Payment Terms

1. Cheques will NOT be accepted.
2. Only payments made in Euro will be accepted.
3. As confirmation of registration an invoice will be issued after receipt of the Registration form.

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation of individual or group registrations received before 1 January 2015 will be refunded (less €100 per registration, bank and administration charges).
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THE 2015 EAHP CONGRESS

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to Hamburg, one of the most affluent cities in Europe, which is located on the river Elbe and boasts the third largest port in Europe. The old tradition of the Hanse is still alive as Hamburg continues to be one of the largest commercial and cultural hubs in Europe drawing millions of visitors every year.

EAHP is pleased to invite you to attend the 20th congress of the association, an event that continues to be an excellent opportunity to meet colleagues, learn the newest developments in the hospital pharmacist profession and join the industry exhibition.

The scientific committee is already in the process of developing the 2015 programme around a topic we should never forget: “The hospital pharmacist’s agenda – patient safety first”.

The hospital pharmacist profession developed from a medicine to a patient centred profession and our first commitment to the patients is to assure their safe medication. The best outcome for patients can only be achieved through collaborative care between hospital pharmacists, doctors and nurses. Looking on our agenda we have to focus on patient safety but also on proper communication with our colleagues as an important part of the task. Much evidence was created during the last years by scientific research on the impact of hospital pharmacists’ interventions. Now is the time to make this happen in every hospital and in every country of Europe. The congress will help you to find the way to overcome the obstacles and barriers in your hospital and will give you incentives to optimize what you are already doing for your patients.

Hamburg will be the last congress I will chair as president of EAHP. It has been a rewarding experience to serve EAHP and it is a great pleasure to have this congress theme at the end of my term as I am deeply convinced that this change of orientation is the future of our profession. Without losing the roots of pharmacy based on production of medicines we will serve the patients by helping them in making the best and safest use of their medication.

While Hamburg is sometimes thought to be an “industrial” city, you will be surprised by what it has to offer. Visit the impressive harbours with the huge Eurogate container terminal, the nightlifes of St. Pauli, the “Speicher”-city and the promenade around the Alster. You will also discover the fine art of the Hanse-culture and maybe visit the prestigious opera house. The landscape itself is something of beauty with 2300 bridges crossing the rivers and streams throughout the city. Hamburg, recognised by the world, as an open-minded city will never disappoint you!

See you in Hamburg!

Dr. Roberto Frontini, EAHP President

FOREWORD BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Dear Friends in European Hospital Pharmacy,

“The hospital pharmacist’s agenda - patient safety first!” will be the theme for the presentations at the Hamburg 2015 EAHP Congress. Most hospital pharmacists across Europe feel the need for the development of skills and services for the future of their profession. The challenges are mostly as a result of the current economy but at the same time, the expectations and needs for new hospital pharmacy services are the opportunities and driving forces in the process of change.

The 20th EAHP Congress offers you inspiration for the process of developing your every day job and influencing the future of your profession.

Keynote presentations such as “Patient empowerment and education” will open your eyes for the trend we are facing now: patient safety. Are we prepared to recognise the risks that our patients face from medicines as will be addressed in keynote 2? How do we manage the enormous amount of knowledge that becomes available through new media and technology and create a culture of safety? Attend keynote 3 to gain insight and inspiration.

The congress seminars, which are open for interaction with the speakers, will be dealing with the need for specialisation for the hospital pharmacist profession as seen in some European countries but missing in most others. This year the seminars are related to three themes: Management and Organisation, Concepts in Safety Management and Clinical Aspects. The first theme will be highlighted by seminars on best practices in medication safety, risk analysis from drugs to patient, education, drugs design for safety and two seminars on technology, one on drug supply and the other on compounding. The second theme deals with team working, austerity, methodology and cause of errors and classification. The third theme is clinically oriented: medication safety in transition of care, medical device vigilance, high-risk medication, adherence and patient involvement and special patient groups.

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Come and enjoy.

Prof. Dr. C. (Kees) Neef, EAHP Scientific Committee Chairman

20th Congress of the EAHP – 25-27 March 2015 – Hamburg, Germany

Venue : CCH-Congress Centre Hamburg

Preliminary Scientific Programme

Theme: The hospital pharmacist’s agenda - patient safety first!

Keynote 1: Patient empowerment through education
Keynote 2: Safety in high-risk industries – What healthcare professionals can learn
Keynote 3: Developing a safety culture: how to progress effectively?

Management and organisation
SM1 Customising STOPP/START criteria for other patient groups
SM2 Risk analysis of the drug development process - focus on the patient
SM3 The use of simulation in pharmacy education
SM4 Design for safety: the industrial approach
SM5 Patient safety and drug supply technologies
SM6 Patient safety and compounding technologies

Concept
SC1 Improving patient safety through multidisciplinary teamwork
SC2 Budgetary constraints and patient care
SC3 Methodologies underlying patient safety
SC4 Error causation and taxonomy

Clinical
SL1 Medication safety in transitions of care
SL2 Medical device vigilance
SL3 Patient safety through individualised therapy
SL4 Adherence and patient empowerment
SL5 Medication safety in vulnerable patient groups

Other Sessions
Highlights of German Hospital Pharmacy; 7 Workshops; Synergy Satellites

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