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PATHWAY TO THE PRESIDENCY

DISCUSSING HEALTH PRIORITIES FOR POLAND'S PRESIDENCY IN THE EU COUNCIL

Date:

**30 January 2024
at 8:30 – 19:50**

Venue:

**Sheraton Grand Warsaw
(2 Bolesława Prusa str.)**



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8:30–9:00 Registration

9:00–9:15 Conference opening

9:15–9:45 HONORARY SPEECHES

H.E. Mr. Rik Van Droogenbroeck, Ambassador of Belgium to Poland

Magdalena Sobkowiak-Czarnecka, Undersecretary of State at Chancellery of the Prime Minister, Office of the Minister for the European Union

Wojciech Konieczny, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Health

Krzysztof Pater, Vice-President of the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC)

9:45–12:15 ROUNDTABLE I:

STARTING POINT – THE EXPERIENCE, PARTNERS & CHALLENGES OF THE POLISH PRESIDENCY IN THE EU COUNCIL 2025

The discussion is moderated by Bartosz Kwiatek, Polsat News journalist

9:45–11:15 PART 1:

Quo vadis, Trio?

KEYNOTE SPEECH:

Prof. Bolestaw Samoliński, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Health Priorities during Poland's Presidency in the EU Council in 2011

Edward James Smith, Head of EU office, Danish Ministry of Interior and Health

Dr. Adam Jarubas, Member of the European Parliament, Chair of the Standing Subcommittee on Public Health (SANT)

Prof. Piotr Czauderna, Chairman of the Healthcare Council, National Development Council, Head of the Department and Clinic of Pediatric and Adolescent Surgery and Urology at Gdańsk Medical University;

Dr. Andrzej Ryś, Principal Scientific Advisor, DG SANTE, European Commission

Lech Pilawski, Member of the European Economic and Social Committee, Advisor to the Board of the Lewiatan Confederation

Marcin Rynkowski, Chairman of the EU Pharma Strategy Group INFARMA, Former Director of the International Cooperation Department at the Ministry of Health



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11:15 – 12:15 **PART 2:**

Changes in EU Health Law – What Legislative Challenges will be the Focus of the Polish Presidency's Work?

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Dr. Igor Radziejewicz-Winnicki, Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Health in 2012–2015

Katarzyna Postek-Kaczmarczyk, Director of the Legal Department, Office for Registration of Medicinal Products, Medical Devices and Biocidal Products

Małgorzata Gałazka-Sobotka, Vice-Chairman of the National Health Fund Council, Director of the Institute of Healthcare Management at Łazarski University

Grzegorz Rychwalski, Vice President of the Polish Association of Pharmaceutical Industry Employers – National Drug Manufacturers

Irena Rej, President of the Chamber of Commerce “Farmacja Polska”

Michał Byliniak, Director General of the Association of the Association of Employers of Innovative Pharmaceutical Companies INFARMA

Arkadiusz Grądkowski, President of the Polish Chamber of Commerce for Medical Devices (POLMED)

Justin Gandy, Managing Director at MSD Poland

Wojciech Nowak, Chair of the Healthcare Council, Executive Committee; Board of Directors Member, EuropaBio

12:15 – 12:30 Coffee break

12:30 – 14:00 **ROUNDTABLE II:**

DIGITALIZATION IN HEALTHCARE: CAN POLAND WITH ITS SOLUTIONS BECOME A TRENDSETTER IN THE EU?

The discussion is moderated by **Karolina Wasielewska**, journalist and head of the “Radio Kolor” newsroom

Dr. Maria Libura, Expert at the Analysis Center of Jagiellonian Club for Health

Prof. Jarosław Fedorowski, President of the Polish Federation of Hospitals, Chairman of the Board of the Polish Society of Coordinated Healthcare

Ligia Kornowska, Managing Director of the Polish Hospital Federation, Leader of “AI Coalition in Healthcare”

Dr. Jarek Oleszczuk, Healthcare System Expert

Dr. Anna Gawrońska, Healthcare Management Expert

Dr. Marlena Kondrat, National Institute of Senior Economy

Maia Mazurkiewicz, Co-founder & Head of StratComm, Alliance4Europe



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Aleksandra Sienkiewicz, Director of the ZPP Health Forum

