

Congress' Structure

- plenary sessions
- symposia
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- posters

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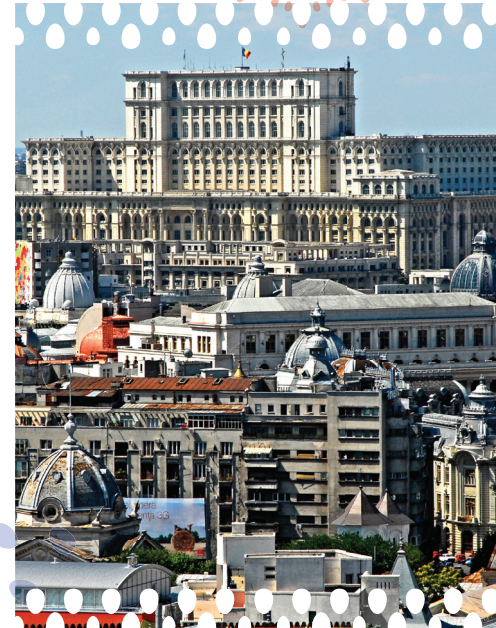


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Important Dates

- **New Abstracts Deadline: 31 October 2012**
- **Authors notified: beginning November 2012**

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Primary Care, Mental Health & Public Health Integration:
The Catalytic Role of Information & Communication Technology

Bucharest, Romania
10-13 April, 2013
The Palace of the Parliament
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Plenary Lectures

The Brain: Optimism, Wisdom and Resilience

Prof. Dilip Jeste (San Diego, USA)

Heartache and Heartbreak: The Curious Relationship Between Depression and Cardiovascular Disorders

Prof. Charles Nemeroff (Miami, USA)

The Metabolic Syndrome: Family Medicine, Psychiatry & Public Health Integration

Prof. Hans-Jurgen Moeller (Munich, Germany)

Integrating Primary Care, Mental Health & Public Health in Europe: The Slovenia Experience

Prof. Igor Svab (Ljubljana, Slovenia)

Mental Health Care in General Medicine: Limits and Opportunities

Prof. Norman Sartorius (Geneva, Switzerland)

The Mental Health of European Youth

Prof. Danuta Wasserman (Stockholm, Sweden)

21st Century Psychiatric Training in the United States

Prof. Radu Saveanu (Miami, USA)

Mental Health for All - By All

Prof. Vikram Patel (Goa, India & London, United Kingdom)

Topics*

Populations' health promotion, protection, illness prevention:

- Before care is needed: health promotion, protection, illness prevention, across the life cycle, in mental health, primary care and public health
- Perinatal, maternal, and child health: risk and protective factors, lifelong consequences
- Energy sources, climate change, global disasters, and populations' health
- Where there is no physician: mental health and primary care for underserved populations

Training, education, mentoring, leadership, ethics

- Training/educational models for integrated care: during graduate, post-graduate medical education, and CME programs
- Career, leadership, and mentorship for young, health professionals
- Medical ethics: principles and guidelines applicable to research and clinical practice
- New research by young, early career investigators

Non-Communicable Diseases and Comorbidity Research

- Determinants of Health: Social, biological, genetic, psychological, environmental
- Comorbidity: a challenge and a catalyst for mental health and primary care integration
- Comorbidity research: depression, diabetes, and cardiovascular disease
- Morbidity and mortality among the severely mentally ill with comorbid conditions
- Single v. combined treatments for comorbid conditions

Health systems' strengthening & health policies

- Collaborative and integrated care models for comorbid conditions: best practices and lessons learned
- Catalytic incentives for the health team: efficiency and effectiveness in collaborative and integrated care
- Financing and health workforce challenges: opportunities in integrated and collaborative health systems
- Health policy models that facilitate and enhance prevention and care integration
- Health systems' strengthening: the essential role of mental health, primary care and public health integration

Information, communication technology & new models of integrated care

- **Telehealth:** Emergency interventions; Maternal, children's and adolescents' health promotion and consultations; Monitoring non-communicable diseases at home; Patients' safety in clinical practice; Complex clinical cases consultations
- **New services models:** medical homes, accountable care organizations, others

New Research: Integrative, Collaborative care, access, quality, costs, outcomes

Advocacy models in integrated health care systems: Best practices & lessons learned from Eurasia and Southeast Europe.

Eurasia & Southeast Europe, country reports: Collaborative, integrated care, populations' health, current status, future directions

* The topics' list will be periodically updated.