

Future directions in colorectal cancer screening in Europe

**A workshop for
clients, patients, professionals and scientists***

**Saturday 18 October 2008 in Vienna
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09:30 – 17:00 H**

Outline of Agenda

Introduction: Principles of Primary Prevention, Colm O'Morain
Overview of Colorectal Cancer Screening in Europe , chairs: J. Patnick, N. Segnan Speakers: L. v. Karsa, M. Classen
Rationale of screening and selection of test , chairs: S. Winawer, C. Senore Speakers: M. v. Ballegooijen, N. Segnan
Range of colorectal cancer screening programmes in Europe , chairs M. Classen, L. von Karsa Speakers: <i>France</i> J. Faivre, <i>Germany</i> W. Schmiegel, <i>Finland</i> N. Malila, <i>Czech Republic</i> M. Zavoral, <i>Poland</i> J. Regula, <i>UK</i> J. Patnick, W. Atkin, <i>Italy</i> M. Zappa, <i>Slovenia</i> J. Zakotnik
Developing guidelines for colorectal cancer screening , chairs, W. Atkin, W. Schmiegel <i>WGO guidelines</i> S. Winawer, <i>European guidelines</i> J. Patnick, N. Segnan, L. v. Karsa
Therapy of lesions detected by screening , chair: R. Lambert <i>Endoscopy</i> R. Valori, <i>Surgery</i> M. Keighley, <i>Digestive Oncology</i> E. Van Cutsem
Issues in quality assurance of colorectal cancer screening Open discussion, Moderators: J. Patnick, J.-F. Rey, N. Segnan, S. Winawer,
Advocacy for colorectal cancer screening of appropriate quality , chair persons and speakers: C. Maar, H. Sundseth
The high risk patient - environmental and genetic factors , chair: R. Lambert Speaker: H. Vasen, Discussants: J. Faivre, J. Regula, W. Schmiegel, N. Segnan

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