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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE „SUICIDE AND ADDICTION AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE: CHALLENGES AND SOLUTIONS“

18 September 2023

Embassy of the Republic of Poland in Lithuania / Šv. Jono g. 3, Vilnius
19:00 Reception for invited guests

19 September 2023

Senato salė, Vilniaus universitetas / Universiteto g. 3, Vilnius
8:00–9:00 Dalyvių registracija

9:00–10:30 Session 1

Moderators:

Prof. Sigita Lesinskienė, Head of the Clinic of Psychiatry,
Institute of Clinical Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius
University, Lithuania

Dr Anna Baran, Expert at the Working Group on Prevention of
Suicide and Depression, Public Health Council, Ministry of Health,
Poland

9:00–9:10 Opening address

Prof. Rimvydas Petrauskas, Rector of Vilnius University, Lithuania

Prof. Dalius Jatužis, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius
University, Lithuania

9:10–9:40 Key lecture

SUICIDE PREVENTION AMONG ADOLESCENTS

Prof. Danuta Wasserman, Head and Founder of the National
Centre for Suicide Research and Prevention of Mental Ill-Health
(NASP), Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden

9:40–10:10 Key lecture

CHILD AND ADOLESCENT SUICIDE IN THE FACE OF DISASTER

Prof. Katarzyna J. Litak, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral
Sciences, University of Minnesota Medical School, USA

10:10–10:30 Key lecture

CHILDREN AND WAR IN UKRAINE

Dr Oksana Mykhniak

Dr Natalya Masyak, District Clinical Psychiatric Hospital, Lviv,
Ukraine

10:30–10:40 Coffee break

9:00–10:30 Session 2

Moderators:

Prof. Elmars Rancans, Head of the Department of Psychiatry and
Narcology, Faculty of Medicine, Riga Stradins University, Latvia

Prof. Alvydas Navickas, Clinic of Psychiatry, Institute of Clinical
Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University, Lithuania

PRESENTATIONS ON THE SITUATION IN RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES

10:50–11:20

Prof. Sigita Lesinskienė, Head of the Clinic of Psychiatry, Institute of
Clinical Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University, Lithuania

Prof. Alvydas Navickas, Clinic of Psychiatry, Institute of Clinical
Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University, Lithuania

Assoc. Prof. Robertas Badaras, Head of the Centre of Toxicology,
Clinic of Anaesthesiology and Intensive Care, Institute of Clinical
Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University, Lithuania

11:20–11:40

Prof. Elmārs Rancāns, Head of the Department of Psychiatry and
Narcology, Faculty of Medicine, Riga Stradins University, Latvia

11:40–12:10

Prof. Liina Veskimäe, Senior Member at the National Institute for
Health Development, Tallinn, Estonia

12:10–12:30

Prof. Ghenadie Cărăușu, Nicolae Testemitanu State University of
Medicine and Pharmacy, Republic of Moldova

12:30–12:50

Dr Anna Baran, Expert at the Working Group on Prevention of Suicide
and Depression, Public Health Council, Ministry of Health, Poland

12:50–13:00 Coffee break

13:00–14:45 SESSION 3: PANEL DISCUSSION

**TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION: suicide, addiction, migration, minorities,
post-traumatic stress disorder, psychosocial integration and
rehabilitation. Summing-up**

Moderators:

Prof. Danuta Wasserman, Head and Founder of the National Centre
for Suicide Research and Prevention of Mental Ill-Health (NASP),
Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden

Prof. Jolanta Gulbinovič, Pharmacy and Pharmacology Center,
Institute of Biomedical Sciences, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius
University, Lithuania

14:45–15:30 Lunch

17:00–18:30 SESSION IN THE SEIMAS OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

Gedimino pr. 53, Vilnius

ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION WITH INVITED PARTICIPANTS

Moderators:

Dr Andrius Navickas, Member of the Seimas, Chair of the
Commission for Suicide and Violence Prevention

Prof. Algirdas Utkus, Head of the National Health Council

Dr Eleonora Kvaščiėnė, President of the Polish Medical
Association in Lithuania