



Respiratory infections in primary care – update and perspectives

Date: June 1th 2026

Venue: Thon Hotel Bristol, Kristian IV's Gate 7, 0164 Oslo

08.45-09.00	Registration and Welcome
09.00-09.30	<i>Pilot study – rapid microbial testing at Bergen legevakt</i> Dagfinn L. Markussen (Haukeland university hospital and University of Bergen)
09.30-10.00	<i>Rapid tests in respiratory tract infections: clinical reality, unintended consequences, and sustainability perspectives</i> Bent Håkan Lindberg (University of Oslo and National Centre for Emergency Primary Health Care, Bergen)
10.00-10.15	Break
10.15-11.00	<i>Do antibiotics really matter? The role of antibiotics and the gut microbiome</i> Anna Larsson (University of Lund, SE)
11.00-11.30	<i>The need for respiratory sampling in primary care – a discussion</i> Andreas Lind (Oslo university hospital) and Lars Heggelund (Drammen hospital and University of Bergen)
11.30-12.30	Lunch
12.30-13.30	<i>Respiratory infections research in primary care in Europe: history, future and pandemic preparedness</i> Alike van der Velden (Utrecht, NL)
13.30-14.30	<i>A tale of two trials</i> Alastair Hay (University of Bristol, UK)
14.30-15.00	<i>PandemiNett</i> TBA (Norwegian Institute of Public Health)
15.00-	Discussion

There is no registration fee, but participation requires registration. Lodging for visitors from May 30th to June 1st and meals during the seminar is covered by ReSpiraNet. For presenting researchers, travel costs will also be covered.

Reserve your participation or address questions to:

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