

EPA ADDICTIVE BEHAVIOURS SECTION REPORT 2022

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LAST SECTION COMMITTEE ELECTIONS HELD:

Date: 06-09-2022

Venue: Online

ACTIVITIES OF THE SECTION IN 2022:

Meetings/events

Preparations for submissions for the EPA 2022 Congress.

Description:

Preparations for submissions for the EPA 2022 Congress. The following submissions were prepared & submitted by the section and section members:

- Symposium: Substitution Therapy beyond Methadone!
- Course: Brief Motivational Interventions in the Emergency Room: How to Engage Quickly Patients with Addictive Disorders
- Symposium: Mental Health and Substance Use Problems in Medical Doctors (in times of COVID-19)
- EPA-EUFAS Joint Symposium: Cannabis: Adolescent Use, Psychiatric Impact and Preventive Work
- Debate: Free Sales of Cannabis Should be Made Legal
- Plenary: Psychedelic Psychiatry

Location: Virtual

Start date: 04/06/2022

End date: 07/06/2022

Symposium: Substitution Therapy beyond Methadone!

Description:

Symposium in the EPA Meeting 2022.

Location: Virtual

Start date: 04/06/2022

End date: 04/06/2022

Course: Brief Motivational Interventions in the Emergency Room: How to Engage Quickly Patients with Addictive Disorders

Description:

Course: Brief Motivational Interventions in the Emergency Room: How to Engage Quickly Patients with Addictive Disorders

Location: Virtual

Start date: 04/06/2022

End date: 04/06/2022

Symposium: Mental Health and Substance Use Problems in Medical Doctors (in times of COVID-19)

Description:

Symposium: Mental Health and Substance Use Problems in Medical Doctors (in times of COVID-19) during the EPA Meeting 2022.

Location: Virtual
Start date: 04/06/2022
End date: 04/06/2022

EPA-EUFAS Joint Symposium: Cannabis: Adolescent Use, Psychiatric Impact and Preventive Work

Description:
EPA-EUFAS Joint Symposium: Cannabis: Adolescent Use, Psychiatric Impact and Preventive Work

Partners: EUFAS

Location: Virtual
Start date: 04/06/2022
End date: 04/06/2022

Debate: Free Sales of Cannabis Should be Made Legal

Description:
Debate: Free Sales of Cannabis Should be Made Legal. During EPA meeting 2022

Location: Virtual
Start date: 06/06/2022
End date: 06/06/2022

Plenary: Psychedelic Psychiatry

Description:
Plenary: Psychedelic Psychiatry, during EPA meeting.

Location: Virtual
Start date: 07/06/2022
End date: 07/06/2022

EPA - ISAM Symposium at ISAM Conference 2022

Description:
Symposium at International Society of Addiction Medicine Conference 2022.

Sophia Achab Restructuring Addiction Treatment Services in Post COVID Era, integrating digital health

1. Mirana Michelle Randriambelonoro - Title: The potential of information technologies to facilitate addiction treatment services
2. Anja Busse - Quality and accessibility of drug use disorder treatment service provision lessons learnt from the post COVID era
3. Michael P. Schaub - From guided self-help to blended addiction treatment for cannabis and illicit drug use disorders
4. Susanna Galea-Singer - Enhancing addiction services' interventions utilizing digital platform Project

TMAT 3 disorders. This presentation will describe a protocol for testing, adoption and spread of digital approaches to enhance addiction services' interventions

5. Joe Tay - Re-thinking collaborative risk assessment and management in providing virtual addiction care: A state of the art review of the literature.

Partners: International Society of Addiction Medicine (ISAM)

Location: Malta

Start date: 04/10/2022

End date: 07/10/2022

Other Section activities

Description:

Section meeting and election of the new board:

Sophia Achab: vice-chair

Albert Batalla Cases: counsellor

Francina Fonseca: secretary

Laura Orsolini: counsellor

Arnt Schellekens: chair

Event Start date: 06/09/2022

Event End date: 06/09/2022

Description:

Collaboration of Addiction Section of EPA with ISAM

Event Start date: 04/10/2022

Event End date: 07/10/2022

FUNDING IN 2022

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