

Speakers

- **Renzo Anderle** Member of the Provincial Council, President of the first Standing Committee
- **Iles Braghetto** Former EU MP
- **Pier Francesco Bernacchi** General Manager of Terme di Chianciano - OMTH Board Member
- **Leonardo Campanelli** Austria Director of the National Tourism Agency (ENIT) of Vienna
- **Andres Campos** President of SITH (International Society of Hydro-mineral Technologies) and Cuntis Thermal Baths (Spain)
- **Lara Comi** EU MP
- **Claudio Eccher** Vice-President of the Provincial Council
- **Antonella Fioravanti** Medical Manager, Unit of Rheumatology, University Hospital of Siena - Siena, Italy
- **Luciano Flor** General Director of the Provincial Healthcare Trust APSS
- **Pierangelo Giovanetti** Director of the Italian newspaper "L'Adige"
- **Ennio Gori** OMTH President (Italy)
- **Paolo Gruppo** Past President Ancot, Thermal Physician, Orthopaedist and Traumatologist
- **Zeki Karagulle** President of ISMH (International Society of Medical Hydrology) - Turkey
- **Alfred König** Director of the Health Care Office of the Autonomous Province of Bolzano
- **Alexander P. Kudinov** Russia Vice Director of the Russian Academy of Sciences
- **Hans-Jürgen Kütbach** Vice-President of the German Spas Federation/Association. Vice-President of ESPA, European Association of Thermal Baths and President of the Federation of Schleswig-Holstein Thermal Baths (D)
- **Alberto Lalli** Vice-President of OMTH
- **Fabio T. Lazzarini** Vice-President of OMTH and Scientific Director of Sociedade Brasileira de Termalismo (Brazil)
- **Günther Leiner** Member of the "Europäisches Gesundheitsforum" Committee (WHO)
- **Lavinia Munteanu** President of OMTH-SITH Romania
- **Alberto Pacher** President of the Autonomous Province of Trento
- **Ugo Rossi** Member of the Council for Health Care and Social Policies of the Autonomous Province of Trento
- **Alberta Sciachi** Member of the UEHP Board - President of the UEHP General Assembly
- **Alberto Staffieri** Director of the ENT Chair at the Padua University President of the Scientific Committee of Terme di Levico
- **Carlo Stefanelli** President of AIOP Trentino - OMTH Board Member
- **Jeff Wang** CEO of Hacone Hot Spring & spa investment consulting (Cina)
- **Giuseppe Zumiani** President of the Board of Physicians, Surgeons and Odontologists of Trento

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Registration

The Convention is CME (Continuing Medical Education) credited for medical doctors and dentists. 5 CME training credits will be given (subject to attendance and awarded on successful completion of the assessment test).

Registration procedure and terms for physicians and odontologists

- Online registration procedure from the Web site www.ecmtrento.it,
- under item "Consultazioni" (Consultations) in the home page on the left, click on "Iscrizioni on line" (Online Registrations)
 - among the options select item "Provider Ordine dei Medici Chirurghi e degli Odontoiatri della provincia di Trento" (Provider of the Board of Physicians, Surgeons and Odontologists of the Autonomous Province of Trento) or insert the Event Title
 - once you have selected the course, continue the registration by entering the requested data**

For APSS physicians select item "offerta formativa esterna" (external training offer) on the right. Deadline for the registration: Wednesday 16th October 2013. Subject to availability, it is possible to register also on the 19th of October.

The Participation to the Convention is also open to all interested parties.

Organizers

- OMTH - Thermalism World Organization
- Europaregion Euregio - Tirolo, Alto Adige, Trentino
- AIOP Italian Association of Private Hospital Healthcare Facilities
- Terme di Levico e Vetriolo
- APT Valsugana - Lagorai

Organizing Committee

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- Autonomous Province of Trento
- Municipality of Levico Terme
- Ancot - Associazione Nazionale Comuni Termali
- Board of Physicians, Surgeons and Odontologists of the Autonomous Province of Trento

** Please note that the registration on the Web portal is active for all the professionals of the Health Care System of the Autonomous Province of Trento. This registration from the website www.ecmtrento.it allows professionals to access their training offer, to register to courses and to view the list of registrations performed and the training account. Should you encounter any trouble in carrying out the registration, a user guide is available at the following link "istruzioni per iscriversi" (Instructions on how to register).



