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Committee - Report for Council

Committee on Hepatology

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Hepatology Committee Report

Committee Members and Mandates

Name	Email address	Date of entry	1 st Term	2 nd Term	Positions held within Committee (e.g. Secretary, AHP or Trainee representative etc.)	Dates held of these positions
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Wendy van der Woerd	wwoerd@umcutrecht.nl	2017	2020	(2020)	Young members rep.	2017
Sarah Mancell	sara.mancell@nhs.net	Jan 2018	2021		AHP Representative	2018
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Update of Activities in 2019

A. Committee meetings (date and any main points/activities)

Meeting	Hepcom meeting	
Location	Florence	
Date	31/01/2019	
Main Points / Activities	Finalization of annual meeting program, next educational activities, ongoing papers, 2018 report and 2019 budget.	

Meeting	HepCom meeting
Location	Amsterdam
Date	25/03/19
Main Points / Activities	Next educational activities
	Follow-up on collaboration with other committees
	Working groups ToR, new WG
	Ongoing and future papers

Meeting	HepCom meeting
Location	Glasgow
Date	07/06/19
Main Points / Activities	Selection best Hepatology presentation

Meeting	HepCom meeting	
Location	Paris	
Date	25/09/19	
Main Points / Activities	Program world congress 2020	
	Next educational activities: MTC acute liver failure 2020 and Summer school Hepatology 2020	
	Working groups: reports 2019 and budgets for 2020	
	New collaborations	
	Ongoing and future papers	

B. Educational activities

(i) Educational Events

Full Event Name	Monothematic conference: Infections of the liver at paediatric age
Location	Florence
Date	31/01/19-02/02/19
Organizer	Giuseppe Indolfi, Henkjan Verkade, Yael Mozer-Glassberg, Wendy van der Woerd
Applied for EPP	Yes No
Applied for UEG Training Support	Yes No

Full Event Name	Transplant School 2019
Location	Paris
Date	25-28/09/19
Organizer	Dominique Debray, Dino Hadzic, Henkjan Verkade
Applied for EPP	Yes No
Applied for UEG Training Support	Yes No



(ii) E-Learning

C. Committee Publications / Guidelines / Position Papers

(i) Completed

Publication ID			
(to be filled in by Office)			
Full Publication Title	Similarities and Differences in Allocation Policies for Pediatric Liver Transplantation Across the World.		
Publication Timeline and	J Pediatr Gastroenterol Nutr. 2019 May;68(5):700-705.		
Status of Paper			
Publication Leader	B. Fischler		
Publication Type	Guideline Position Paper Update of existing paper Other		
More information if	Fischler B, Baumann U, D'Agostino D, D'Antiga L, Dezsofi A, Debray D, Durmaz O, Evans H, Frauca E,		
available	Hadzic N, Jahnel J, Loveland J, McLin V, Ng VL, Nobili V, Pawłowska J, Sharif K, Smets F, Verkade HJ,		
	Hsu E, Horslen S, Bucuvalas J.		

Publication ID	
(to be filled in by Office)	
Full Publication Title	Nutrition Support of Children with Chronic Liver Diseases: A Joint Position Paper of the North
	American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition and the European Society
	for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition.
Publication Timeline and	J Pediatr Gastroenterol Nutr. 2019 Oct;69(4):498-511
Status of Paper	
Publication Leader	G Gupte & J Jahnel for Hepcom
Publication Type	Guideline Position Paper Update of existing paper Other
More information if	Mouzaki M, Bronsky J, Gupte G, Hojsak I, Jahnel J, Pai N, Quiros-Tejeira RE, Wieman R, Sundaram S.
available	

(ii) in progress

(one table per publication – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Publication ID	
(to be filled in by Office)	
Full Publication Title	Analysis of ELTR for biliary atresia
Publication Timeline and	Manuscript in preparation
Status of Application of	
Paper	
Publication Leader	L Hierro
Publication Type	Guideline Position Paper Update of existing paper Other
More information if available	Research paper

