

Special joint session ERS and WHO

Launch of the WHO and European Respiratory Society regional report

“Chronic Respiratory Diseases in the WHO European Region: Toward Health Equity in 2050: a spotlight on COPD and asthma”

Dublin, Ireland

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Provisional agenda

15:30-15:45	<u>Welcome and opening remarks</u> Department of Health, Ireland (<i>tbc</i>) Dr Hans Kluge, WHO Regional Office for Europe (<i>tbc</i>) Professor Silke Ryan, European Respiratory Society
15:45-16:35	Moderators: <i>ERS and WHO EURO</i> Key findings of WHO and ERS report <i>Presentation, WHO EURO and ERS</i> Highlights of the CRD examples: from West to the East of the region <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Finland• Georgia• Hungary• Portugal• Kyrgyzstan• UK Time for actions: way forward A high-level panel discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ministries of Health• Health worker• Patient / ELF• Civil Society, youth representative or NGO, community representative• Partner organization• ERS• WHO

16:35-16:45

Summary and wrap up

Professor Silke Ryan, *President, European Respiratory Society*
Dr Gauden Galea, *Strategic Advisor to the Regional Director, WHO
Regional office for Europe*