

## Evaluation Summary

### 1. What were your expectations of the meeting?

5 Very effective/Excellent — 1 Not effective/Poor

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### 2. How well did the meeting meet your expectations?

5 Well exceeded expectations — 1 Did not meet expectations

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### 3. How would you rate the effectiveness of the following sessions?

5 Very effective — 1 Not effective

*Please let us know which speakers you found helpful, which less so, and any additional subjects we should have covered*

#### LECTURES:

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- Ed Wilkins very helpful, up to date & professional, Andrew Scourfield very helpful case presentation, Brent Nicholls very helpful patient insights, Mike Youle very helpful, Laura Waters very helpful case presentations. Less helpful... sex is messy: good idea and very important segment but I did not like the approach.
- All of them x 7
- Mike Youle is one of the best speakers I have heard. Everybody else is really satisfying and informative.
- All of them...this meeting is very helpful for me because I heard a lot of new information, experiences and I can use it in the future.
- All were excellent speakers. Everything was great, clever & funny.
- The most helpful were presentations about how to talk to patients about their sexuality and sex life because that is something I personally forget to ask. I think you have a very good approach and I will remember most of the things I heard today. I think all of you did a great job.
- Everyone was helpful, they helped me to understand the most important thing that we needed to remember our future when dealing with patients who have HIV/AIDS as well as the most important guidelines in communication with our future patients, treating and testing.
- I learnt a lot of things with Ed & Laura was talking. Very helpful.
- I found all speakers helpful. The best part was when a HIV person was talking about his experience and life with HIV. I think they should have more time. I think it's important to hear personal experience.
- Laura Waters (test & testing) very useful, Case studies very interesting.
- Laura Waters is really cool, she pretty much covered everything detail.
- All speakers did a great job especially Dr Mike Youle. I was surprised there was no mention for mental support for diagnosed patients. I believe it is important especially in communities with stigma and discrimination.
- It was really amazing to hear stories from people who were there when the HIV epidemic started, who can describe how scary and deadly the disease was then and how manageable it is now. That comparison was an eye opener. Mike Youle and Laura Walters were amazing and captivating. Definitely managed to keep our attention. Ed Williams & Andre Scourfield were concise and their lectures were informative and educational. Brent Nicholls- it was great to hear an actual experience from a patient who lived through all the clinical trials and it was great for him to share his experiences with us.

- Explanation about using recreational drugs and it's connection with HIV was very useful
- I have found Laura & Ed very interesting. I loved the lecture about recreational drugs from Mike Youle and the history of HIV and the Epidemic from Ed.
- Ed Wilkins concise and informative, Andrew Scourfield helpful & informative, Brent Nicholls very helpful to see things from a patient perspective, Mike Youle very helpful in regard to doctor-patient relationships and individual approach, Laura Waters.
- All the speakers were great in their own way but I need to mention Mike Youle which presentations I found most helpful . The second part about the drugs was good too. I also must mention Laura Walters who made a great impression on how to talk to patients and ask them questions. Andrew Scourfield was also good. Ed Wilkins made great presentation about the history of HIV.
- I found all of the speakers helpful. I like how relaxed they were and the presentations were easy to follow and full of useful information. I would like to hear more medical information and maybe more clinical cases and about strategies how to deal with HIV in smaller and more conservative countries.
- Mike Youle very helpful and excellent at explaining and describing concepts and facts, Laura Waters very interactive & fun presentations, Ed Wilkins very effective at covering a topic while keeping the audience attention.
- Mike Youle helpful, the speakers has very effective way of speaking and getting his point across, Ed Wilkins helpful the speaker is effective and witty enough to keep the attention of the audience.
- I think every speaker were very helpful. I really like presentation from Dr Laura Waters "Sex Is Messy", creative & different presentation. Ed Wilkins- helpful presentation and excellent speaker. Mike Youle helpful. Andrew Scourfield helpful and is great when he presents with Laura.

#### WORKSHOPS:

- Laura Waters x 3
- Laura Waters very interesting and great interaction. And Laura and Andrew make a good couple for working together.
- I thought the presentations were a bit hard but very helpful.
- I like that we were all included in some way and I am grateful because Brent shared his story with us. I wish we had more time to talk to him.
- Mike, Laura and Andrew. They were all great.
- Andrew Scourfield
- Andrew & Laura together were very helpful.
- All speakers
- Very creative & helpful. You covered everything important.

