International Conference on Climate Change and Healthcare
Paris, 4th December 2015
Location: European Hospital Georges Pompidou

Programme
This event will bring together managers of healthcare facilities and community health professionals in France, as well as representatives of institutions in Europe, US, Asia, Africa and Latin America. The event will be held in parallel with the negotiations at the UN Climate Conference.

Participants will showcase their strategies for reducing their carbon footprint and leadership in promoting policies that protect public health from climate change.

Co-organisers: Health Care Without Harm (HCWH), the French Hospital Federation (FHF) and the French Federation of Private Non-profit Hospitals (FEHAP). Supporting organization: Assistance Publique – Hôpitaux de Paris (APHP).

8:00 – 9:00 Registration

9:00 - 9:30 Plenary Session: Opening
- Laurent SETTON, France, Director General of Social Ministries, France
- Gérard VINCENT, Director General, French Hospital Federation (FHF), France
- Josh Karliner, KARLINER, International Team Coordinator, Director of Global Projects, Health Care Without Harm (HCWH)

9:30 - 9:50 Keynote 1: Impact of Climate Change on Health and Implications for the Healthcare System
- Denis BROUN, Expert in Public Health and Health Economy, France

9:50 - 10:10 Keynote 2: Role and Responsibility of Hospitals and Health Systems
- Gary COHEN, President and Founder, Health Care Without Harm (HCWH) and Practice Greenhealth, United States

10:10 - 10:30 Coffee

10:30 – 11:30 Panel 1: Hospitals, Territory and Energy: Strategies to Mitigate Climate Change
Moderator: Grazia CIOCI, Grazia CIOCI, Deputy Director, Health Care Without Harm Europe, Brussels
- Didier BOURDON, Assistance Publique Hopitaux de Paris (AP-HP), France
- Christian Dreßigacker, CEO, Vivantes Berlin Neukoelln Hospital, Germany
- Bernard JOURDAIN, Niort Hospital Centre, France
- Brenna DAVIS, Director of Sustainability, Virginia Mason, United States
Moderator: René CAILLET, French Hospital Federation (FHF), France  
- Ahmed IDHAMMAD, Project Manager at the Marrakech Hospital University Centre, Morocco  
- Kristina DE GEER, Environmental Manager, Region Skåne, Sweden  
- Dr. Jeffery THOMPSON, MD, Executive Advisor & CEO Emeritus Gundersen Health System, United States  
- Simona AGGER GANASSI, Architecture and Urban Planning Expert, Italy  

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch  

14:00 – 14:30 Awards  
- HCWH Climate Champions Award Ceremony from 2020 Climate Health Care Challenge  

Moderator: Kathy GERWIG, Vice President, Employee Safety, Health and Wellness, and Environmental Stewardship Officer, Kaiser Permanente, United States  
- Sonia ROSCHNIK, Operational Director, Sustainable Development Unit of NHS England and Public Health, England  
- Morten SORENSEN, Deputy Chief of Procurement Services Branch, UNFPA  
- Daniel BRIAND, Institut Saint Pierre, Palavas-les-Flots, FEHAP, France  
- Dr. Ming-Nan LIN, Vice Superintendent, Buddhist Dalin Tzu Chi General Hospital, Taiwan, China  

15:30 - 15:50 Break  

15:50 – 17:00 Panel 4: Governance and financing of the energy transition  
Moderator: Didier BOURDON, Assistance Publique Hopitaux de Paris (AP-HP), France  
- Sister Susan VICKERS, Vice President, Corporate Responsibility, Dignity Health, United States  
- Ms. Yanquing MIAO, Researcher/Professor, China National Health Development Research Center, China  
- Joe GRIFFIN, Head of Environment and Environmental Wellbeing at BUPA, United Kingdom  
- Timothy BOULEY (TBC), Global Health and Environmental Specialist, World Bank  

17:00 – 17:30 Closing  
- Dr. Maria NEIRA, Director of the Department of Public Health, Environmental and Social Determinants of Health at the World Health Organization, Switzerland  

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