



Lambert Van Nistelrooij MEP and Claude Moraes MEP, Co-Presidents of the Intergroup on Ageing, in cooperation with AGE and EPHA would like to invite you to a debate on:

“Mainstreaming Healthy Ageing in the renewed Social Agenda”

**14 October 2008, 08:45-12:00
Room A5E-2 at the European Parliament, Brussels**

Programme

08:45 – 09:15 – Registration of participants

09:15 - 10:30 – Session 1: Healthy Ageing chaired by Claude Moraes MEP

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- EU Health Strategy 2008-2013 - Androula Vassiliou, Commissioner for Health (tbc)
- Adequate use of medicines – Isabelle Moulon, European Medicines Agency (EMA) (tbc)
- Information to patients – John Chave, Secretary General of The Pharmaceutical Group of the European Union (PGEU)
- Swedish Presidency: Future actions and initiatives - Annika Mansnérus, Swedish Permanent Representation

10:00 - 10:30 – Discussion

10:30 -10:45 - Coffee Break

10:45 -12:00 – Session 2: The Quality of Health Services and the Prevention of Elder Abuse chaired by Lambert Van Nistelrooij MEP

10:45 – 11:30

- Quality of long term care and the prevention of elder abuse – Jan Jařab, Cabinet Vladimir Spidla, Commissioner for Employment, Social affairs and Equal Opportunities
- Achieving the objectives of the renewed Social Agenda: the older people’s point of view – Anne-Sophie Parent, Director of the European Older People’s Platform (AGE)
- Draft Directive on the application of patients rights in cross-border healthcare – Monika Kosinska, Secretary General of the European Public Health Alliance (EPHA)
- Czech Presidency: Future actions and initiatives – Czech Permanent Representation

11:30-12:00 - Discussion

Please confirm your registration at Lambert.vannistelrooij@europarl.europa.eu by **1 October 2008**. If you need access to the European Parliament, please mention your nationality and passport number.

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