



EACS Newsletter - June 2024

NEWS



Join the July EACS Live! Journal Club

The July Journal Club will focus on methodological tips for study interpretation with a presentation from Marta Rava (Spain) and Georgia Vourli (Greece). The discussion will be led by Uwe Koppe (Germany) and Evangelia Kostaki (Greece) with other YINGers joining the discussion.

Participate on **Wednesday, 17 July at 15:00 CEST.**

[Register now!](#)

Now available: Interim Guidance on the Use of Statin Therapy for the Primary Prevention of Cardiovascular Disease in People with HIV

EACS has published the new interim guidance to inform the use of statin therapy, in conjunction with healthy lifestyle measures, for the primary prevention of cardiovascular disease in people with HIV in Europe.

[Click here for more information and the full guidance](#)

EACS Young Investigators gather in Brussels for the YING Conference



The fifth YING Conference took place on 14-15 June, 2024 in Brussels, Belgium, bringing together a new generation of HIV experts from across the WHO European Region.

Organised by a dedicated scientific committee made up of YING members, the conference featured a series of engaging plenary sessions and workshops.

Participants explored a wide range of topics, including managing cardiovascular risk and implementing findings from the REPRIEVE Study. They also looked at low-level viraemia on ART as well as STI prevention. Finally, they discussed PROMs, quality of life and stigma, and breastfeeding transmission data and guidelines.

In addition to the plenary sessions, attendees participated in interactive workshops that focused on career development, looked at different study designs, as well as the cascade of care in Europe and how to improve it. The workshops also included brainstorming sessions on launching a bespoke medical service.

[Learn more!](#)

Upcoming EACS regional elections: timeline and information

We are happy to announce that the nomination process for the EACS regional elections will start on 25 July until 19 August 2024. The elected individuals will play a crucial role as members of the Governing Board, guiding the strategic direction of the society and shaping policies to address the challenges and opportunities in the field of HIV/AIDS.

Among other criteria, individuals interested in submitting a nomination must be an EACS member for a minimum of 2 years. Therefore, we kindly remind members to check the status of their membership for the nomination process and voting at a later stage.

For further information about the elections and the detailed timeline, [please click here](#).

WAVE in action: past and future activities on women's health

WAVE in Ukraine

On 30-31 May 2024 WAVE organised its online WAVE in Ukraine workshop, this time focusing on testing and PrEP for women.

Save the date for the next WAVE in Ukraine workshop on 12-13 September at 16:00 CEST. The experts will discuss "standards of care for women - guidelines and clinical practice across Europe".

Breastfeeding

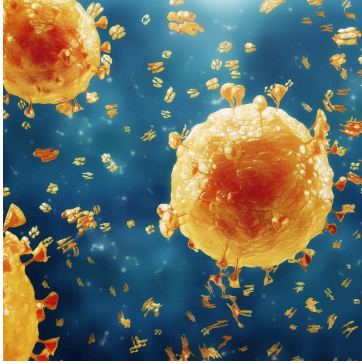
On 12 June 2024, the Breastfeeding working group organised the webinar on a physiologically based pharmacokinetic (PBPK) model for ARTs during breastfeeding.

The next webinar will be organised in autumn (date TBC) and will focus on the role of midwives in the interdisciplinary care of breastfeeding mothers with HIV.

Want to join these activities and other interesting projects? Become a WAVE member!

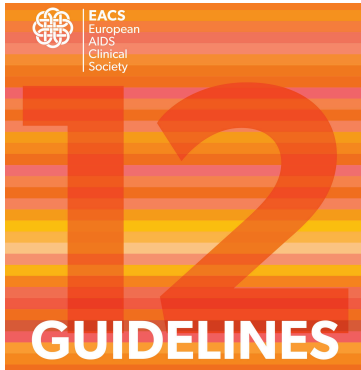
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You can access below all the materials and information related to the European AIDS Conference and the EACS core activities.

[More info](#)



EACS Guidelines version 12.0

Have a look at the new interactive website of the latest version of the European Guidelines for the treatment of people living with HIV in Europe.

[More info](#)



Free Management of HIV and Co-infections Online Course

Follow the practical and comprehensive course on management of HIV, including: the latest findings and guidelines on how to manage, treat and prevent HIV and related diseases; optimisation of HIV treatment programmes and other related topics.

[More info](#)



EACS Social Media Accounts

Don't forget to check EACS social media accounts to stay updated on the most important news related to HIV care. We are on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), [LinkedIn](#), [Instagram](#) and [Youtube](#).



CALENDAR

EACS activities:

- **9-13 September:** HIV Summer School. [More info](#)
- **12-13 September:** WAVE in Ukraine workshop.
- **16-17 October 2024:** Standard of Care meeting. [More info](#)

Other activities:

- **22-26 July:** AIDS 2024. [More info.](#)
- **10-13 November:** HIV Glasgow. [More info](#)

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