



## 16<sup>th</sup> Annual IMSN Virtual Meeting – November 8-9, 2021

### Final Agenda

(Time indicated in Eastern standard time)

The IMSN annual meeting was virtual thanks to the logistics of ISMP and ECRI, our virtual hosts.

#### November 8, 2021

Session chaired by **Michael Cohen**, IMSN Chair, ISMP President

**7:00** Welcome by the Chair

**7:15** **Updates from IMSN members on their activities**

**7:15** **Canada Update**

*Sally Pepper*, Patient Safety Specialist, Patient Safety Section, Marketed Health Products Directorate, Health Canada

*Joanne Sidorchuk*, Senior Program Lead, Healthcare Excellence Canada-

*Dorothy Tscheng*, ISMP Canada Read on...

**7:30** **Ireland Update**

*Ciara Kirke*, Clinical Lead, Medication Safety Improvement Programme, Health Service Executive

*Niamh O'Hanlon & Eileen Relihan*, Irish Medication Safety Network

**7:45** **New-Zealand Update**

*Michael Tatley*, Director, New Zealand Pharmacovigilance Centre

**7:50** **Norwegian Update**

*Sigurd Hortemo*, Senior Medical Consultant, Medical Information, Norwegian Medicines Agency

**7:55** **Singapore Update**

*Augustine Tee*, National Medication Safety Committee

**8:00** **UK research project on Ready-to-Administer IVP Medicines**

*John Hertig* - Associate Professor and Vice-Chair of Pharmacy Practice, Butler University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Indianapolis, USA

**8:30** **Medication Safety perspective from ISoP**

*Dr. Brian Edwards*, Chair of the Medication Errors SIG, International Society of Pharmacovigilance (ISoP)

- 9:00** Short break
- 9:15** **The new German Action Plan on Medication Safety 2021-2024**  
*Birgit Vogt*, Drug Commission of the German Medical Association
- 9:30** **Tackling the Unsafe Use of Automated Dispensing Cabinets: Common Challenges and Practical Solutions**  
*Anas Hamad*, Head of the Medication Safety & Quality Center, Hamad Medical Corporation, Qatar
- 10:10** **ISMP International Medication Safety Management Fellowship**  
*Sunny Ro*, ISMP International Medication Safety Management Fellow
- 10:30** Meeting adjourned

## **November 9, 2021**

*Session chaired by **Michael Tatley**, IMSN Vice-Chair, New-Zealand*

- 7:00** Welcome and summary of Day 1
- 7:10** **Update on the IMSN Covid-19 Vaccine Safety Interest Group**  
*Christina Michalek*, ISMP, Chair of the IMSN Covid-19 Vaccine Safety Interest Group
- 7:30** **Medication Safety Efforts and Challenges: Portuguese Example**  
*Paulo Almeida & Catarina Luz Oliveira*, Associação Portuguesa de Farmacêuticos Hospitalares (APFH)
- 8:00** **Pharmacovigilance of covid 19 vaccines: opportunity for collaborations**  
*Ghita Benabdallah*, Morocco Pharmacovigilance & Poison Centre (CAPM), WHO CC for Strengthening PV practices
- 8:30** **Updates from IMSN members on their activities (continued)**
- 8:30** **Saudi Arabia Update**  
*Dr. Hind Al Modaimagh*, Saudi Medication Safety Center
- 8:45** **France Update**  
*Étienne Schmitt & Marie-France Gonzalvez*, Prescrire Editorial staff members, Prescrire Programme Éviter l'Évitable (Preventing the Preventable)
- 8:55** **Spain Update**  
*Maria Jose Otéro Lopez*, President ISMP-España

**9:00** Short break

**9:13 Updates from IMSN members on their activities (continued)**

**9:14 Netherlands Update**

*Rob Essink*, pharmacist, ivm Voorkomen Medicatie-Incidenten (VMI)

**9:18 USA Update**

*Joe Wyeth*, Associate Director for Postmarket Assessment, Acting Director, Division of Mitigation and Medication Error Surveillance (DMAMES), Office of Medication Error Prevention and Risk Management (OMEPRM), US Food & Drug Administration

*Michael Cohen*, ISMP President

**9:33 Overview of Covid vaccine labelling for EU countries**

*Monica Prizzi*, Labelling Office, Human Medicines Division, EMA

**9:50 Business session (attended by FULL MEMBERS ONLY)**

**10:30** Meeting adjourned.