



International Conference on **MIGRATION HEALTH**

Ergife Palace Hotel

Rome, Italy

1 - 3 October 2018



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International Migration is a global phenomenon that is growing in scope, complexity and impact. Human migration is now at an all-time high, accounting for 245 million persons and is shaping world events and fuelling political and public debates. People have been migrating since the beginning of human history and these flows have led to the mixing of people that had led to positive cultural and economic exchanges and have built nations. Forced migration, driven primarily by conflicts, social injustice and global inequities, is increasing and has resulted in a quarter of all international migrants who are refugees, asylum seekers or internally displaced persons many with health disparities. Migrant populations are heterogeneous and have a broad range of health needs — their presence raises several medical, ethical, economic, social and cultural issues for both migrants and receiving health systems.

The International Society of Travel Medicine has been focussed on the care of travelling and mobile populations for more than 25 years. We are excited to partner with clinical, public health, and humanitarian organizations to organize a conference that will address the complex multidisciplinary health issues of this population.

Conference Venue

The International Conference on Migration Health will be held at the Ergife Palace Hotel in Rome, Italy. The ISTM has secured discounted hotel rates for conference delegates.

Recognizing the recent surges of migrants and refugees into the Mediterranean, it is only fitting that Rome, Italy was selected by the conference organizers to host this important Migration Health event. Rome is an amazing city rich in cultural heritage, historical artifacts and of course the awe-inspiring sites such as The Colosseum, The Forum, and the Spanish Steps. One of the most popular tourist destinations in the world, Rome is sure not to disappoint delegates and attendees.

Session Types:

- Keynote/Plenaries
- Symposia
- Panel Discussions
- Debate
- Workshops
- Submitted oral presentations and workshops
- Poster sessions and Poster rounds
- Open forums highlighting stories by Migrants and Migrant Health Professionals

International Conference on Migration Health

Local Organising Chair:
Francesco Castelli, Italy

Scientific Committee Chair:
Christina Greenaway, Canada

Scientific Committee Associate Chairs:
Marty Cetron, United States of America
Paul Douglas, Switzerland
Teymur Noori, Sweden
Ymkje Steinstra, The Netherlands

Abstract Submission
Deadline Extended
24 June 2018

Dates to Remember:

Call for Abstracts:	1 January – 45 24 June 2018
Travel Award Submissions:	1 January – 15 June 2018
Regular Registration:	1 April – 31 July 2018
Late Registration:	1 August – 14 September 2018
Advance Registration Closed:	14 September 2018
Onsite Registration:	1-3 October 2018
Conference:	1-3 October 2018

To register and for more information go to the conference website at www.ISTM.org.

MIGRATION HEALTH

Keynote

Migration: Past, Present, Future

Mohammed Abdiker, IOM, Switzerland

Migration: Where do we go from here?

Ranieri Guerra, WHO, Italy

Plenaries

Promoting and Protecting the Health of Migrants

Francesco Castelli, Italy

Martin Cetron, United States of America

Migration Today: Challenges and Opportunities

Jeff Sachs, United States of America

Paul Spiegel, United States of America

Patricia Walker, United States of America

Symposia

Caring for Migrants as the Result of Irregular Surges: Experiences of Receiving Countries in the European Refugee Crisis

Joanna Liu, Canada

Androula Pavli, Greece

Susanne Pruskil, Germany

Public Health Surveillance for Refugees and Migrants

Emily Jentes, United States of America

Maurice Ope, Kenya

Jonathan Suk, Sweden

Caring for Migrants as the Result of Regular Migration: Experiences of Major Migrant Receiving Countries in North America

Annalee Coakley, Canada

Paul Douglas, Switzerland

Tseganesh Selameab, United States of America

Mental Health Among Migrants in Different Settings

Eric Jarvis, Canada

Cornelius Katona, United Kingdom

Vincenzo Spigonardo, Italy

Chronic and Non-Communicable Diseases

Charles Agyemang, The Netherlands

Maria L. Muiesan, Italy

Tom Schulz, Australia

Tuberculosis, HIV, and Viral Hepatitis

Julia del Amo, Spain

Jordan Feld, Canada

Sally Hargreaves, United Kingdom

Parasite: Malaria, Chagas, Schistosomiasis, and Strongyloides

Zeno Bisoffi, Italy

Rogelio López-Vélez, Spain

Eli Schwartz, Israel

How to Address Migrant and Refugee Women's Health

Ghayda Hassan, Canada

Crista Johnson-Agbekwu, United States of America

Claire Tantet, France

Setting Pediatric Migrants Up for Long-Term Success

Ulrich von Both, Germany

Elizabeth Dawson-Hahn, United States of America

Alisa Miller, United States of America

Panel Discussions

Regional Migration: Challenges and Opportunities

MODERATOR: Davide Mosca, Italy

PANELISTS: Mohammed Yassin, Switzerland

Abderrahmane Maaroufi, Morocco

Apostolos Veizis, Greece

Publishing, Policy, and the Press—Shaping the Public and Policy Discourse on Migration Health

MODERATOR: Kamran Abbasi, United Kingdom

PANELISTS: Aidan White, United Kingdom

Ibrahim Abubakar, United Kingdom

Jacqueline Weekers, United States of America

Cardinal Peter K. A. Turkson, Italy - INVITED

Debate

Screening for Latent Tuberculosis Among Migrants

MODERATOR: Ymkje Stienstra, The Netherlands

PANELISTS: Nina Marano, United States of America

Delia Goletti, Italy

Sally Hargreaves, United Kingdom

Mareike Van der Werf, Sweden

Workshops

Vaccination Issues Along the Migration Pathway:

Accomplishments and Challenges

Anita Heywood, Australia

Michelle Weinberg, United States of America

Building Transcultural Competences and Working with Interpreters and Cultural Brokers

Gianfranco Costanzo, Italy

Tseganesh Selameab, United States of America

Educating the Next Generation of Health Care Providers for a Mobile World

Nathan Bertelsen, Turkey

Brett Hendel-Patterson, United States of America

The Art and Science of Screening Migrants

Begoña Monge-Maillo, Spain

Teymur Noori, Sweden

William Stauffer, United States of America

Successfully Engaging Migrants in Health Care

Janine Benson-Martin, Germany

Dominik Zenner, United Kingdom

Digital Solutions to Enhance the Continuity of Care for Refugees and Migrants

Kanav Kahol, United States of America

Kudzai Kanhutu, Australia

Thomas Schulz, Australia

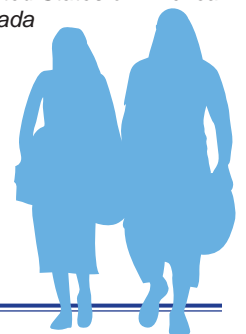
Final Conference Wrap-Up

Kamran Abbasi, United Kingdom

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