

Thursday, 3 October 2019



**Organised by the Belgian Health Professionals in Rheumatology
Everyone is Welcome!**

Morning Sessions		Afternoon Sessions	
Chairpersons	Kristien Van der Elst (UZ Leuven) Elli Sydow (UZ Leuven)	13.30	General Assembly BeHPR Welcome and a must-do to all
08.30	Registration	Chairpersons	Laura Lepers (Erasme ULB) Chantal Robert (Erasme ULB)
09.00	Welcome Karlien Claes, MSc rheumatology nurse, University Hospital Ghent President of the Belgian Health Professionals in Rheumatology	14.20	New insights in the management of Spondylarthropathy Adrien Nzeusseu, Prof. Dr., Rheumatology department, St-Luc University hospital, Experimental and Clinical Research Institutes, UC Louvain, Brussels
A peek into the everyday life of children and young people with rheumatic conditions		14.40	Belgian Inflammatory Arthritis and Spondylitis Cohorte (Be-Giant) Thomas Renson, Phd candidate, pediatrician, department of Rheumatology, Sint-Elisabeth Hospital/ University Hospital Ghent
09.10	Juvenile rheumatic diseases and therapies Joke Dehoorne, Phd, pediatrician, department of Rheumatology, Sint-Elisabeth Hospital/University Hospital Ghent Lien De Somer, Phd, pediatrician, department of Rheumatology, University Hospital Leuven	15.00	Abstract 1: A mixed method study to explore the feasibility and patient satisfaction of two different exercise programs in systemic sclerosis associated microstomia Ellinor Sydow, MSc Occupational therapist, University Hospital Leuven
09.40	What does it mean to grow up with juvenile idiopathic arthritis? A patient's view	15.10	Coffee break
10.00	Young people in pediatric and adult rheumatology: Who cares? Margot Walter, Phd, Nurse specialist in Rheumatology, Erasmus MC, Rotterdam	Chairpersons	Caroline Teugels (Executive Director of the International Federation of Podiatrists) Karlien Claes (University Hospital Ghent)
10.30	Coffee break	15.40	Abstract 2: Why doing "CardioPulmonaryExerciseTesting" for Rheumatoid Arthritis patients is important Chantal Robert, physiotherapist, University Hospital Brussels
Chairpersons	Aleksandra Avramosvka (UC Louvain) Karlien Claes (UZ Gent)	15.50	The added value of a physiotherapist in people with a rheumatic disorder Dieter Van Assche, Physical therapist at division of rheumatology University Hospitals Leuven and assistant professor at department of rehabilitation sciences KU Leuven
11.00	How to treat locomotor impairments in children with a rheumatic disease? To be confirmed	16.20	Workshop: The benefits of a good sports shoe To be confirmed
11.30	What is the added value of a psychologist in the management of children with JIA Joanna Willen, psychologist, University Hospital Leuven	16.50	Closing
12.00	What does it mean to grow up with juvenile idiopathic arthritis? A patient's view		
12.15	Lunch Break & Networking		