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INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

NEW FRONTIERS OF THE EUROPEAN HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

The implementation of the EU legislation n° 2011/24 on patients' rights for cross-border traditional and thermal healthcare

19 October 2013
Palazzo delle Terme
Levico Terme (TN) - Italy



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Comune di Levico Terme

In view of the forthcoming introduction of the EU legislation n°2011/24 regarding the right of European citizens to be able to choose any country within the EU for healthcare, a International Convention will be held at the Palazzo delle Terme in Levico (Trento) on 19 October 2013. The Legislation sanctions the right of European citizens to be treated by different national healthcare systems, receiving the same healthcare services granted in the countries of origin. The deadline of October 25th 2013, has been set within which the national legislation of each EU country will be amended accordingly, in order to make this right effective.

During a series of speeches and roundtables the EU and Italian healthcare systems will be compared and the actualization of the legislation will be analyzed.

The morning session will be dedicated to the update of the national healthcare systems. European Parliament MP Lara Comi will report on the state-of-art of the legislation implementation, Alberta Schiachi, Member of UEHP (Union Européenne de l'Hospitalisation Privée) will provide an overview of the relationship between qualified private and public hospital healthcare in Europe, and Carlo Stefanelli, President of AIOP Trentino, will report on the organization and the financial situation of the different European healthcare systems.

The morning session will be followed by a roundtable presided by politicians and national healthcare experts who will examine the Italian healthcare system and verify whether it actually will be possible to guarantee the right to cross-border treatment in Italy.

In the afternoon session the status of thermal healthcare throughout the world will be discussed. President of the OMTH Ennio Gori, and President of ISMH Prof. Zeki Karagulle, as well other eminent experts of international thermalism coming from Brazil, China, Russia, Romania, Spain, Germany and Austria will actively contribute to the discussion.

Prof. Zeki Karagulle and Dr. Antonella Fioravanti will report on research carried out in the thermal field and propose possible future developments of thermal care.

Finally a main feature of the Convention will be an update for thermal operators with effective tools enabling them to understand the important breakthroughs deriving from the interaction of 27 EU countries.

Ennio Gori
OMTH President

Carlo Stefanelli
AIOP President, Province of Trento

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Free to be Diagnosed and Cured in Europe

- 8.00-9.00** Registration and distribution of congress material
- 9.00-9.30** Word of welcome by the mayor of the City of Levico Terme, Opening address by the President of the Autonomous Province of Trento, Mr Alberto Pacher, and Vice-President of the Provincial Council Claudio Eccher and other authorities
- 9.30-10.00** Introductory speech: "Differences among the various European national healthcare systems on the eve of the entry into force of the legislation" (*Carlo Stefanelli*)
- 10.00-10.30** "State-of-art of the EU legislation implementation on patient's rights to cross-border healthcare" (*Lara Comi*)
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- 10.30-11.00** Coffee break
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- 11.00-11.30** "Overview of qualified private hospital healthcare in the European Union" (*Alberta Schiachi*)
- 11.30-13.00** *Roundtable* "Are the various European healthcare systems ready to guarantee the right of the EU citizens to freely choose the place of diagnosis and treatment in traditional and thermal healthcare?" (*Iles Braghetto, Luciano Flor, Paolo Gruppo, Alfred König, Ugo Rossi, Alberto Staffieri, Giuseppe Zumiani, Pierangelo Giovanetti, Director of the Italian newspaper "L'Adige"*)
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- 13.00-14.30** Light lunch

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Thermal Therapies in Europe and in the World

- 14.30-14.45** Introductory speech *Ennio Gori*
- 14.45-15.15** "Current Situation of scientific research on Thermalism in Europe" (*Zeki Karagulle*)
- 15.15-15.45** "Outlook in the future: the new directions to thermal therapies" (*Antonella Fioravanti*)
- 15.45-18.30** State-of-the-art of Thermalism in Europe and in the World
Moderators *Renzo Anderle* and *Alberto Lalli*
 - *Hans-Jürgen Kütbach (Germany)* "Thermalism in Germany"
 - *Fabio T. Lazzerini (Brazil)* "Thermalism in Brazil and Latin America. Prospective Relationships and Partnership Experiences among the EU States and Brazil"
 - *Günther Leiner (Austria)* "Thermalism in Austria"
 - *Pier Francesco Bernacchi* "China: an Inverted Path: from SPA to Thermal Baths"
 - *Jeff Wang (China)* "The Rapidly Growing Chinese Thermal Sector and its Recent Efforts to harmonize TCM (Traditional Chinese Medicine) with European Thermalism"
 - *Andres Campos (Spain)* "Thermalism in Spain"
 - *Leonardo Campanelli (ENIT Austria)* "Thermal Tourism in German Speaking Countries"
 - *Lavinia Munteanu (Romania)* "Thermalism in the Eastern European Countries"
 - *Alexander P. Kudinov (Russia)* "Thermalism in Russia"
- 18.30-19.00** Final remarks and CME test