Program

8th Annual Meeting of Exercise is Medicine in Europe
Conference theme: “Healthy active ageing”
Venue: Amsterdam Public Library (OBA)

The Annual Meeting is for physicians, health care professionals, sports scientists, public health and health technology specialists.

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General information

Exercise is Medicine® (EIM) ([http://www.exerciseismedicine.org/](http://www.exerciseismedicine.org/)) is a global health initiative founded by the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) ([https://www.acsm.org/](https://www.acsm.org/)) that is focused on encouraging primary care physicians and other health care providers to include physical activity when designing treatment plans for patients and referring their patients to EIM Credentialed Exercise and Exercise Professionals. EIM is committed to the belief that physical activity is integral in the prevention and treatments of diseases and should be regularly assessed and "treated" as part of all healthcare.

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Venue & Parking

OBA Expedition, Oosterdoksstraat 110, 1011 DK Amsterdam

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Link to the Scientific Abstracts

https://www.germanjournalsportsmedicine.com/
https://www.zeitschrift-sportmedizin.de/
Day 1

Friday September 20, 2019

08.30-09.30 registration/coffee

09.30-11.00 block 1- Introduction

Chairs: Willem van Mechelen, Amsterdam; Jürgen M. Steinacker, Ulm

09.30-09.40 Welcome
Willem van Mechelen; Amsterdam UMC, location VUmc (NL)

09.40-09.45 Message from the President of FIMS
Fabio Pigozzi, Rome (IT); President of the International Federation of Sports Medicine (FIMS)

09.45-09.50 The need for a Global Alliance
Yannis Pitsiladis, Brighton (UK); Chair of the Science Commission of FIMS

09.50-09.55 Exercise Is Medicine: Continuously Improving
Kathryn Schmitz; Chair of the EIM Governance Board (USA).

09.55-10.00 EIM and the Global health alliance
Jürgen M. Steinacker, Ulm (GER); Chair of the European Initiative for Exercise in Medicine

10.00-10.30 Role of big data
Philip Treleaven; University College London (UK)

10.30-11.00 Role of Modern Technology
Heleen Riper; VU University Amsterdam (NL)

11.00-11.30 Coffee / Industry Exhibition / Networking / Poster tour # 1 - 8

11.30-13.00 block 2 – Settings

Chairs: Luis Bettencourt Sardinha, Lisbon; Hidde van der Ploeg, Amsterdam

11.30-12.00 EIM in primary care – Sweden leads by example
Mats Borjesson; University of Gothenburg (SE)

12.00-12.30 On a blue print for EIM in Dutch Hospital Care
Rienk Dekker; University of Groningen (NL)

12.30-13.00 To sit or not to sit – epidemiological and experimental evidence and implications for clinical settings
Ulf Ekelund; Norwegian School of Sport Sciences, Oslo (NO)

13.00-14.00 Lunch break / Industry Exhibition / Networking / Poster tour # 9 – 21
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14.00-15.30 block 3 – Disease specific EIM

Chairs: Mats Borjesson, Gothenburg; Miklos Toth, Budapest

14.00-14.30 EIM for cancer patients
   Kathryn Schmitz; Penn State University (USA)

14.30-15.00 EIM as pre-hab in pre-operative care
   Joost Klaase; University of Groningen (NL)

15.00-15.30 EIM and neuro-degenerative disease
   Claus Reinsberger; University Paderborn (DE)

15.30-16.00 Coffee / Industry Exhibition / Networking / Poster tour # 22 - 29

16.00-17.30 block 4 – EIM for the young

Chairs: Mai Chin A Paw, Amsterdam; Rüdiger Reer, Hamburg

16.00-16.30 Physical activity and cognition; what do we know in kids?
   Mai Chin A Paw, Amsterdam UMC, location VUmc (NL)

16.30-17.00 Physical activity interventions for children; do they really work?
   Esther van Sluijs, MRC Epidemiology Unit, Cambridge (UK)

17.00-17.30 EIM for the clinical paediatric population.
   Ugo Giordano, Bambino Gesu Children’s Hospital, Rome, (IT)

18.00 Reception hosted by the City of Amsterdam
Day 2

Saturday September 21, 2019

09.00-10.30 block 5 – EIM for persons with a disability

**Chairs:** Lucas van der Woude, Groningen; Kathleen Martin-Ginis; Kelowna

- 09.00-09.30 Implementing EIM in community dwelling persons with a disability
  - Kathleen Martin-Ginis; University of British Columbia (CA)
- 09.30-10.00 Exercise promotion programs for people with disabilities; what is the role of technology?
  - James Rimmer, University of Alabama (USA)
- 10.00-10.30 Exercise for manual wheelchair users
  - Sonja de Groot, Amsterdam Rehabilitation Research Center/Reade (NL)

10.30-11.00 Coffee / Industry Exhibition / Networking / Poster tour # 30 - 42

11.00-12.30 block 6 - Future developments

**Chairs:** Hans Zwerver, Groningen, Jürgen M. Steinacker, Ulm

- 11.00-11.30 Marketing EIM
  - Tom de Bruijne, SUE Amsterdam & Behavioural Design Academy (NL)
- 11.30-12.00 On the ethics of EIM
  - Menno de Bree, University of Groningen (NL)
- 12.00-13.00 *Closure*
  - Hans Zwerver University of Groningen (NL) & Jürgen Steinacker Ulm University

14.00-16.00 European National Center Meeting and EIEIM Member Assembly OBA (Prinsenzaal 6.6)
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