 30 June 2017.

CME Accreditation
The organizers of the course will apply for both European CME accreditation through EACCME and Italian ECM accreditation.