



Newsletter

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Editorial

Dear reader,

The last HPH Newsletter edition in the year 2011 draws your attention to the first ever international HPH conference outside Europe – Taipei 2012. You cannot expect a rich program with fascinating speakers from around the world and possibilities for visiting Taiwanese hospitals and most favourable travel conditions. Find information more info on the next pages and an updated program overview on <http://www.hphconferences.org/taipei2012>.

Please note that the abstract submission deadline has been prolonged until January 10th, 2012!

The Partners section informs you about a new report by the European Hospital and Healthcare federation on cooperation between hospitals and primary care with the goal of better health. And in the network section, the Montreal network are announcing a tool that will help implementing HPH standard 4. Further information will follow!

We wish you a peaceful end of the year, a merry Christmas and a good start into a healthy and successful year 2012!

Sincerely yours,

*Jürgen M. Pelikan,
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International HPH Network



The 20th International HPH Conference will be held in Taipei, Taiwan, from April 11-13, 2012, as the first HPH conference outside Europe. The programme is currently being developed under the title **“Health promoting healthcare in a changing world: Innovating service provision, healthcare management and health systems design.”** A HPH Summer School and a pre-conference on the ENSH Gold Level Forum will also be organized, and many renowned international lectures have confirmed their contributions to the conference program.



Extended Abstract Submission Deadline

You still have a chance for active participation! Attendees interested in submitting abstracts to the conference can still do so – the deadline has been extended to January 10th, 2012. Submit at the scientific website

www.hphconferences.org/taipei2012/scoe-purpose/call-for-papers.html.

Travel Budget Saving – Lowest Conference Costs Ever!

The local host has worked hard to provide the best values in flight, accommodations and registration fees, so that attendee can simply make time to come to Taiwan for a great trip and excellent learning experience.

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Flight ¹	€ 634	€ 659	€ 793	€ 997	€ 801
Total ²	930~ 1096	955~ 1121	1089~ 1255	1293~ 1459	1097~ 1263

¹Online price estimates from China Airline for April, 2012. Price all in Euros

² Including registration fee and 4 nights of accommodation.



For attendees from most European and North American destinations, the range of estimated total costs is between **€ 900 and € 1500**. These costs include reduced registration fees (€118 early bird) and accommodation costs (estimated **€44~86 Euros** per night). The pricing is designed to be comparable to, if not lower than, for previous conferences. As this is also the first HPH conference in Asia, attendees will enjoy the benefits of closer locality and even lower travel budgets; therefore we greatly welcome all participants from the Asian HPH nations to come to Taiwan. As an added incentive, attendees are entitled to **further 10% flight discounts** if they contact China Airline directly for flight inquiry, so visitors may expect actual fees to be even lower. Attendees may also go to the conference website and check for other airline deals (under Air Line Suggestions). This is a great news for attendees, so act now and register for this historical event!

The conference secretariat has negotiated with Chi-

na Airline (CA), a local carrier, discount pricing for attendees of the 2012 conferences. The discounts offered will be on a nation-by-nation basis. This information has been forwarded to the HPH coordinators to distribute to members. Interested attendees should contact their nearest CA agents (mention "2012 HPH international conference in Taiwan").

Hospital Tours on HPH Themes

The conference will feature tours to hospitals in the capital (Taipei City) and around Taiwan, that have won excellence awards in various Health Promotion fields, such as **Smoke-Free and Cessation, Chronic Disease Management, Community, Environment-Friendly, Baby-Friendly, and Mental Health**. These visits in Taipei are free of charge to the attendees. There will also be optional local cultural trips for hospital visits in other parts of Taiwan (extra transportation and lodging fees may apply). Interested attendees can sign up in the Registration system at www.hph2012.com

On-Going Early Bird Registration

Now is the time to register. The Early Bird registration discount is only valid till January 31st, 2012! Act now and submit your registration at <http://www.hph2012.com>



Abstracts can be submitted until **December 15, 2011** at <http://www.hphconferences.org/taipei2012>. The online registration can be accessed at www.hph2012.com. The deadline for Early Bird registration is **January 31, 2012**.

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News from HPH Partner Organizations



On November 8, 2011, HOPE (the European Hospital and Healthcare Federation) published the report "Better health – A shared challenge for hospitals and primary health care". The paper explores strategies and means adopted in European countries to improve the health of patients and citizens through better coordination between the different levels of healthcare.

The report points out that reforms should aim at fostering healthcare systems' integration and new pathways of care should be created especially for the treatment of diseases with high need of coordination. These demands fit very well together with HPH standard 5, continuity and cooperation.

The report also presents new roles for healthcare professionals in achieving the necessary change and points out the role of Information and Communication Technologies in fostering communication and continuity of care. The report also highlights the evolution of the integration between primary and secondary care and demonstrates that a lot has been done to foster better health, by that also improving the use and distribution of resources in the healthcare system as well as the level of quality and safety for citizens.

The report is available on: www.hope.be

Contact: Pascal Garel sg@hope.be

News from HPH Networks, Task Forces and members



The Montreal Network of Health Promoting Hospitals and CSSSs is pleased to announce that two regional HPH networks have been granted authorization to translate the "Guide to Promoting Healthy Workplaces in Healthcare Institutions". As such, the document will shortly be available in Greek, Spanish, and Catalan. All those who are interested in translating the guide should contact us so that we may provide information regarding the steps involved.

