



IPOPI EU PID FORUM

Primary Immunodeficiencies and Cross-Border Healthcare

European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium
29 January 2013 - 12.00-14.00
Room A5G305

PROGRAMME

12:00: Welcome and networking lunch

12:30: Welcome address from the Chair Emer Costello MEP (S&D, Ireland)

12:40: Ms. Nathalie Chaze; DG SANCO, European Commission

The state of play of the implementation of the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive in relation to rare diseases

12:55: Mr. Johan Prevot, Executive Director, International Patient Organisation for Primary Immunodeficiencies

Primary Immunodeficiencies: the importance of Cross-Border Healthcare

13:05: Dr. Bobby Gaspar, Institute for Child Health, University College London

The potential of Cross-Border Healthcare in rare diseases: The case of Gene Therapy for Severe Combined Immunodeficiency.

13:15: Representative from Irish PID Patients' Association

Information, choice and empowerment: patient involvement in treatment decisions and access to cross-border healthcare.

13:25: Discussion

13:50: Conclusions and Recommendations by the Chair Emer Costello MEP