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SCREENING for CKD among OLDER people across EUROPE

Final Conference

Virtual Event

November 25th 2020



INVITATION

Dear Sir/Madam,

it is our distinct pleasure to invite you to the **“SCREENING for CKD among OLDER people across EUROPE” Final Conference (Virtual Event)** that will take place on Wednesday November 25th, 2020.

The event, organized within the framework of the H2020 Project “SCOPE”, aims at providing evidence for existing screening and prevention programmes (Work Programme Health, demographic change and wellbeing) in the field of Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD).

CKD is an important public health problem worldwide, especially in older people, and it is associated with a huge economic burden. The Screening for CKD among older people across Europe (SCOPE) project investigated whether and to which extent currently available screening methods may identify older people at risk of worsening kidney function, thanks to the implementation of an observational prospective study with a 2-year follow up, recruiting 2435 older people aged 75+ in Italy, Austria, Israel, the Netherlands, Sweden, Spain, Poland, and Germany and Israel.

The SCOPE Final Conference, which is organized in close cooperation with the project partners: Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Erasmus University Medical Centre, Rotterdam, Medical University of Graz, Austria, Servicio Madrileño de Salud, Fundación para la Investigación Biomédica del Hospital Clínico San Carlos, and Institut Català de la Salut – Hospital Universitari de Bellvitge, Spain, University of Lodz, Poland, Friedrich–Alexander–Universität Erlangen–Nürnberg, Germany and Uppsala University, Sweden, will give new insights into screening strategies in a population at high risk of developing kidney function decline like older patients, presenting final results from the study. In particular, it will shed light on the first findings from cross-sectional analysis published in the BMC Geriatrics Journal and on the MOOC developed during the SCOPE project.

The conference will be held in English.

Taking into account your interest and expertise in this field of work, we look forward to welcoming you in the virtual room of this event.

In attachment you will find the agenda and the information for the registration (you will need to fill in an online module specifying your name, the organization you represent, your function and email address).

Best regards,

Fabrizia Lattanzio

SCOPE Project Coordinator



FINAL AGENDA

Morning session

10:15 Welcome

10:30 **SCOPE Project** – *Fabrizia Lattanzio, MD INRCA*

10:45 **Innovative biomarkers for CKD**, *Johan Ärnlöv, MD, Axel C. Carlsson, MD, Karolinska Institute*

11:00 **Findings from the Screening for Chronic Kidney Disease among Older People across Europe (SCOPE) project** – *Fabrizia Lattanzio, MD, Andrea Corsonello, MD INRCA*

11:30 **Protocol for GFR measurement USING ioexol: the SCOPE+ substudy** – *Gerhard Wirnsberger, MD, Medical University of Graz*

11:45 **SCOPE Massive open online courses (MOOCs) for long-distance education in geriatric medicine across Europe** – *Regina Roller-Wirnsberger MD, Medical University of Graz*

Afternoon session

The Screening for Chronic Kidney Disease among Older People across Europe (SCOPE) project: findings from cross-sectional analysis

15:00 **Chronic kidney disease in the context of multimorbidity patterns: the role of physical performance** – *Fabrizia Lattanzio, MD, Andrea Corsonello, MD INRCA*

15:15 **Association between kidney function, nutritional status and anthropometric measures in older people** – *Tomasz Kostka, MD, Agnieszka Guligowska, MD, Medical University of Lodz*

15:30 **Prevalence of sarcopenia in community-dwelling older adults using the updated EWGSOP2 definition according to kidney function and albuminuria** – *Francesc Formiga, MD, Rafael Moreno-González, MD, Bellvitge University Hospital – IDIBELL*

15:45 **Kidney function and other factors and their association with falls** – *Cornel Sieber, MD, Ellen Freiberger, MD, Robert Kob, Friedrich-Alexander Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg*

16:00 **Is kidney function associated with cognition and mood in late life?** – *Francesco Mattace-Raso, MD, Lianne Tap, MD, ERASMUS Medical Centre*

16:15 **Impaired kidney function is associated with lower quality of life among community-dwelling older adults** – *Itshak Melzer, MD, Rada Artzi-Medvedik, MD, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev*

16:30 *Discussion and conclusions*



Please register [here](#) to SCOPE Final Conference

Deadline for registration is **November 24th 2020**

Please be informed that registrations will close earlier if we reach 100 participants.

The event will be recorded and the registration will be available in the SCOPE project website
one week after the meeting.

After registering, you will receive an invitation with the link to join the Event

The conference will be held in **English**.

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