

Promotion and Support of Implementation of Directive 2010/32/EU on the prevention of sharps injuries in the hospital and health care sector

Regional Seminar

Rome, 7 March 2013

DRAFT AGENDA

*Interpretation will be provided in the following languages:
English, French, Italian, Spanish, Greek*

- 08:30 – 09:00 *Registration*
- 09:00 – 09:20 Introduction and welcome (ELVIRA GENTILE, Director General Collective Bargaining ARAN, MARCO LO VERSO Responsible Healthcare Policies of FP CGIL, GODFREY PERERA Chief Executive of HOSPEEM, MATHIAS MAUCHER, Policy Officer EPSU)
- 09:20 – 09:30 Welcome speech by GIANCARLO MARANO, Italian Ministry of Health
- 09:30 – 09:40 Film: Negotiating the Sharps Agreement, DG Employment
- 09:40 – 10:00 Transposition and implementation of the Sharps agreement: results of background research by TINA WEBER (ICF GHK)
Questions and Answers
- 10:00 – 10:30 Presentation of transposition/good practice tool/guidance by Prof. Gabriella DE CARLI, National Institute for Infectious Diseases L. Spallanzani (**Italy**)
Questions and Answers
- 10:30 – 10:45 *Coffee break*
- 10:45 – 11:15 Presentation of transposition/good practice tool/guidance by MARYVONNE NICOLLE, National Secretary Fédération CFDT Santé-Sociaux (**France**)
Questions and Answers
- 11:15 – 11:45 Presentation of transposition/good practice tool/guidance by MARIE NORA ROALD and BRIT VALAAS VIDDAL, The Norwegian Society of Engineers and Technologists (**Norway**)
Questions and Answers



- 11:45 – 12:15 Presentation of transposition/good practice tool/guidance in Spain by LUIS MAZÓN, Coordinator Prevention Service, University Hospital of Fuenlabrada, Madrid (**Spain**)
- Questions and Answers
- 12:15 – 12:45 Presentation of transposition/good practice tool/guidance by CLIFF WILLIAMS, Assistant General Secretary of UNISON (**United Kingdom**)
- 12:45 – 12:50 Introduction to working group sessions (to be held after lunch)
- 12:50– 13:45 *Lunch*
- 13:45 – 15:00 Small working groups (to discuss: current practice regarding prevention of sharps injuries, existing guidance; impact of transposition of Directive; guidance/good practice tools being prepared; guidance needed; partners involved in transposition/drafting of guidance; next steps at national level)
- N.B.: We have expressions of interest from colleagues from Belgium and Northern Cyprus (tbc) from EPSU affiliates to intervene with information on their national situation in this context.*
- 15:00 – 16:00 Reports back from working groups, discussions and next steps
- 16:00 – 16:20 Close of seminar (TJITTE ALKEMA, Secretary General of HOSPEEM, DANIELA VOLPATO National Secretary of FP CISL)

