



Connecting Our Community

# Congress Agenda

# 6th GLOBAL PATIENT CONGRESS 2017

## Thursday, 6 April

6:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Memorial Service - John W. Walsh	Coimbra Ballroom
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Welcome Reception Followed by Dinner	Foyer/1st Floor Restaurant

## Friday, 7 April

7:00 am - 8:45 am	Breakfast	1st Floor Restaurant
9:00 am - 9:10 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Global Patient Congress Opening</b> • Welcome	Karen Skålvoll (Emcee), Norway Gonny Gutierrez, USA
9:10 am - 9:25 am 9:25 am - 9:40 am 9:40 am - 9:55 am 9:55 am - 10:10 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Research and Therapeutic Updates</b> • Research Conference Summary • Evidence for Efficacy of Intravenous Augmentation Therapy • Alpha-1 Antitrypsin - Beyond Emphysema • Inhaled Therapy Q & A Time (10 mins)	Adam Wanner (Chair), USA Alan Altraja, Estonia Sabina Janciauskiene, Germany Mark Brantly, USA
10:20 am - 10:40 am	Break	
10:40 am - 10:55 am 10:55 am - 11:10 am 11:10 am - 11:25 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Research and Therapeutic Updates</b> • Update on Testing for Alpha-1 • Alpha-1: Testing Your Liver the Gentle Way • Alpha-1 and the Modifier Genes of Liver Damage Q & A Time (10 mins)	Marc Miravittles, Spain Pavel Strnad, Germany Marion Bouche-careilh, France
11:35 am - 11:45 am 11:45 am - 12:15 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Research &amp; Medical Global Collaboration</b> • Global Investigator and Physician Forum Panel Discussion: Michael Campos, Ilaria Ferrarotti, Robert Sandhaus, Charlie Strange, Adam Wanner Q & A Time	Gonny Gutierrez, USA
12:30 pm - 2:00 pm	Lunch	1st Floor Restaurant
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Access to Treatment</b> Strategies to Overcome Common Hurdles of Patient Access to Augmentation Therapy	Sandra Nestler-Parr, UK
2:50 pm - 3:10 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Advocacy- A Concerted Effort</b> • Public Policy Advancement (RPP Healthcare) Q & A Time (5 mins)	Charles Waller, Belgium
3:15 pm - 3:35 pm	• Clinical Practice Advancement Q & A Time (5 mins)	Robert Stockley, UK

## Friday, 7 April (Continued)

3:40 pm - 4:00 pm	Break	
4:00 pm - 4:15 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Sleep Related Issues</b> • Sleep Apnea and Insomnia Q & A Time (5 mins)	Leonardo Fuks, Israel
4:20 pm - 4:35 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Organ Transplantation</b> • Organ Transplantation: Lung & Liver Overview Panel Discussion and Q & A Time: Inga-Britt Good, Alice Margaça and son Martim, Gunhil Nørhave	Rosa Malo de Molina Ruiz, Spain Karen Erickson (Moderator), USA
5:00 pm	Announcements & Free Time	
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Dinner	1st Floor Restaurant

## Saturday, 8 April

7:00 am - 8:45 am	Breakfast	
9:00 am - 9:10 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Fit for Life</b> • Importance of Exercise	Karen Skålvoll (Emcee), Norway
9:10 pm - 9:25 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Health Management</b> • APPs for Alphas- Using Technology to Manage your Health	Shane Fitch, Portugal
9:25 am - 9:40 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Global Patient Community</b> • Introduction of Global Steering Committee • Other Introductions	Karen Skålvoll (Emcee), Norway
9:40 am - 9:55 am 9:55 am - 10:10 am 10:10 am - 10:35 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Patient Advocacy</b> • Effective Patient Engagement • Maximise Your Patient Organisation's Impact • Eastern European Physician & Patient Collaborations Joanna Chorostowska-Wynimko, Poland & Aleksandra Ilić, Serbia (Video)	Karen O'Hara, UK Frank Willersinn, Belgium Ruxandra Ulmeanu, Romania
10:35 am - 10:55 am	Break	
10:55 am - 11:25 am 11:25 am - 11:40 am 11:40 am - 11:50 am	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Global Commitment</b> • Expert Panel: Ask Your Peers • Alpha-1 Global Strategic Plan 2017-2019 • Alpha-1 Foundation Commitment	Karen Skålvoll (Emcee), Norway Gonny Gutierrez, USA Henry Moehring, USA
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	<b>A<sup>1</sup> Congress Closing &amp; Lunch</b>	Karen Skålvoll (Emcee), Norway 1st Floor Restaurant