



**6th National Conference on Communicable Diseases
November 29–30, 2018**

Vilnius College Health Care Faculty Hall, Didlaukio str. 45, Vilnius

November 29 (Thursday)

- 9.00–9.30 Registration.**
- 9.30–12.00 Plenary opening session.**
Chairs: *Prof. Dr. Natalija Fatkulina, Vilnius University Medical Faculty (VU MF) Health Sciences Institute; Prof. Dr. Saulius Čaplinskas, Centre for Communicable Diseases and AIDS.*
Video welcome address. *Dr. Vytenis Povilas Andriukaitis, European Commissioner for Health and Food Safety*
- 10.00-10.20 Welcome address of the Seimas Health Committee, Ministry of Health, VU MF.
- 10.20-10.35 **„Communicable Diseases and ELPKC priorities“.** *Audrius Ščeponavičius, Ministry of Health, Public Health Department.*
- 10.40-11.05 **„National cost of communicable diseases“.** *State Patient Fund under the Ministry of Health*
- 11.10-11.25 **„Challenges of communicable Diseases and overview of incidence rates in Lithuania in 2017“.** *Prof. Dr. Saulius Čaplinskas, Centre for Communicable Diseases and AIDS.*
- 11.30-11.55 **„Mortality century trends of communicable diseases in Lithuania“.** *Doc. Dr. Romualdas Gurevičius, Hygiene Institute.*
- 12.00–13.00 Lunch, poster session.**
- 13.00-15.30 I session: Vaccine preventable diseases.**
- 13.00-13.15 **„Development of national immunoprophylaxis programme, actual issues and challenges“.** *Dr. Nerija Kuprevičienė, Ministry of Health, Epidemiological Surveillance Division; VU MF Health Sciences Institute Public Health Department.*
- 13.20-13.35 **„Analysis of adverse reactions to vaccination reported in Lithuania“.** *Gintarė Gilaitė, State Medication Control Service Medication Safety and Information Division.*
- 13.40-13.55 **„Good example is contagious - vaccination against flu among medical professionals“.** *Prof. Dr. Leonas Valius, Lithuanian Health Science University*

Family Medicine Clinic.

- 14.00-14.15 „**Why I don't want vaccination?**“ *Prof. Dr. Eugenijus Laurinaitis, Vilnius University.*
- 14.20-14.35 „**Survey results of Roma children vaccine coverage**“ *. Daiva Razmuvienė, Centre for Communicable Diseases and AIDS.*
- 14.40-14.50 „**Lymphadenitis after BCG vaccination**“ *. Dr. Rolandas Selvestravičius, Vilnius University.*
- 14.55-15.10 „**Vaccine allergy**“ *. Dr. Rūta Vėbrienė, Medical Diagnostic and Treatment Centre.*
- 15.15-15.30 „**Cancer immunology and vaccination**“ *. Dr. Vita Pašukonienė, National Cancer Institute Immunology Laboratory.*
- 15.30-16.00 Coffee Break, poster session.**
- 16.00-18.00 II session: Zoonoses and antibiotic resistance. Laboratory diagnostic of communicable diseases.**
- 16.00-16.20 „**Challenges of „One health“ policy implementation (humans and animals)**“ *. State Food and Veterinary Service.*
- 16.25-16.40 „**Newest data of antimicrobial consumption in Lithuania and EU**“ *. Jolanta Kuklytė, Hygiene Institute.*
- 16.45-17.00 „**Research of antibiotic resistance in Lithuania**“ *. Dr. Jolanta Miciulevičienė, Vilnius Clinical Hospital Microbiology Laboratory.*
- 17.05-17.25 „**Infection laboratory testing today and tomorrow**“ *. Dr. Silvija Kiverytė, VU Hospital Santara Clinic, Laboratory Medicine Centre, Microbiology Laboratory.*
- 17.30-18.00 Discussions. Abstract-driven I and II session poster presentation.

November 30 (Friday)

- 8.30-9.00 Registration, poster session.**
- 9.00-11.00 III session: Health Literacy and Social Determinants of Communicable Diseases.**
- 9.00-9.10 „**Communicable diseases and sustainable development goals**“ *. Dr. Ingrida Zurlytė, WHO Representative in Lithuania.*
- 9.10-9.25 „**Epidemiology of post-pandemic flu in Lithuania**“ *. Prof. Dr. Kęstutis Žagminas, VU MF Health Science Institute Public Health Department.*
- 9.30-9.45 „**Independent expert opinion in fostering EU vaccine policy**“ *. Doc. Dr. Liuba Murauskienė, VU MF Health Science Institute Public Health Department.*
- 9.50-10.20 „**Meningococcal infection among adolescents and young adults**“ *. Prof. Dr. Auksė Mickienė, Dr. Liucijus Ambraška, Lithuanian Health Sciences University.*
- 10.30-10.45 „**First of all is health of military men and women: threats of communicable diseases in the army**“ *. Rasa Šulčiūtė, Dr. Jonas Basanavičius Military Medicine Service Military Public Health Sector Communicable Diseases and Prevention*

Control Division.

- 10.50-11.05 **„Communicable Diseases in prison system“.** *Birutė Semėnaitė, Prison Department under the Ministry of Justice Health Division.*
- 11.10-11.25 **„Trends of public attitudes towards vulnerable groups“ (results of representative survey).** *Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rasa Ališauskienė, Baltic Surveys.*
- 11.30–12.30 Panel Mayor Discussion „Youth health – priority of regional policy“.**
Vilnius, Kaunas, Klaipėda, Visaginas, Plungė and other Mayors are invited.
Moderator: Prof. Dr. Natalija Fatkulina, VU MF Health Sciences Institute.
- 12.30–13.30 Lunch, poster presentations.**
- 13.30–15.30 IV session: HIV / AIDS and associated infections (STI, viral hepatitis, tuberculosis).**
- 13.30-13.45 **„30 years with AIDS in Lithuania – lessons learned and challenges“.** *Prof. Dr. Saulius Čaplinskas, Centre for Communicable Diseases and AIDS.*
- 13.50-14.05 **„Newest PAM - Terra incognita“.** *Dr. Robertas Badaras, VU Anaesthesiology and Reanimatology Clinic Toxicology Centre, Republican Vilnius University Hospital.*
- 14.10-14.25 **„Challenge of viral hepatitis elimination in Lithuania“.** *Prof. Dr. Ligita Jančorienė, VU Hospital Santara Clinic Infectious Diseases Centre.*
- 14.30-14.45 **„Evaluation of HIV prevention means among Lithuanian population – survey results“.** *Irma Čaplinskienė, Centre for Communicable Diseases and AIDS.*
- 14.50-15.05 **„HPV vaccination achievements and news“.** *Doc. Dr. Žana Bumbulienė, VU MF Clinical Medicine Institute Obstetrics and Gynaecology Clinic.*
- 15.10-15.25 **„How long TB will still be a threat?“.** *Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kęstutis Miškinis, VU Hospital Santara Clinic.*
- 15.30-16.00 **Coffee Break, poster presentations.**
- 16.00-17.30 Abstract-driven poster presentations.
- "ChestEye – Lithuanian artificial intelligence solution in effective chest x-ray diagnostic".** *Darius Barušauskas, Oxipit*
- „Tuberculosis influence on fashion“.** *Joana Korabliovienė, Centre for Communicable Diseases and AIDS.*
- 17.30 Closing, nomination of the best posters, participant certificates distribution.**
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