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HEALTH WORKING GROUP

FINAL DRAFT AGENDA

Cancer prevention - Modifiable risk factors

Co-Chairs: Sara Cerdas and Dolores Montserrat, Members of the European Parliament

18 February 2020, 12.30 - 14.00 József Antall Building (Brussels) - Room: 2Q2

12.30-12.35	Welcome by the Co-Chairs of the Health Working Group – Sara Cerdas MEP and Dolores Montserrat MEP
12.35-12.40	Introduction to the ongoing ECCO work for the ENVI Committee: In-depth analysis on cancer – Mike Morrissey , CEO of the European Cancer Organisation, ECCO
12.40-13.00	Modifiable risk factors and prevention: overview of current knowledge and main challenges; European Code against Cancer initiative – Dr Joachim Schüz , Head of Section, Environment and Radiation, International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) and Chair of Cancer Prevention Europe
13.00-13.10	Prevention in Practice: Digestive Cancers - Stefan Gijssels , Executive Director of Digestive Cancers Europe
13.10-13.20	Prevention in Practice: HPV cancers – Professor Daniel Kelly , Royal College of Nursing Chair of Nursing Research at Cardiff University, and Co-Chair of the ECCO HPV Action Network

13.20-13.30	Known unknowns: The challenge of understanding modifiable risk factors in respect to paediatric oncology and the potential role of the EU Cancer Plan and Mission in addressing this - Professor Pamela Kearns, Professor of Clinical Paediatric Oncology at the Institute of Cancer and Genomic Sciences (University of Birmingham), and President of the European Society for Paediatric Oncology (SIOP Europe)
13.30-13.50	Discussion and exchange of views with MEPs
13.50–13.55	TBC: Closing remarks by the Commissioner for Health and Food Safety – Commissioner Stella Kyriakides tbc.
13.55–14.00	Wrap-up by the Co-Chairs of the Health Working Group – Sara Cerdas MEP and Dolores Montserrat MEP