

**ECFS Neonatal Screening Working Group  
Annual Meeting  
Wednesday 7th June 2017  
Conference and Exhibition Center of Seville FIBES II  
Av. Alcalde Luis Uruñuela, 1  
41020 Seville, Spain**

**09.30 Teas and coffees served**

**Morning session**

Chaired by Kevin Southern, University of Liverpool, UK

- 10.00** Welcome to Seville  
Isabel Delgado-Pecellín, Hospital Virgen del Rocío, Seville, Spain
- 10.10** Protocols and performance; lessons from the 2015 survey  
Jürg Barben, Children's Hospital of Eastern Switzerland, Gallen, Switzerland
- 10.40** The challenge of maintaining a sweat test service in a screening region  
Kevin Southern, University of Liverpool, UK
- 10.55** Barriers to newborn screening for CF; Israel  
Hannah Blau, Shneider Children's Medical Center of Israel, Petah Tikva, Israel
- 11.10** Barriers to newborn screening for CF; Sweden  
Isabelle de Monestrol, Stockholm CF centre, Stockholm, Sweden
- 11.30** Germany at last; early lessons and pathways  
Olaf Sommerburg, University Children's Hospital III, Heidelberg, Germany
- 12.00** The progress of screening across Spain  
Carlos Vázquez, Hospital Universitario de Cruces, nr Bilbao, Bizkaia, Spain

**12.30 LUNCH (provided)**

**Afternoon session**

- 13.00** The implications of deep gene sequencing on newborn screening  
Harry Cuppens, Universitair Ziekenhuis Leuven, Belgium
- 13.30** The impact of newborn screening on diagnosis; moving towards a united global approach  
Phil Farrell, University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA
- 14.15** The management and long-term outlook for infants with CRMS/CFSPID  
Clement Ren, Riley Hospital for Children, Indianapolis, USA
- 15.00** Finish

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