

ARTHIQS Kick off Meeting

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26th of May 2014 in Paris, France

Draft Agenda- to be finalized

ARTHIQS (Assisted Reproductive Technologies and Haematopoietic stem cells Improvements for Quality and Safety throughout Europe) is a 3 year European Joint Action funded by the European Commission under the Health Programme, dealing with Assisted Reproductive Technologies (ART) and Haematopoietic Stem cells for transplantations. ARTHIQS is gathering 16 partners and 9 collaborators from 18 different Member States.

PUBLIC SESSION	
09.30 – 10.00	<i>Arrival of participants and coffee</i>
10.00 – 10.10	<i>Opening by the Director General of the Agence de la biomédecine – Emmanuelle Prada Bordenave, France</i>
10.10 – 10.25	EU activities in the field of tissue and cells for human application – Ioana Siska - European Commission – DG SANCO
10.15 – 10.30	Welcome from Chafea – Ana Mancho-Rojo- Consumers, Health and Food Executive Agency (CHAFEA)
10.30 – 10.45	ARTHIQS Scope - Candide Font-Sala, Agence de la biomédecine, France
10.45 – 11.00	Communication works for those who work at it: get & stay connected! - Dissemination (WP2) – Maryna Krenkova, State Institute for Drug Control, Czech Republic
11.00 – 11.15	“Forward together – but stay on the road” - Evaluation (WP3) – Mona Hansson, Health and Social Care Inspectorate, Sweden
11.15 – 11.35	Assisted Reproductive Technologies in EU : Major Issues, Control and Action Planning Efstratios Chatzixiros and Françoise Merlet, Agence de la biomédecine, France
11.35 – 12.00	Haematopoietic Stem Cells for Transplantation : Main concerns and propositions. – Vanya Nikolac Inspection Sector Ministry of Health, Croatia and Paola Di Ciaccio, National Italian Transplant Centre, Italy
12.00 – 12.05	<i>Closing public sessions by ARTHIQS Coordinator – Candide Font-Sala - Agence de la biomédecine, France</i>
12.05 – 14.00	LUNCH