



OSH Conference Toolkit
Social Partners' Conference
on Occupational Safety and Health

23 – 24 May 2018, Vilnius, Lithuania

About the conference

- Thematic focus on the prevention and reduction of the two occupational health and safety hazards most widespread in the health sector: **musculoskeletal disorders (MSD)** and **psychosocial risks and stress at work (PSRS@W)**.
- **100 participants** from 17 EU Member States and from 2 non-EU countries, including 30 participants from Lithuania.

The media release is available in [English](#) and [Lithuanian](#).



Social partners' conference on occupational Safety and Health

Social Media

Social Media platforms

- The social media platforms used for dissemination of information and communication before, during and after the conference was Twitter and LinkedIn.

Official hashtag

- Conference participants were encouraged to use the following hashtag when talking about the conference on social media

#SP4OSH18

Mentioning organisers

- Conference participants were encouraged to mention the official Twitter accounts of the conference organisers

HOSPEEM [@HOSPEEM](https://twitter.com/HOSPEEM) and EPSU [@EPSEUnions](https://twitter.com/EPSEUnions)

Media coverage

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Video teaser “A sound mind in a sound body – taking care of those who take care of us”
HOSPEEM

All the videos and the video teaser of the EPSU-HOSPEEM Conference “A sound mind in a sound body – taking care of those who take care of us” that took place on 23 & 24 May 2018 in Vilnius have been released!. On 23 and 24 May 2018 the second...

- European Sectoral Social Partners' Conference on Occupational Safety and Health ([read](#)) about 800 readers signed up to receive Health news



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Presentations and videos available: Social Partners' Conference on Occupational Safety and Health

Among the speakers at the 23-24 May HOSPEEM-EPSU conference in Vilnius was Health Commissioner Andriukaitis. The conference's aim was to pursue and expand the social partners' thematic focus on the prevention and reduction of musculoskeletal disorders and psycho-social risks and stress at work for health workers.

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Hospitals and Health Care HOSPEEM-EPSU Conference on Occupational Safety and Health in Health Care, 23-24 May 2018, Vilnius

On 23 and 24 May 2018, the second conference of the HOSPEEM-EPSU project on effective recruitment and retention policies for health workers will take place in Vilnius, Lithuania, with support by the Lithuanian Trade Union of Health Care Employees (LSADPS). The conference will explore best practices in the field of Occupational Safety and Health, focusing on prevention and reduction of Musculoskeletal Disorders and Psychosocial Risks and Stress at Work. The draft agenda and more information are available on the HOSPEEM and EPSU websites.



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Sectoral Social Dialogue Committee for Health Services, Social Partners' Conference on Occupational Safety and Health, 23-24 May, Vilnius, Lithuania

From 23rd at 14:00 to 24th May 2018 16:00 (Vilnius, Lithuania)

16 May 2018 by Simone MOHRS [European Hospital and Healthcare Employers' Association] in the Agora Network network

EVENT

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On 23 and 24 May 2018, the Social Partner's Conference on Occupational Safety and Health focusing on the prevention and reduction of MSD and PSRS@W will take place in Vilnius. Follow discussions live on Twitter using the Hashtag #SP4OSH18

2,317 members

Videos

A video production team produced a total of **20** videos:

- Teaser (1:14 min)
- Conference video (4:29 min)
- Interview with Vytenis Andriukaitis, European Commissioner for Health and Food Safety (3:26 min)
- Speech of Vytenis Andriukaitis, European Commissioner for Health and Food Safety (21:23min)
- 8 interviews with representatives of national trade unions from CY, FR, DE, IE, LT, NL and UK (up to 3 min each)
- 8 interviews with representatives of national employers' organisation from BG, DK, FI, LV, NL and UK (up to 3 min each)

The videos are available on the [HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website.

The entire playlist can be found on [YouTube](#).



Pictures

The conference organisers have developed a set of pictures that you are encouraged to share on social media as supporting material to make your post more visually appealing. The images are available on the [HOSPEEM](https://www.hospeem.org) website.



Sketch drawings

A sketch artist produced a total of 33 sketch drawings of the content of the conference, including the key note speech, panels and break out sessions.

The drawings are available in form of one single pdf on the [HOSPEEM](#) website and as JPGs on the [EPSU](#) website.

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in the emergency care



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Homecare reorganised!