Jakub Zaczyk, Chair of the Chamber of Medical Products, POLMED

14:00–14:45 Dinner

14:45–16:30 **ROUNDTABLE III:**

PREVENTION AND HEALTHCARE IN THE CONTEXT OF THE “ONE HEALTH” APPROACH

The discussion is moderated by Dr. Jakub Gierczyński, MBA, healthcare system expert

KEYNOTE SPEECH:

Prof. Maciej Banach, Chairman of the Polish Lipidology Society, Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Science and Higher Education in 2010–2012

Dr. Marek Kos, Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Health*

Prof. Małgorzata Janas-Kozik, Plenipotentiary of the Minister of Health for the reform of child and youth psychiatry

Prof. Mieczysław Walczak, National Consultant in the field of Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetology

Prof. Brygida Kwiatkowska, National Consultant in the field of Rheumatology

Dr. Aleksandra Lewandowska, National Consultant in the field of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

Prof. Robert Gil, President of the Polish Cardiological Society

Prof. Robert Flisiak, President of the Polish Society of Epidemiologists and Infectious Diseases Physicians, Chairman of the Monitoring and Evaluation Team for the situation regarding threats related to infectious diseases

Prof. Konrad Rejdak, President of the Polish Neurological Society

Prof. Andrzej Fal, President of the Polish Society of Public Health

Prof. Teresa Jackowska, President of the Polish Pediatric Society

Prof. Małgorzata Myśliwiec, Regional Consultant in the field of Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetology, Member of the Scientific Council at the Ministry of Health

Prof. Marcin Czech, President of the Polish Pharmacoeconomic Society, Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Health in 2017–2019

Prof. Marcin Wojnar, Head of the Department and Clinic of Psychiatry at the Medical University of Warsaw*

Prof. Tadeusz Pieńkowski, Head of the Oncology Clinic at the Radom Oncology Center, President of the Polish Society for Breast Cancer Research



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Prof. Jakub Żotnierek, Clinic of Urinary System Cancers, National Cancer Institute after Maria Skłodowska-Curie – Polish Oncology Institute in Warsaw*

Stanisław Maćkowiak, President of the Federation of Polish Patients, President of the National Forum for Rare Disease Therapy ORPHAN

16:30–16:40 Coffee break

16:40–19:40 **ROUNDTABLE IV:**

THE EUROPEAN HEALTHCARE SYSTEM IN THE FACE OF DEMOGRAPHIC CHANGES

16:40–8:10 **PART 1:**

Women at the Center: Women's Health as the Foundation of the European Health Union

The discussion is moderated by Karolina Hytrek-Prosiecka, publicist and journalist

KEYNOTE SPEECH:

Prof. Violetta Skrzypulec-Plinta, Head of the Department of Women's Health and the Department of Reproductive Health and Sexology at the Silesian Medical University in Katowice

KEYNOTE SPEECH:

Katarzyna Kotula, Minister of Equality

Neil Datta, Executive Director and Founder of the European Parliamentary Forum for Sexual and Reproductive Rights

Peggy Maguire, Director General of the European Institute of Women's Health

Wanda Nowicka, Member of Parliament, Chairwoman of the Parliamentary Group on Women's Rights

Thomas Hofmarcher, Research Director of the Swedish Institute of Health Economics (IHE)

Małgorzata Rozenek-Majdan, President of MRM Foundation*

adv. Katarzyna Bondaryk, Bondaryk law firm

Phil Krzyzek, General Manager Healthcare Poland & Managing Director, Merck



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18:10–19:40:PART 2:

Senior Policy in the Face of Aging Societies in the EU

The discussion is moderated by Jakub Gołąb, healthcare system expert

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Prof. Bolesław Samoliński, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Health Priorities during Poland's Presidency in the EU Council in 2011

Marzena Okła-Drewnowicz, Minister of Senior Policy

Michał Szczerba, Member of Parliament, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Senior Policy

Krystyna Lewkowicz, President of the University of the Third Age at SGH,
President of the Nationwide Agreement of Universities of the Third Age

Marzena Rudnicka, President of the Board of the National Institute of Senior Economy

Prof. Janina Stępińska, Director of the National Institute of Cardiology *

Maciej Bogucki, Director of the European Centre for Healthcare Strategies and Policies

Dr. Janusz Meder, President of the Polish Oncology Union

Dr. Jakub Kucharz, Clinic of Urinary System Tumors at the National Cancer Institute after Maria Skłodowska-Curie – PIB in Warsaw

19:40–19:50 Discussion summary

19:50 Cocktail for event participants