

CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE WORKSHOP

TACKLING CERVICAL CANCER IN EASTERN AND CENTRAL EUROPE: CURRENT STATUS, LESSONS LEARNED AND THE WAY FORWARD

FRIDAY, MARCH 20 | 11.30 • 18.00

COORDINATOR



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The burden of cervical cancer is disproportionately higher in Eastern and Central Europe than in other parts of Europe, both in terms of incidence and mortality.

The workshop will provide a detailed overview of the current status of cervical cancer prevention, management and treatment in 16 Eastern and Central European countries: *Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, and The Republic of North Macedonia.*

In the first part latest available epidemiological data concerning burden of cervical cancer and other HPV-related cancers in the region will be presented followed by an overview of cervical cancer screening practices and their implementation as well as HPV vaccine implementation.

The second part will showcase country-specific exemplars (both positive and negative) of implementation of HPV vaccination as well as organized HPV-based cervical cancer screening programs in the region.

Third part will focus on treatment and clinical management of cervical cancer and high-grade cervical lesions with some country-specific exemplars.

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CEE 01 • PART I**11.30 • 13.00****CHAIR:** M. Poljak (Slovenia) • A. Nowakowski (Poland)

CEE 01-1 • Introduction	Poljak M. (Slovenia)
CEE 01-2 • Review of 15 years of collaborative efforts to obtain reliable data on burden of HPV-related cancers and implementation of cervical cancer prevention programs in Eastern and Central Europe	Poljak M. (Slovenia)
CEE 01-3 • Population-based national/regional cancer registries in Eastern and Central Europe	Zadnik V. (Slovenia)
CEE 01-4 • Burden of cervical cancer in Eastern and Central Europe	Bray F. (France)
CEE 01-5 • Burden of other HPV-related cancers in Eastern and Central Europe	Aleman Vilches L. (Spain)
CEE 01-6 • HPV vaccination implementation and estimates of vaccine coverage in Eastern and Central Europe	Bruni L. (Spain)
CEE 01-7 • Cervical cancer screening practices and implementation of HPV-based screening in Eastern and Central Europe	Arbyn M. (Belgium)
CEE 01-8 • Estimates of cervical cancer screening age-specific coverage in Eastern and Central Europe	Serrano Carro B. (Spain)
Discussion and Q&A	

LUNCH BREAK**13.00 • 14.30****CEE 02 • PART II****14.30 • 16.00****CHAIR:** M. Poljak (Slovenia) • A. Nowakowski (Poland)

CEE 02-1 • History of HPV vaccine implementation in The Republic of North Macedonia: Ups and downs	Dimitrov G. (North Macedonia)
CEE 02-2 • History of HPV vaccine implementation in Romania	Căpîlna A. (Romania)
CEE 02-3 • Status of HPV vaccination implementation in Hungary	Surján O. (Hungary)
CEE 02-4 • Status of HPV vaccination implementation in Baltic countries	Žodžika J. (Latvia)
CEE 02-5 • Overcoming challenges in HPV vaccination: A case study from Wrocław, Poland	Ludwikowska K. (Poland)
CEE 02-6 • Implementation status of national organized HPV-based cervical cancer screening in Estonia	Veerus P. (Estonia)
CEE 02-7 • Implementation status of national organised HPV-based cervical cancer screening in Latvia	Žodžika J. (Latvia)
CEE 02-8 • Implementation status of national organized HPV-based cervical cancer screening in Lithuania	Ivanauskienė R. (Lithuania)
CEE 02-9 • Implementation status of national organized HPV-based cervical cancer screening in Albania	Filipi K. (Albania)
CEE 02-10 • Implementation status of national organized HPV-based cervical cancer screening in Montenegro	Samardžić I. (Montenegro)
Discussion and Q&A	

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16.00 • 16.20

CEE 03 • PART III

16.20 • 18.00

CHAIR: M. Poljak (Slovenia) • A. Nowakowski (Poland)

CEE 03-1 • Colposcopy services and practices in Eastern and Central Europe

Kesić V. (Serbia)

CEE 03-2 • Treatment of high-grade cervical lesions in Eastern and Central Europe

Knapp P. (Poland)

CEE 03-3 • Treatment and management of cervical cancer in Eastern and Central Europe

Pakiž M. (Slovenia)

CEE 03-4 • Diagnosis and treatment of women with high-grade cervical lesions and cervical cancer in the Czech Republic

Sláma J. (Czech Republic)

CEE 03-5 • Management of women with high-grade cervical lesions and cervical cancer in Romania

Căpîlna A. (Romania)

CEE 03-6 • Management of women with high-grade cervical lesions and cervical cancer in Croatia

Klarić M. (Croatia)

CEE 03-7 • Management of women with high-grade cervical lesions and cervical cancer in Hungary

Novák Z. (Hungary)

CEE 03-8 • Management of women with high-grade cervical lesions and cervical cancer in Poland

Nowakowski A. (Poland)

Discussion and Q&A
