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ESF 1.19 On-line E-Learning Management Systems for Post-Graduate Medical Training Activities

Caring for Doctors

Monday 24th October & Tuesday 25th October 2011

Central auditorium, Mater Dei Hospital

PROGRAMME

Monday 24th October - afternoon:

Session open to all doctors

13.30 onwards Registration

14.00 - 14.10 **Introduction**

Dr Gordon Caruana Dingli, General Secretary MAM

Dr Martin Balzan, President MAM & ESF Project Leader

14.10 - 14.30 **Opening**

The Hon Joseph Cassar, Minister of Health

14.30 – 15.00 **An overview of doctors' health based on the experience of MedNet a confidential service for doctors in London, UK**

Dr Tony Garelick - London

15.00 – 15.15 **Real and Perceived CVD risk among doctors present and future.**

Dr. Anna Maria Fenech Magrin & Dr Julian Mamo

15.15 – 15.30 **Doctors – vaccinations and needle stick injuries**

Dr Michael Borg

15.30 - 15.45 **Medical Students, Stress and Difficulties. Curriculum Methods for Student Support and Development**

Dr David Cassar

15.45 - 16.00 Questions and discussion

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee Break

16.30 - 16.45 **Researching stress in Maltese doctors and establishing their core needs for psychosocial support**

Ms Mireille Pellegrini Petit

16.45 - 17.00 **Foundation Doctors**

Dr Etienne Muscat



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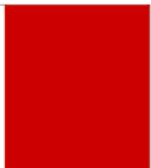
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- 17.00 - 17.15 **A psychotherapist at MDH**
Ms Mariella Meachen
- 17.15 - 17.30 **Facing a major organizational change: How can employees be buffered from stress and uncertainty**
Dr Sandra Buttigieg
- 17.30 - 18.00 Questions and discussion
- 18.00 – 18.30 Keynote speech
'Experiences of working with doctors in difficulty; why we are different'
Dr Mike Peters
- 18.30 – 19.30 Reception**

Tuesday 25th October – Morning:

- 9am -1pm Postgraduate Training Centre, Mater Dei Hospital
Group work facilitated by **Dr Garelick and Dr Peters**
Workshop with key personnel to set up a Caring for Doctors scheme in Malta



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