

Eurocare Bridging the Gap Conference

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BRIDGING THE GAP

ALCOHOL POLICY NETWORK IN THE CONTEXT OF A LARGER EUROPE



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Bridging the Gap -conference

APN 11-13

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The Conference

- is supported by the Finnish Ministry of Social affairs and Health
- and hosted by the Finnish Centre for Health Promotion



The Conference venue -Paasitorni



- The magnificent "granite palace" is a modern conference center
- 10 minutes walk from railway station and from hotels
- historical venue build in 1908
- conference facilities restored to their late Art Nouveau appearance on 1990-century



Bridging the Gap Conference



- The Conference follows the format of the Warsaw conference, with a mix of plenary presentations and highly specialized workshops.
- The program is structured around the six proposed sections of the Commission's alcohol strategy
- The program will be discussed later today

Target groups of the conference



- policy makers, programme implementers, health promoters, prevention specialists and prevention planners working in governmental and non-governmental organizations at local, national and European level
- as well researchers, clinicians and addiction service providers
- The invitation will be sent out to members of Eurocare and Btg members
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- It would be greatly appreciated if all Btg members would kindly ask their own collaborators to the conference directly as we did for the Warsaw conference.
- The printed version of the provisional programme will be sent to you in two weeks

Conference Webpages



- Further information about the Bridging the Gap Conference will be available at www.health.fi and www.eurocare.org from the week 21
- The printed version of the program will be sent to you by the end of May



Registration and Accommodation

- Web –registration at www.health.fi → Eurocare Bridging the Gap - conference or www.eurocare.org → Eurocare Bridging the Gap
- The registration form can be found and completed at the website. Accommodation can be booked at this website as well.
- The registration form tells you information on many possible hotels for variable levels of prices.
- Conference fees are
- **by 31 July**, 250 € (Old member states)/100 € (new member states)
from 1 August, 350 € and 150 €

Please note that, all participants are responsible for their own accommodation and travel costs.



Helsinki is a very exciting place in November!

Welcome to the Bridging the Gap Conference



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