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First Announcement

5th International Fabry Patient Meeting

Brussels/Belgium

October 19-22, 2006

Better Future for Fabry Patients

Thursday, October 19

- 17.00 – 19.00 **Speakers preparation and meeting with interpreters**
19.00 **Get-together participants, buffet dinner**

Friday, October 20

- 09.00 – 09.15 **Welcoming** M. Pauly, Meeting President
J. Briva, Meeting Vice President
- 09.15– 10.30 **What new have we learned about Fabry disease?** D. Hughes & O. Lidove
- 10.30 – 11.10 **Coffee break**
- 11.10 – 12.30 **Psychosocial aspects of Fabry disease**
Introducion. A. Fellgiebel & I. Schermuly-Sammer
- To discover that you are affected, being an adolescent:** MC Nassogne and an adolescent
To work with Fabry disease R. Parini and a patient
To receive an infusion A nurse and a patient
- 12.30 – 14.00 **Lunch**
- 14.00 – 15.30 **Update from national Fabry support groups** Chairman: M. Pauly
- 15.30 – 16.10 **Coffee break**
- 16.10 – 17.00 **More Balls that Most**
- 19.00 **Dinner**

Saturday, October 21

- 09.00 – 09.45 **Family planning** I. Liebaers
- 09.45– 10.30 **About my symptoms: what is Fabry and what it is not?** M. Barba
S. Delgado-Sanchez
B. Hoffmann
U. Ramaswami
- 10.30 – 11.10 **Coffee break**
- 11.10 – 12.40 **Parallel sessions**
- SESSION 1: Questions and Answers (Adults session)** F. Dehout, G. Kalkum
I. Kantola, S. Buechner
- SESSION 2: Question and Answers (Young session)** U. Ramaswami
G. Pintos
- 12.40 – 13.00 **Concluding remarks** M. Pauly, J. Briva
- 13.00 – 14.30 **National group meetings during Lunch break**
- 15.00 – 17.00 **Sightseeing of Brussels**
- 19.30 **Gala dinner**

Sunday, October 22

- 09.30 – 12.00 **Breakfast, check out and departure**