

EUROPEAN LIVER PATIENTS' ASSOCIATION

ELPA NAFLD/NASH SYMPOSIUM

Fatty liver an overlooked disease

Overcoming barriers for patients with fatty liver disease - implementing the latest advancements

10th June 2021, virtual event

Chairs of the meeting: Dr Teresa Casanovas, Mrs Yiannoula Koulla

| TIMING | AGENDA ITEM | SPEAKER |
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| 10:00 – 10:15 | Welcome | Mr Marko Korenjak, ELPA President, Belgium |
| | Greetings from | Mr Loucas Fourlas, Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats), member of the Special Committee on Beating Cancer, Republic of Cyprus |
| | | Mr George Georgiou, Member of the European Parliament. Member of the Left group in the European Parliament - GUE/NGL, Republic of Cyprus |
| | | Mr Marco Greco, President of the European Patients' Forum, Belgium |
| | | Mr Constantinos Ioannou, Minister of Health, Republic of Cyprus |

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| | | <p>Mrs Yianoulla Koulla, President of Cyprus Liver Patients' Association, Leader of ELPA NAFLD / NASH group, Republic of Cyprus</p> <p>Dr Teresa Casanovas Leader of ELPA Scientific Committee, ELPA Director, Spain</p> |
| 10:15 – 10:25 | Treatment of NAFLD – from lifestyle intervention to bariatric surgery | Prof Henning Groenbaek Department of Hepatology & Gastroenterology, Aarhus University Hospital, Aarhus, Denmark |
| 10:25 – 10:35 | Change the name from NAFLD to MAFLD . Advantages from the point of view of patients and hepatologists. | Prof Gamal Shiha, G.I & liver unit, Mansoura University - Egypt, Association of Liver Patients Care (ALPC), the Egyptian Liver Research Institute And Hospital (ELRIAH), Egypt |
| 10:35 – 10:45 | Chronic Liver Disease related to alcohol, the particular risks on patients suffering from liver steatosis are higher and they have a faster progression of their liver disease. Patients need more information about it." (*video-interview) | Dr Ramon Bataller, Hepatologist, researcher, alcohol risks specialist, University of Pittsburgh, Department of Medicine, Pittsburgh, USA |
| 10:45 – 10:55 | Diagnosis and Treatment of Paediatric NAFLD | Dr Panayiota Protopapa Clinical Lead and specialist Paediatrician Paediatric Liver, GI and Nutrition Centre Archbishop Makarios III Hospital and King's College Hospital, Republic of Cyprus |
| 10:55-11:05 | Break | |
| 11:05 – 11:15 | An update on liver transplant for NASH with or without HCC. Particular challenges in this population in 2021 | Dr Gonzalo Crespo, Transplant hepatologist, Liver Unit, Hospital Clínic, Barcelona, IDIBAPS and CIBERehd, Spain |

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| 11:15 – 11:25 | Nutritional treatment of non-alcoholic fatty liver disease in a nutshell (*short video) | Prof Shira Zelber-Sagi Associate Professor Head of School of Public Health, Faculty of Social Welfare and Health Sciences, University of Haifa The Tel-Aviv Medical Center, Department of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Israel |
| 11:25 – 11:35 | Move for health | Veronika Všetíčkova Physiotherapist, healthy lifestyle coach, Slovenia |
| 11:35 – 11:45 | Interview with patients (*short videos) | Mrs Petra Saarinen Mr Milan Mishkovikj |
| 11:45 – 12:00 | Closing remarks | Mr Marko Korenjak, ELPA President, Belgium |

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