Publication ID	
(to be filled in by Office)	
Full Publication Title	Hepatitis B in immunosuppressed children
Publication Timeline and	Accepted by JPGN (in press, available online)
Status of Application of	
Paper	
Publication Leader	G Indolfi
Publication Type	Guideline Position Paper Update of existing paper Other
More information if	Research paper
available	

(iii) future topics considered in 2020

Publication ID	
(to be filled in by Office)	
Full Publication Title	Acute liver failure management
Publication Timeline and	Application submitted to Council (to be discussed @ Winter meeting 2020)
Status of Application for	
Paper	
Publication Leader	A. Zellos, D. Debray and P. Czubowski
Publication Type	Guideline Position Paper Update of existing paper Other
More information if	
available	

D. Special Interest Groups

(one table per working group - please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Full name of Special Interest Group:	GIG (Graft Injury Group)		
Chair / Coordinator (full name & email)	Deirdre A Kelly		
	Please see attachment:		
Members:			
(Full names and email addresses)			
Summary of work being completed by	Please see attachment:		
SIG within this year:			

Full name of Special Interest Group:	Network for Intestinal Rehabilitation and Transplantation in Europe (NITE)			
Chair / Coordinator (full name & email)	Jutta Koeglmeier Jutta.Koeglmeier@gosh.nhs.uk			
	Please see attachment:			
Members:				
(Full names and email addresses)				
Summary of work being completed by SIG within this year:	Please see attachment:			
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E. Committee Working Groups				
(one table per working group – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)				
Full name of Working Group: IRCPSS-International Registry of Congenital Porto-systemic shunts				
Chair / Coordinator (full name & Valérie McLin valerie.mclin@hcuge.ch				
email)				



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Summary of work being completed by WG within this year:	Please see report and b	udget request in attachment:	
Expected Date of Completion:	Ongoing		
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Full name of Working Group:	ERN RARE LIVER	
Chair / Coordinator (full name & email)	Ekkehard Sturm	Ekkehard.Sturm@med.uni-tuebingen.de
	Deirdre Kelly	
	Henkjan Verkade	
	Emmanuel Gonzales	
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Members:	Lorenzo DÁntiga	
(Full names and email addresses)	Uli Baumann	
	Xavier Stephenne	
	Piotr Socha	
	Michael Melter	
	Björn Fischler	
Summary of work being completed by	Please see attachment:	
WG within this year:		
Expected Date of Completion:	Ongoing	



Full name of Working Group:	Alpha 1 antitrypsin deficiency
Chair / Coordinator (full name & email)	
Members: (Full names and email addresses)	Please see attachment
Summary of work being completed by	Please see attachment:
WG within this year:	
Expected Date of Completion:	Starting

F	Financial Report /	Budget for	2019: \	Will be added b	y EPGHAN Office	

2019 Year End	2019 Budget	Hepatology Committee 2019
458.50	6,000.00	Committee Meeting 1
5,818.72	6,000.00	Committee Meeting 2
1,057.92	6,000.00	Committee Meeting 3
10,000.00	10,000.00	ELTR Transplant Registry Support (reservation)
227.56	10,000.00	ERN Liver Working Group
4,698.98	10,000.00	GIG WG
5,646.91	10,000.00	CPSS WG
0.00	5,000.00	Autoimmune Hepatitis Working Meeting
0.00	4,000.00	Finalising papers in progress
5,966.28	6,000.00	NASPGHAN ESPGHAN definition on Cystic Fibrosis Liver Disease
33,874.87	73,000.00	Total

Additional comments on financial report:

G. Any other issues that may be of interest for council



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Chair-elect (voting by the ESPGHAN membership) + Changes in composition of Hepatology Committee per June 2020:

