

77TH WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY SIDE EVENT

ACCESS TO NOVEL THERAPIES GLOBALLY: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES

Date/Time: Friday, 31 May 2024 | 10:00 – 13:30

Venue: International Museum of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, Avenue de la Paix 17, 1202 Genève, Switzerland

Organisers: Thalassaemia International Federation | World Federation of Hemophilia



10:00 – 10:30 REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE

10:30 – 10:50 Welcome Addresses

Dr Androulla Eleftheriou, Executive Director, Thalassaemia International Federation (TIF)

Cesar Garrido, President, World Federation of Hemophilia (WFH)

Representatives of State Actors in attendance

SETTING THE SCENE – Chair: Alain Baumann, Chief Executive Officer, WFH

10:50 – 11:10 Global Inequities in Access to Therapies for Bleeding Disorders

Brian O'Mahony, Chief Executive of Irish Haemophilia Society, Coagulation Products Safety, Supply and Access Committee, WFH

11:10 – 11:30 Global Inequities in Access to Innovative Therapies: The Example of Haemoglobin Disorders

Dr Androulla Eleftheriou, Executive Director, TIF

11:30 – 11:45 Q&A

PANEL DISCUSSION – Moderator: Dr Androulla Eleftheriou, Executive Director, TIF

11:45 – 12:30 PANELISTS

Patient Representatives

- » Thalassaemia
- » Hemophilia

Loris Brunetta, Founding Board Member, TIF

Brian O'Mahony, Chief Executive of IHS, Coagulation Products Safety, Supply and Access Committee, WFH

Healthcare Professionals

Maria Elisa Mancuso (MD, PHD), Senior Hematology Consultant, Center for Thrombosis and Hemorrhagic Diseases of IRCCS Humanitas Research Hospital in Rozzano, Milan, Italy, Adjunct Clinical Professor at Humanitas University.

Industry Representative

Mr. Paolo Morgese, Vice-President of Public Affairs, Alliance for Regenerative Medicine

CONCLUDING REMARKS

12:30 – 12:45

Dr Androulla Eleftheriou, Executive Director, TIF

Cesar Garrido, President, WFH

12:45– 13:30 NETWORKING LUNCH