In order to build on the recommendations found in the guide, our network is currently producing a tool that will help establishments in their efforts to implement HPH Standard 4. As an organizational diagnostic tool, it will provide a portrait of the organization in terms of the various factors that contribute towards the development of a healthy workplace. In addition, it will also serve to help organizations develop effective intervention plans as well as evaluate the impact of their interventions. More information to follow.

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Events, publications, links



Conferences & Meetings: *HPH and HPH partners*

HPH events

20th International Conference on Health Promoting Hospitals and Health Services (HPH)

Health promoting healthcare in a changing world: Innovation in service provision, healthcare management and health system design

April 11-13, 2012, Taipei, Taiwan

www.hphconferences.org/taipei2012

Events of HPH partners and other organisations

The 13th Triennial World Congress on Public Health
Towards Global Health Equity: Opportunities and Threats

April 21-29, 2012, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Further information:

<http://wfpha.confex.com/wfpha/2012/cfp.cgi>

15th World Conference on Tobacco or Health (WCTOH)
Towards a Tobacco-Free World: Planning globally, acting locally

March 20-24, 2012, Singapore

<http://wctoh2012.org/>

5th Latin-American and 4th Inter-American Health Promotion and Health Education Conference

April 10-12, 2012, Mexico City, Mexico

<http://conferenciapesmexico2012.com/>

2nd Asia-Pacific Conference on Health Promotion and Education

Empowerment for Healthy Settings – Healthy City and Community, Healthy School and University, Healthy Hospital and Healthy Workplace

May 4-6, 2012, Taipei, Taiwan

http://www.nsha.org.tw/aphpe_web/

24th Congress of the European Association of Hospital Managers (EAHM)

Innovative Hospital Manager

September 27 and 28 September 2012, Athens, Greece

<http://www.eahm-athens2012.gr/>

International Conference on Communication in Healthcare 2012

September 4-7, 2011

St. Andrews, UK

<http://www.each-conference.com/>

9th IUHPE European Health Promotion Conference
Health and Quality of Life – Health and solidarity Partnership in the current economic situation

September 27-29 2012

Tallin, Estonia

<http://www.conferences.ee/iuheli2012/>



Books, articles & reports *HPH and HPH partners*

Reports

Saltman R.B., Durán A., Dubois H.F.W. (Eds.) (2011):
Governing Public Hospitals. Reform strategies and the movement towards institutional autonomy. Copenhagen: World Health Organization 2011, on behalf of the European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies
http://www.euro.who.int/_data/assets/pdf_file/0017/154160/e95981.pdf



Links & Web-tools

International HPH Secretariat

and WHO Collaborating Centre for Evidence-Based Health Promotion in Hospitals

Director: Hanne TONNESEN (DK)

<http://www.hphnet.org>

HPH Conference Secretariat

and WHO Collaborating Centre for Health Promotion in Hospitals and Health Care

Director: Jürgen PELIKAN (AT)

<http://www.hphconferences.org>

<http://www.hph-hc.cc>

HPH Task Force on Health Promoting Psychiatric Health Services

Chair: Hartmut BERGER (DE)

<http://www.hpps.net/>

HPH Task Force on Health Promotion for Children and Adolescents in & by Hospitals

Chair: Ana GUERREIRO (PT)

http://www.hphnet.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=294%3Ahp-for-children-a-adolescents-in-a-by-hospitals-&catid=20&Itemid=95

HPH Task Force on Migrant-friendly and Culturally Competent Hospitals and Health Services

Chair: Antonio CHIARENZA (IT)

http://www.ausl.re.it/HPH/FrontEnd/Home/Default.aspx?channel_id=38

HPH Task Force "Tobacco-free United"

Chair: Ann O'RIORDAN (IE)

<http://www.ensh.eu/ensh/racine/default.asp?id=980>
<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?v=wall&qid=357231931900>

HPH task force on alcohol and alcohol interventions

Chair: Sverre NESVÅG (NO)

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HPH task force on environment:

Chair: Shu-Ti CHIOU (TW)

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http://www.hphnet.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=143%3AAtf-on-hph-a-environment&catid=20&Itemid=95

List of national / regional HPH networks

http://www.hphnet.org/index.php?option=com_flexicontent&view=flexicontent&Itemid=18

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Call for papers for #54

If you have news about HPH projects, past or upcoming events & conferences, publications, health promotion strategies or health promotion research from regional HPH networks, HPH task forces, single health promoting health care organisations, or HPH partner organisations (WHO, etc.), you are heartily invited to contribute to the HPH Newsletter!

Guidelines for submission

Please send contributions of **max. 200 words**, outlining your message, and, if possible, a web link to extended information, to Ms. Christina Dietscher, WHO Collaborating Centre for Health Promotion in Hospitals and Health Care, Vienna, Austria, preferably as an e-mail attachment to vienna.who-cc@hphconferences.org.

Deadline for contributions to # 53 will be **February 15, 2012**.