HepCom members	Date of entry	1 st Term	2 nd Term	Positions held within Committee
Giuseppe Indolfi	2016	2019	2022+1=2023	Chair elect
Françoise Smets	2015	2018	2021	Secretary (until MTC Jan 2021)
Marianne Samyn	2018	2021	2024	Secretary elect (2021)

Young members rep.	2020	2023
Emmanuel Gonzales	2020	2023
Emer Fitzpatrick	2020	2023
Norman Junge	2020	2023



Outlook on Planned Activity for 2020

A. Committee meetings (date and any main points/activities)

Meeting	HepCom meeting
Location	Athens
Date	30/01/20
Main Points / Activities	Proposed speakers and replacements for annual meeting 2021
	Next educational activities
	Working groups, special interest groups and other collaborations
	Ongoing and future papers

Meeting	HepCom meeting
Location	Tel Aviv
Date	28+29/03/20
Main Points / Activities	Proposed speakers and replacements for annual meeting 2021
	Next educational activities: Summer School Graz (sept 2020); MTC Autoimmune Liver Diseases/PSC (London, Jan 2021); 4 th Liver ~Transplant School (Groningen, Sept 2021), MTC Jan/Febr 2022 Working groups, special interest groups and other collaborations
	Ongoing and future papers

B. Proposed Educational activities

(i) Educational Events

Full Event Name	Monothematic conference on acute liver failure
Location	Athens
Date	30/01-01/02/20
Organizer	A. Zellos
Email Organizer	aigli.zellos@gmail.com
Applied for EPP	Yes No
Applied for UEG Training Support	Yes, but not No obtained
more information if available	

Summer School
Graz
23-26/09/20
J. Jahnel
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Yes No
Yes, but
not 🔽 No
obtained

(ii) E-Learning



(one table per project – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Full Project Name	
Project Timeline	
Project Leader	
more information if	
available (applied for	
UEG support? Etc)	

C. Proposed Committee Publications / Guidelines / Position Papers

Publication ID	
(to be filled in by Office)	
Full Publication Title	Several new position papers are in the progress of application (e.g. Acute Liver Failure, vaccination
	under immunosuppression)
Publication Timeline and	
Status of Application for	
Paper	
Publication Leader	
Publication Type	Guideline Position Paper Update of existing paper Other
More information if	
available	



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D. Suggestions for New Special Interest Groups (one table per special interest group – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Full name of Special Interest Group:	
Contact Person: (full name & email)	
Aims	
Financial Needs:	

E. Suggestions for New Working Groups (one table per working group – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Full name of Special Interest Group:	Non-alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease (NAFLD)	
Contact Person: (full name & email)	Dr. A. Vruegdenhil (Maastricht, the Netherlands)	
Aims	Proposal is currently been evaluated by HepCom, before	submission to Council
Financial Needs:		
Expected Date of Completion:		

F. Financial Report / Budget for 2020:

- Kindly attach or copy paste your submitted budget request for 2020

Activities 2020 (i.e committee meeting, guideline, workshop)		Estimated cost	
Committee meetings Jan – March – Sept @ 1x 7000 (Israel) + 2x 6000	€	19.000,00	
ELTR annual transplant registry	€	10.000,00	
Working Group ERN Rare Liver (E. Sturm, please details see in report H9313)	€	10.000,00	
Working Group Graft Injury Group (D Kelly, please see details in H9311)	€	10.000,00	
Working group Congenital Porto-Systemic Shunts (V McLin, please see details in H9314)	€	10.000,00	
Working group Alpha 1 antitrypsin deficiency (M. Ruiz, just starting, see details in H9315)	€	8.000,00	
Working Group NITE (Network of Intestinal rehabilitation and Transplantation in Europe; please see details in H9317)	€	5.000,00	
ChilSFree Meeting (see details in H9344)	€	10.200,00	
Finalizing in progress papers	€	4.000,00	
Total Budget estimate	€	86.200,00	

Additional comments on financial report:

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