

8th BALU HCV EE MEETING

Date, 19th of May, 2023

HCV elimination in Baltics&Ukraine: achievements, opportunities and obstacles

Meeting Venue: Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania, Gedimino pr. 51 Vilnius, Lithuania.

Dinner venue: Restaurant "Beef Room" Gedimino pr. 44B, 01110 Vilnius, Lithuania

Format: Hybrid

Link to register for online meeting:

I part

12:15 - 12:30 Welcome coffee

12:30 - 12:40 Meeting opening:

- Word from guest prof. L. Mažylis, European Parliament member
- Word from prof. L. Kupčinskas, chairman of Biology, Medicine and Geosciences Department of Lithuanian Academy of Sciences
- Word from assoc. prof. Goda Sadauskaitė, president of Lithuanian Gastroenterology association
- Word from prof. L. Jančorienė, Lithuanian Infectology association board member

12:40 - 13:15 Unmet needs in HCV, prof. J.M. Pawlotsky, France

13:15 - 13:25 Q&A prof. J.M. Pawlotsky, France

13:25 - 13:55 HCV Road to National screening and HCV elimination update from Lithuania, prof. L. Kupčinskas, Lithuania

13:55 - 14:10 HCV Elimination update from Latvia, prof. I. Tolmane, Latvia

14:10 - 14:25 HCV Elimination update from Estonia, prof. R. Salupere, Estonia

14:25 - 14:30 Break

II part

14:30 - 14:50 HCV and HIV screening approach, prof. R. Matulionytė, Lithuania

14:50 - 15:00 Family doctor role in HCV screening, assoc. prof. G. Urbonas, Lithuania

15:00 - 15:10 Follow-up after hepatitis C eradication, assist. prof. A. Buivydienė, Lithuania

15:10 - 15:40 Discussion, all Baltic Experts

15:40 - 17:40 Late lunch & discussions

Meeting Moderator: prof. J. Kupčinskas, Lithuania

