

WHERE'S NEUROLOGY?

INFLUENCING COVID RECOVERY PLANNING, PROGRAMMES AND POLICIES

JUNE 30TH 2020, 13.30 – 15.00HRS CET

AGENDA

13.30 hrs: WELCOME

Ms. Joke Jaarsma, President, EFNA

13.35 hrs: INTRODUCTION (15 mins)

Neurology Patient Perspective: Overview of Challenges and Opportunities

Ms. Donna Walsh, Executive Director, EFNA (moderator)

13.50 hrs: PANEL DISCUSSION

The panellists will share the work their organisations are undertaking to ensure that the challenges and opportunities arising from Covid-19 are incorporated into policy and programmes being devised during the post-pandemic recovery phase and beyond. The focus will be on informing our advocacy to ensure the voices of those living with neurological disorders is reflected clearly in such decision-making – leveraging global initiatives and learning from best practice.

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• Ms. Nina Renshaw

Director of Policy and Advocacy, Non-Communicable Disease Alliance

• Ms. Katarzyna Ptak-Bufkens

Policy Officer, Performance of National Health Systems Unit, DG SANTE, European Commission

• Ms. Paola Barbarino

Chief Executive Officer, Alzheimer's Disease International

With contributions from invited Members of the European Parliament

14.30 hrs: QUESTIONS & ANSWERS WITH INVITED GUESTS + AUDIENCE

14.50 hrs: RECAP AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Mr. Tadeusz Hawrot, Senior Advocacy Coordinator, EFNA

14.55 hrs: CLOSE

Ms. Joke Jaarsma, President, EFNA