

EFPIA & HCWH Europe

Joint Workshop on Pharmaceuticals in the Environment

Friday 24th October • Brussels, Belgium

Agenda

10.00 Welcome note from the organisers

- **EFPIA** (Director General Richard Bergström)
- **HCWH Europe** (Executive Director Anja Leetz)

10.15 Introduction by the EU Commission

- **DG Health and Consumers** (Ariane Vander Stappen)
- **DG Environment** (Helen Clayton)

Points to address:

- Current legal framework
- On-going initiatives towards development of the Commission PiE strategy

10.45 Panel I: Managing Environmental Criteria in R&D, Manufacturing and Supply Chain

- **EFPIA** (Dan Caldwell)
- **University of Gothenburg** (Joakim Larsson)
- **RIVM, Rijksinstituut voor Volksgezondheid en Milieu** (Ton Breure)
- **MPA, Medical Products Agency in Sweden** (Kia Salin)
- **EGA, European Generics Medicines Association** (Andreas Hartmann)

Points to address:

- Manufacturing and discharges
- Inclusion of environmental aspects in GMP

12.00 LUNCH

13.00 Panel II: Use of Pharmaceuticals

- **EFPIA** (Bengt Mattson)
- **CPME, Comité Permanent des Médecins Européens** (André Herchuelz)
- **Stockholm County Council** (Åke Wennmalm)
- **UBA, Umwelt Bundesamt** (Nicole Adler)

Points to address:

- Environmental Risk Assessment of pharmaceuticals
- Doctors prescription practices
- Environmental classification of medicinal products

14.00 Networking coffee

14.30 Panel III: Disposal of Pharmaceuticals

- **PGEU, Pharmaceutical Group of the European Union** (John Chave)
- **Valormed** (Raquel Gomes da Silva)
- **LEEM, Les Entreprises du Médicament** (Romain Journel)
- **EUREAU** (Anders Finnson)
- **noPills Project** (Issa Nafo)

Points to address:

- Disposal practices in different countries/infrastructures
- Harmonisation of collection schemes at EU level
- Control of human excretion of pharmaceuticals

15.45 Concluding remarks and recommendations

- **EFPIA and HCWH Europe**

16.00 CLOSE