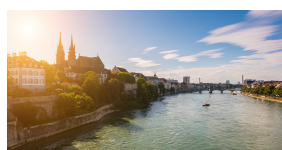


17th European AIDS Conference

Basel, Switzerland - November 6-9, 2019



The 17th European AIDS Conference will be launched at the **opening ceremony** taking place at the Congress Center Basel on Wednesday, November 6, 2019 from 17:15-18:45. We are delighted to announce the **keynote speakers** and the topics which will set the tone of the Conference:

90-90-90 goals in Europe: In action, *Anastasia Pharris, ECDC, Sweden*

European countries' performance on the global 90-90-90 goals for diagnosis, treatment and viral suppression is uneven, resulting in diverging trends of HIV incidence across the region. This lecture will present the latest epidemiological data on HIV for the European region, overall and by key population. [Learn more](#)

HIV care beyond 2019: How to address old and new challenges?, *Jens D. Lundgren, CHIP, Denmark*

The science supporting the evidence guiding HIV medicine anno 2019 is solid. But only a fraction of the 2.5 million HIV-positive persons on the European continent enjoys the full benefit of these major advances. A large divider is the country of residence – some are successful but others fall behind. The rate of new infections and AIDS cases is inversely correlated with ART coverage. [Learn more](#)

Community perspective: Inequalities in care, *Alex Schneider, EATG, Switzerland*

HIV infection is no longer a “plague of the 21st century”. This is instead a chronic manageable condition like many others, that can be treated effectively and with which one can live a quality life. However, there are ongoing differences in the type of HIV care delivered to patients and this is reflected in varying quality of life amongst HIV-positive people. [Learn more](#)

[Preliminary scientific programme](#)

This year, the European AIDS Clinical Society is working in collaboration with the H.W. & J. Hector Foundation, Weinheim, which is announcing a prize for European HIV research.

The **European Hector Research Award in HIV 2019** will be awarded for the best scientific achievements in the HIV research area in 2019.

Papers will be considered for dotations of:

- 10 000 EUR for the best clinical and/or epidemiological paper
- 10 000 EUR for the best basic science, translational paper

[Read more about this prize](#)

We invite you to read more about the opportunities we offer at the Conference:

Abstract submission is open until July 11, 2019. An abstract can be submitted as poster or oral presentation. Accepted abstracts will be considered for the three best poster discussion sessions that will be held on Friday, November 8, 2019.

Clinical cases can be submitted until September 2, 2019. Selected clinical

cases will be presented during the dedicated session on Saturday, November 9, 2019.

This year, the [scholarship programme](#) has been extended to provide more opportunities to HIV professionals, from different settings and professions, to attend our conference in Basel. Applications are open to clinicians/physicians, public health experts, researchers from basic and translational sciences, allied professionals, community members, and other service providers involved in HIV/AIDS. We welcome scholarship applications until July 11, 2019.

Registration for individuals and groups is now open. The early registration fee will apply until July 12, 2019. A reduced fee is available for allied professionals, students and community members. Registering early will give you the opportunity to attend the pre-educational course, the WAVE workshop, and the meet-the-expert sessions, which are free of charge but organised on a first-come first-served basis.

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