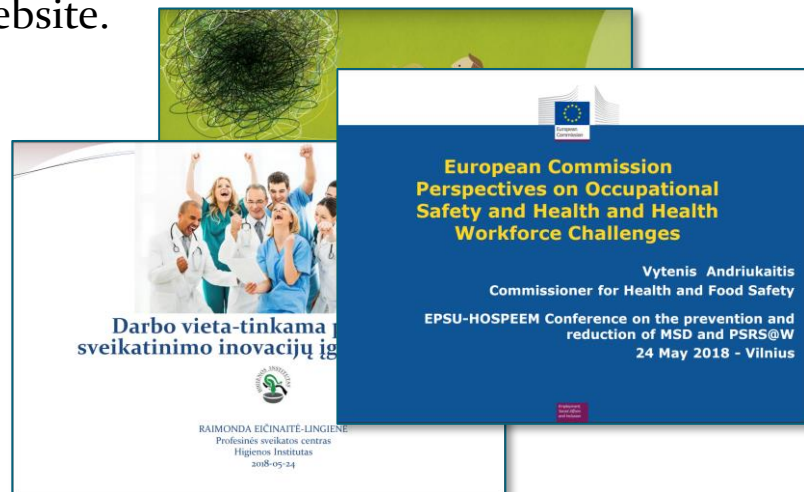
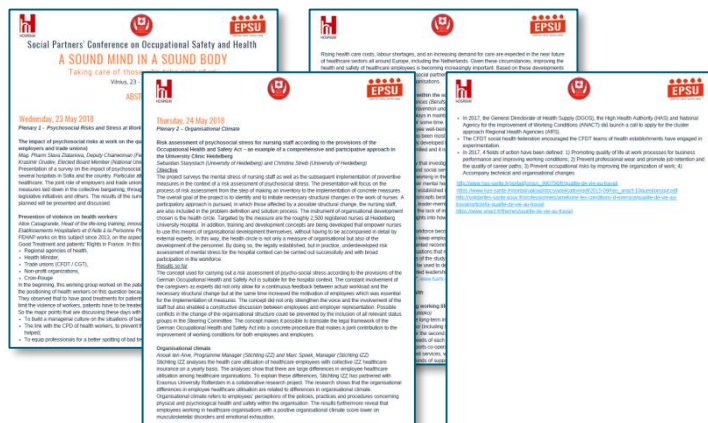
Conference materials

Abstracts of interventions

- A single document with the **15** abstracts of the presented national social partner initiatives in the areas of PSRS@W, MSD and OSH can be found on the [HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website.

Presentations

- All presentations (17 presentations in English, 2 in Lithuanian, 1 in French, 1 in Dutch) are available on the [HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website.



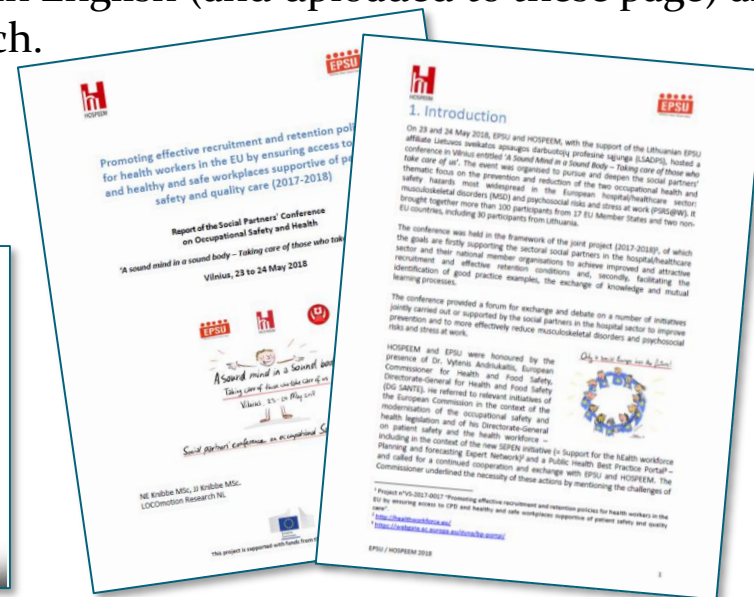
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Videos

- Speakers shared 4 additional videos, 3 from the Netherlands, 1 from Finland. They can be accessed on the HOSPEEM and EPSU website.

Conference report

- The conference report will be published in English (and uploaded to these page) and will be translated into German and French.



Background materials and information: Related Project (2014-2016)

A previous joint project that focused on **musculoskeletal disorders** and **psycho-social risks and stress at work** aimed towards the promotion of occupational safety and health. Through this project, the social partners aim to identify how preventive actions can contribute to improved workers' health and safety, to more attractive retention conditions in the hospital sector and to improved efficiency in the management of healthcare institutions by reducing the negative effects linked to these occupational risks. They also looked at and **discussed the instruments needed to achieve healthy and safe working conditions**. HOSPEEM and EPSU achieved these objectives through the exchange of knowledge and the identification of existing good practice.

Further information can be found on the [HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website.

Background materials and information: Related Project (2014-2016)

Conference on approaches to the issue of musculoskeletal disorders, Paris, 25 March 2015

The aim of the conference was to provide social partner organisations with a common understanding of the phenomenon of musculoskeletal disorders in the hospital sector and a clear picture of the concrete preventive measures they could take. ([HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website)

Conference on approaches to the issue of psychosocial risks and stress at work, Helsinki, 10 November 2015

The aim of the conference was to provide social partner organisations with a common understanding of the phenomenon of occupational health and safety risks focused on psycho-social risks and stress at work. ([HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website)

Material and Guidance

This section showcases more than 80 guidance, handbooks, training material etc. from EU Member States and institutions on musculoskeletal disorders and on psychosocial risks and stress at work

Further information can be found on the [HOSPEEM](#) and [EPSU](#) website.

Thank you for your attention

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