

EPA MENTAL HEALTH AND INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES (MHID) SECTION REPORT 2022

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LAST SECTION COMMITTEE ELECTIONS HELD:

Date: 09/05/2022

Venue: Online

ACTIVITIES OF THE SECTION IN 2022:

Meetings/events

Masterclass

Description:

European Association for Mental Health in Intellectual Disability (EAMHID)

Masterclass September 2022 in Katowice, Poland

Organized by Krzysztof Krysta and Brian Fergus Barrett

Masterclass: 15.09.2022, 14h – 19h

Venue : MERCURE KATOWICE CENTRUM, ul. Młyńska 6, 40-098 Katowice

14:00 Welcome

Brian F. Barrett, Germany Krzysztof Krysta, Poland 2

14:15 Introduction

Piotr Gałeczki, National Consultant in Psychiatry, Poland 3

14:30

The project of an innovative cognitive system to support life and treatment of intellectually disabled patients

Marek Krzystanek, Poland

15:00

Co-production: New ways to involve Users, Families and other Stakeholders in the Delivery of Services for People with Intellectual Disability - ARFIE's Strategic Partnerships and Applied Practice

Federico Camporesi, Luxembourg

15:30

Barriers to Inclusion - Educational and Social Problems of Students with ID in a Mainstream School

Dorota Podgórska-Jachnik, Poland

16:30

Co-Production on a Service Level: Integrated Care for People with Intellectual Disabilities Ken Courtenay, Great Britain

17:00

Problems and challenges faced by persons with intellectual disabilities and their carers during the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic

Agnieszka Iwaniec, Poland

17:30

Working Multidisciplinary in Research Studies in the Field of Persons with ID: Co-Researchers, Parents, Professionals, Experts, Businesses, Students and Researchers

Paula Sterkenburg, The Netherlands

18:00

Discussion & Round Table

Tanja Sappok, Germany; Anna Szczegielniak, Poland; Phillip Morrise, Belgium;

Tomasz Gondek, Poland;

Jannelien Wieland, The Netherlands Krzysztof Krysta, Poland

18:45 Closing

Brian F. Barrett, Germany Krzysztof Krysta, Poland

19:00 End of Masterclass

Location: Katowice, Poland

Start date: 15/09/2022

End date: 15/09/2022

Webinar organised by EPA- MHID Section

Description:

Title: Diagnostic and Therapeutic Problems in Patients with Intellectual Disability and Mental Health Problems

This webinar was composed of topics previously presented at various EPA Congresses. The aim was to improve day to day practice when diagnosing and treating patients with intellectual disability and comorbid mental disorders.

The webinar took place on Wednesday, 14th December, at 16:00 Central European Time. Programme:

1. Jane McCarthy - Psychopathology in adults with autism spectrum disorder and intellectual disability
2. Marco Bertelli - Challenges with differential diagnosis in people with intellectual developmental disorder and/or autistic spectrum disorder who have mental health issues
3. Carolin Krzoska, Michael-Mark Theil - Diagnostics of dementia in individuals with Intellectual Disabilities using neuropsychological methods
4. Bhathika Perera - ADHD in people with ID and other neurodevelopmental disorders- complexities.
5. Carolin Krzoska, Michael-Mark Theil - International classification of functioning, disability and health (ICF) in daily clinical practice: structure, benefits and limitations.
6. Krzysztof Krysta - The use of telemedicine in the treatment of patients with intellectual disability

Location: Online

Start date: 14/12/2022

End date: 14/12/2022

Committee meeting- June 2022

Description:

EPA MHID meeting- 14th June 2022

Attendees- Krzysztof Krysta, Mark Theil, Bhathika Perera, Marco Bertelli, Carolin Krzoska

Next educational event:

15th Sep 2022- Masterclass of the European federation of mental health and intellectual disability in Katowice to start at 2pm CET. This is an online event in English and Polish. KK will send the programme to BP to be circulated to EPA MHID members and other colleagues. KK will circulate it to EPC.

Proposal:

KK discussed a webinar on Zoom to be held on 16th November starting at 4pm CET. This will be a collection of presentations from EPA workshops over the last two years with 5- 6 presenters- 30 min each- KK will speak to EPC to get help running the webinar.

Guidance paper:

KK suggested doing an EPA guidance paper. There is a new secretary for EPA publications. KK will speak

to the new secretary.

Next meeting – Date to be decided later.

Location: Online

Start date: 14/06/2022

End date: 14/06/2022

Committee meeting

Description:

EPA MHID Section meeting – 09th May 2022 Attendees:

Krzysztof Krysta (KK), Mark Theil (MT), Bjorn Kruse (BK), Bhathika Perera (BP), Ken Courtenay, Jane Mccarthy, Marco Bertelli.

Apologies: Carolin Krzoska

KK welcomed everyone and stated the purpose of the meeting, which is to elect chair, co-chair, secretary and up to three councillors.

Elections:

BP proposed Krzysztof and Jane seconded it. KK proposed Ken Courtenay and BP seconded it. Mark proposed Bhathika Perera as Secretary and Ken seconded it. Mark, Marco and Carolin - elected as councillors.

New committee for 2022/23 Krzysztof Krysta- Chair

Ken Courtenay - Co chair Bhathika Perera- Secretary Marco Bertelli – Councillor Mark Theil – Councillor Carolin Krzoska – Councillor Future activities:

Workshop on psychopathology in ID in EPA 2022.

Discussed organising online meetings for expert opinions for early career psychiatrists' section. Waiting to hear back from EPA office.

Discussed organising webinars in Sep/Oct 2022. Discussed linking up with partner organisations/Sections. KK will be liaising with EPA office to organise it.

Book/chapter proposal submitted- waiting to hear from EPA.

Discussed if the master class organised by EAMHID Section can be a joint venture with EPA MHID Section. KK will speak to chair of EAMHID.

Next meeting to be organised after EPA 2022- Dates proposed are 13th or 14th June 2022.

Location: Online

Start date: 09/05/2022

End date: 09/05/2022

Congress Psychiatry Medforum

Description:

Session of the Mental Health and Intellectual Disabilities Section: Trauma in the course of intellectual disability

- Experience of trauma in refugees with intellectual disabilities - Krzysztof Krysta
- Trauma Disorder and Intellectual Disability - Jane McCarthy
- Understanding trauma in the lives of people with intellectual disabilities - Remigiusz Kijak
- Violence against people with intellectual disabilities - recognition of the phenomenon - Anna Gutowska-Ciołek

Location: Wisła, Poland

Start date: 08/12/2022

End date: 10/12/2022

Publications

The European guideline on the assessment and diagnosis of psychiatric disorders in adults with intellectual disabilities

Journal: The European Journal of Psychiatry

Authors: Shoumitro Deba, Bhathika Perera Krzysztof Krysta, Mikail Ozer, Marco Bertelli, Ramon Novell, Jannelien Wieland, Tanja Sappok

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