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The 6th Academy of Contemporary Hepatology and 9th Conference of Central European Hepatologic Collaboration

PROGRAM 9 Conference of the Central European Hepatologic Collaboration Radisson Collection Hotel, Warsaw, 10-11 October 2019r.

THURSDAY 10.10.2019r.

Arrival of CEHC participants and Dinner

FRIDAY 11.10.2019r.

09:00 - 09:05 **CEHC Opening – Robert Flisiak**

09:05 - 11:00 **Session 1: Viral hepatitis C – Małgorzata Pawłowska, Jan Sperl**

09:05 - 09:25 Treatment of HCV in IDUs: focus on compliance – Sona Frankova, Czech Republic

09:25 - 09:45 Safety of HCV treatment in the large real world experience study – Dorota Zarebska-Michaluk, Poland

09:45 - 10:00 Screening and treatment of hepatitis C in Slovak prisons – Kristian Pavol, Slovakia

10:00 - 10:20 Direct acting antiviral treatment decreases inhibitory TIM-3 immune checkpoint receptor expression on NK cells in patients with chronic HCV hepatitis – Gabriella Pár, Hungary

10:20 - 10:40 HCV Elimination Activities in the Czech Republic – Petr Urbanek, Czech Republic

10:40 - 11:00 Discussion

11:00 - 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 - 12:25 **Session 2: Viral hepatitis B – Bela Hunyady, Anna Piekarska**

11:15 - 11:35 Retrospective analysis of patients suffering from chronic hepatitis B virus infection in Hungary – Gábor Horváth, Hungary (G. Merth, R. Oross-Bécsi, P. Kunovszki, P. Rózsa, P. Takács)

11:35 - 11:55 Effectiveness of anti-HBV vaccination - do we need anti-HBs assessment? – Krzysztof Tomasiewicz, Poland

11:55 - 12:15 Reactivation of HBV – unresolved issue – Jerzy Jaroszewicz, Poland

12:15 - 12:25 Discussion

12:25 - 14:20 **Session 3: Other hepatologic issues – Peter Jarcuska, Jerzy Jaroszewicz**

12:25 - 12:45 Inflammatory bowel disease and liver transplantation – Tajana Filipec, Croatia

12:45 - 13:05 FibroScan Controlled Attenuation Parameter and Liver Stiffness measurement in assessing steatosis and fibrosis in patients with nonalcoholic fatty liver disease – Ivana Mikolasevic, Croatia

13:05 - 13:25 High prevalence of primary biliary cholangitis in East Slovakia – Sylvia Drazilova, Slovakia

13:25 - 13:45 HCC in patients with NAFLD/NASH – Piotr Małkowski, Poland

13:45 - 14:05 Challenges of long term follow up of liver transplant recipients – Pavel Trunecka, Czech Republic

14:05 - 14:20 Discussion

14:20 - 14:25 **Closing of 9th CEHC and future plans**

14:25 - 15:30 Lunch

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FRIDAY 11.10.2019r.

14:00 - 16:00 Lunch

16:00 - 16:10 **Opening – Robert Flisiak, Aleksander Kwieciński**

16:10 - 17:00 **Session 1: How to achieve HCV elimination – Robert Flisiak, Piotr Małkowski**

16:10 - 16:30 Securing political leadership for hepatitis C Elimination – Ricardo Baptista Leite, Portugal

16:30 - 16:50 New virological tools to screen hepatitis C virus infection – Stéphane Chevaliez, France

16:50 - 17:00 Discussion

17:00 - 17:15 Coffee break and **EXPO viewing (national poster presentations)**

17:15 - 18:50 **Session 2: World without hepatitis C – Krzysztof Tomasiewicz, Petr Urbanek**

17:15 - 17:35 WHO Global Strategy on Viral Hepatitis: Progress Towards Elimination – Antons Mozalevskis, WHO

17:35 - 17:55 ECDC support to HCV elimination – Piotr Kramarz, ECDC

17:55 - 18:15 Prerequisites of HCV investment – Homie Razavi, CDA

18:15 - 18:35 Patient voice in strategic communication in HCV elimination in Central Europe – Marko Korenjak, ELPA

18:35 - 18:50 Discussion

20:00 Dinner

SATURDAY 12.10.2019r.

09:00 - 11:00 **Session 3: How close we are to HCV elimination, part 1 – Krzysztof Simon, Ieva Tolmane**

09:00 - 09:20 HCV elimination experience in Saudi Arabia – Faisal Sanai, Saudi Arabia

09:20 - 09:40 Model predicting the HCV disease burden in the Czech Republic – Jan Sperl, Czech Republic

09:40 - 10:00 HCV screening model in Zagreb – Davora Dusek, Croatia

10:00 - 10:20 Hepatitis C epidemiological situation in Lithuania and perspectives for virus elimination – Limas Kupcinskas, Lithuania

10:20 - 10:40 Bulgaria on the road to elimination of HCV infection – Marieta Simonova, Bulgaria

10:40 - 11:00 Discussion

11:00 - 11:30 Coffee break and **EXPO viewing (national poster presentations)**

11:30 - 13:10 **Session 4: How close we are to HCV elimination, part 2 – Waldemar Halota, Marieta Simonova**

11:30 - 11:50 How to eliminate HCV infection in Slovakia - country with low HCV prevalence – Peter Jarcuska, Slovakia

11:50 - 12:10 Hopes and progress in chronic viral hepatitis elimination in Hungary – Béla Hunyady, Hungary

12:10 - 12:30 What is a chance to eliminate HCV in Poland? – Robert Flisiak, Poland

12:30 - 12:50 National experience and perspectives of HCV elimination in Latvia – Ieva Tolmane, Latvia

12:50 - 13:10 Discussion

13:10 - 13:15 **Closing**

13:15 - 14:00 Lunch