

# GAPP final dissemination conference

## January 20 -21<sup>st</sup> 2022

*Pre-Final Agenda \**

*(\*timing refers to CET time)*

<b>DAY 1 (20 January 2022)</b>	
	<b>Welcome Address/Opening session</b>
10.00-10.25	<b>Institutional Greek Representative (s) JA Coordinators, European Commission</b> <i>Stefaan Van der Spiegel, Head of Sector, Substances of Human Origin, European Commission - DG SANTE</i> <i>Massimo Cardillo, Director General, Italian National Transplant Centre</i> <i>Vincenzo De Angelis, Director General, Italian National Blood Centre</i> <i>Lena Borboudaki, Manager, 7th Health Region of Crete</i> <i>Deputy President Papageorgiou Hospital</i>
10.25-10.30	<b>Presentation by WP2 – GAPP JA in a nutshell</b> WP2 Leaders: <i>Papageorgiou General Hospital - 7th Health Region of Crete (Prof Dr Papadaki Helen)</i>
	<b>Towards EU sufficiency, sustainability &amp; cross-sectoral approach</b>
10.30-10.50	<b>Presentation by WP5:</b> Good Practice Guideline to authorization on preparation process in blood, tissues and cells establishments WP5 Leaders: <i>Laura Hickey Health Products Regulatory Authority (HPRA), Ireland – Ruth Barrio Organización Catalana de Trasplantes (OCATT), Spain</i>
10.50-11.10	<b>Presentation by WP6:</b> Technical annex I: Authorisation of changes in donation, procurement and collection, processing, preservation, storage and distribution WP6 Leader: <i>Agence de la biomédecine (ABM, France)</i>
11.10-11.30	<b>Presentation by WP7:</b> Technical Annex II: Assessing the quality and safety of donor testing, pathogen reduction and sterilisation steps as part of Preparation Process Authorisation (PPA) WP7 Leaders: <i>Agence de la Biomédecine (ABM), France - Laakealan Turvallisuus-JA Kehittämiskeskuss (FIMEA), Finland</i>
11.30- 11.50	<b>Presentation by WP8:</b> Technical Annex III: Assessing clinical data as part of PPA authorisation WP8 Leaders: <i>Laakealan Turvallisuus-JA Kehittämiskeskuss (FIMEA), Finland - Banc de sang i teixits (BST), Spain</i>
12.00-12.30	<b>Open Floor Discussion – Q&amp;A</b>
12.30-13.30	<b>Lunch Break</b>
	<b>Capacity building &amp; Homogenizing the practice across EU</b>
13.30-13.50	<b>Presentation by WP9:</b> Knowledge sharing on PPA between EU CAs WP9 Leader: <i>Paul Ehrlich Institut (PEI), Germany</i>
13.50-14.10	<b>Presentation by W10:</b> Advanced training course on common

approaches to PPA in the blood, tissues & cells, and MAR sectors

WP10 Leader: *Krajowe Centrum Bankowania Tkanek I Komorek (KCBTiK), Poland*

14.10-14.20

**Coffee Break**

**The future of Blood, Tissues & Cells (BTC) in Europe**

14.20-15.40

**Presentation by WP4:** Integration in national policies and sustainability

*WP4 Leader: Registrul National al Donatorilor Voluntari de Celule Stem Hematopietice, Romania and Italian National Transplant and Blood Centres, Italy*

14.40-15.00

**Presentation by WP3:** Evaluation on the achievements and activities of the JA

*WP3 Leaders: Tihana Cikač - Ministry of Health, Croatia*

15.00-15.30

**Open Floor Discussion – Q&A**

**End of day 1 - SOCIAL ACTIVITY**

**DAY 2 (21 January 2022)**

09.30-10.00	<p><b>European Commission</b>  <b>High level outline of GAPP JA Action – GAPP on Blood, Tissues &amp; Cells</b>          EU MS join forces on BTC - Governing principals          Approach, Results, Achievements, GAPP JA messages on Policy &amp; Clinical Practice  <i>Stefaan Van der Spiegel, European Commission - DG SANTE</i></p>
10.00-13.00	<p><b>Call to Action: Policy implementation for BTC recipients in the EU</b></p>
10.00-11.15	<p><b>PANEL 1: Bridging the ‘Gap-P’ between science &amp; effective policies</b></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i>  <b>Marta López Fraga</b>, Scientific Officer at European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines &amp; Healthcare (EDQM) Council of Europe  <b>Prof Michel Tsimaratos</b>, Directeur général adjoint chargé de la politique médicale et scientifique à l’Agence de la biomédecine, France  <b>Prof Philippe Vandekerckhove</b> CEO, Belgian Red Cross-Flanders  <b>Dr. J.C. Wiersum-Osselton, Johanna</b>, GAPP JA External Advisory Board member, TRIP and Sanquin, Netherlands</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i>  <b>Simonetta Pupella MD</b>, Direttore Area Sanitaria e Sistemi Ispettivi (Director Medical Affairs &amp; Blood Inspection System) Centro Nazionale Sangue (National Blood Centre) Istituto Superiore di Sanità</p>
11.15-11.30	<p><b>Coffee Break</b></p>
11.30-12.15	<p><b>PANEL 2: Current state of play – Registries - The role of Associations – Next steps</b></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i>  <b>Prof. Pierre Tiberghien</b>, European Blood Alliance (EBA) President  <b>Sofie Terwel</b>, GoCART Project Coordinator European Society for Blood and Marrow Transplantation (EBMT) Executive Office, Department of Biomedical Data Sciences  <b>Dr Cristina Magli</b>, Immediate Past Chair, The European Society of Human Reproduction and Embryology (ESHRE)</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i>  <b>Anthi Gafou</b>, Hellenic National Blood Transfusion Center</p>
12.15-13.00	<p><b>PANEL 3: Patient - Donor safety &amp; effectiveness of treatments: the impact of the revision of BTC legislation</b></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i>  <b>Prof Elizabeth Macintyre</b>, MD PhD FRCP FRCPath, Onco-hématologie biologique, Necker-Enfants Malades, European Hematology Association (EHA) President  <b>Dr Karin Magnussen</b>, IFBDO-FIODS 2014. International Federation of Blood Donor Organizations</p>

**Moderators:**

**Ruth Barrio Ortega**, Organització Catalana de Trasplantaments (OCATT); **Laura Hickey**, Health Products Regulatory Authority (HPRA)

13.00-13.30

**Closing Remarks**

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**Stefaan Van der Spiegel**, Head of Sector, Substances of Human Origin, European Commission - DG SANTE

WP1 scientific coordinators:

**Massimo Cardillo** Director General, Italian National Transplant Centre

**Vincenzo De Angelis**, Director General, Italian National Blood Centre

\* Please note the Conference will be held in English