

NONTUBERCULOUS MYCOBACTERIAL LUNG DISEASE EUROPEAN STATE OF THE ART SYMPOSIUM

Educational objectives

- Learn from leading European experts about:
 - Providing optimal care for patients with suspected or confirmed pulmonary infections caused by NTM
 - NTM pathophysiology and risk factors
 - Taking the appropriate steps to ensure adequate diagnosis and treatment
 - The differential approach to patient management based on the disease-causing NTM species and available
 - Overview of available treatment options
 - Understanding the major clinical challenges associated with the management of patients with NTM infections

We very much look forward to seeing you in Lisbon!

Professor Andres Floto (University of Cambridge, UK)
Dr Charles Haworth (Papworth Hospital, Cambridge, UK)
Symposium Steering Committee

The symposium at a glance:

- **Date:** Friday 20 October, 2017
- **Venue:** SANA Metropolitan Hotel
Lisbon, Portugal
- **Duration:** 9:00 – 16:00
- **Accreditation:** Application for CME certification submitted to EACCME (UEMS)
- **RSVP to:** Susanne.Nepf@physicians-world.eu
- **Good to know:** No registration fee required
The number of participants is limited; a first come, first served policy is in place

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Morning session	
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome and introductions by the chairs Charles Haworth & Andres Floto, UK
09:15 – 09:45	Biology of nontuberculous mycobacteria Jakko Van Ingen, The Netherlands
09:45 – 10:15	Insights into epidemiology of NTM infections Felix Ringshausen, Germany
10:15 – 10:45	Role of host factors in NTM infections Tobias Welte, Germany
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Break</i>
11:00 – 11:30	Diagnostic challenges of NTM lung disease Michael Loebinger, UK
11:30 – 12:00	Treatment of NTM lung disease caused by MAC Dirk Wagner, Germany
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch</i>

Afternoon session	
13:00 – 13:30	Treatment of NTM lung disease caused by <i>M. abscessus</i> complex Charles Haworth, UK
13:30 – 14:00	Treatment of NTM lung disease caused by other NTM species Claire Andr�ejak, France
14:00 – 14:15	<i>Coffee</i>
14:15 – 14:45	Drug discovery & future treatments Andres Floto, UK
14:45 – 15:30	Cases from clinical practice & Interactive panel discussion Moderation by faculty
15:30 – 16:00	Q&A and closing remarks & Learning outcome and participant feedback Charles Haworth & Andres Floto, UK