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### CASE PRESENTATIONS:

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- Although all these cases are interesting my advice is to add several cases that vary more in gender, age and how they were infected.
- Case presentations were effective as they first hand stories and helps us in giving the right diagnoses and reactions to the patient.
- All cases and presenters were helpful x 2
- Andrew & Laura x 3
- This part was the best for me
- I would like to hear more cases as I found them very interesting x 3
- I liked the cases. They presented cases you could expect in a clinic but with a twist. We would expect one thing but the solution was different.
- Everybody was helpful. I realised how much I need to learn.
- Good examples! We can see how GP can help in diagnoses or be the reason for a prolonged time without diagnosis.
- I enjoyed this way of learning. In our educational system it is rare that we have an opportunity for learning through problem solving. It was nice to hear actual cases from Laura & Andrew's practice.
- Very good, you can see the real knowledge of med students.

#### 4. How will this meeting help you in your day-to-day work? *(comments only)*

- First I have learned that asking questions about sexual habits could save someone and if there is any suspicion we should propose HIV testing, also I have also learned which conditions are AIDS indicators, some basic things about pharmacology, dynamics & side effects.
- This meeting was helpful. I think I will have a better understanding of my patients that are HIV positive.
- We don't usually have people with HIV so this was definitely helpful.
- I believe that I will be able to communicate, manage and understand HIV+ patients and give them better medical treatment and consultations.
- In Bosnia we have very few cases of HIV, but a lot of Hepatitis. To me, it was (the lectures) very helpful in a sense to always consider a possibility and to read more about HIV related diseases and infections simply in order not to miss it because of ignorance. Also good in a sense of how to be careful with our questions to the patient.
- It will definitely help me to rightfully assess the patients.
- Improvements in talking to patients.
- I will talk more openly and ask open questions about sexual health.
- This meeting will help a lot with clinical skills. I got familiar with risk groups and who should get tested for HIV.
- Being more educated about the subject helps spreading knowledge, advising people and make them comfortable about opening up on such subjects and how to encourage them to ask for help.
- From now on I definitely know the right way for approaching my future patients, who eventually have HIV or other STDs.
- I'll have in mind of STD while doing different diagnoses.
- Now it will be easier to use new terms in English because I have learnt more.
- This meeting will be very helpful because I learned how to talk to my future patients in general practice, one day, I know how to ask some private nature questions. Also I improved my knowledge about AIDS & HIV especially the part about drugs and their side effects & contraindications.
- Very much. I heard a lot of experiences I can use in my own future work, new information, and a really good educational programme. X 2
- It will help me a lot especially in my relation with patients and how to deal with them. X 2
- No stigma discrimination! People who have HIV infection have a normal life with therapy, but they can have a partner, they can work. Testing is important!
- This meeting will help us to deal with our patients in a better way because of a better understanding of life with HIV and help to break the stigma.
- We have realised how education is important from preventing HIV and testing for it. It will help me to be more open-minded and think more about patients with HIV, also not to judge people sexual practices.
- Now I know how to talk to patients about sex, stigma & STDS x 2
- The meeting is going to help me a lot through my practice. Balkans is a traditional zone; sex and homosexuality are still a big taboo. People are not educated enough. We need all this information even more if we are to work somewhere outside of Bosnia.
- New information, new/different type of oral presentation, relaxing atmosphere, how to educate other students in different ways.

### 5. What is your overall assessment of the meeting?

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- The best of all was the opportunity to have stories from real people about their experience with HIV, therapy & stigma
- Everything was amazing. Not too long presentations, talking about different things, interactive, different approach for students.
- I am really thankful for the opportunity to attend the meeting like this, thanks for your effort, time and all the things you showed us. Thanks for appreciating our time and sticking to the schedule.
- Very helpful.
- It was both educational and pleasurable. It is really wonderful to see how motivated lecturers are. It really met my expectations.
- Come again!
- More than expected, much more!
- It was educational and still simple!
- I had a really nice time and learnt a lot about important issues. I like the presented material and enjoyed the presentations.
- It was my first training and I loved it! I have realised what kind of doctor I want to be, cause I want to give full support to my patients.
- It was great, thank you!
- I loved it. Love the lecturers' style. Come again soon!
- The meeting was very helpful considering the fact that most of the topics aren't included in our curriculum of my studies.
- The meeting was very good and speakers were amazing.
- Lecturers are really interesting, speakers are relaxed and their way of teaching is much more fun. It was really refreshing to listen to them.
- It is nice to hear story of live person, their experiences and different situations, especially patients- then you can understand and find a way to help them.
- It was nice to hear the story of a live person, their way from diagnoses to now.
- I had a great time and this was a fine experience in my future life.
- Great and helpful

### 6. Please give suggestions for how future meetings might meet your training needs (*comments only*)

- I would love more cases and patient experiences x 3
- I would a bit more diagnostics, treatment and clinical presentations and more cases.
- More case reports.
- I would like to hear more about treatment of the HIV
- More pictures and fewer diagrams with numbers
- I think future meeting could include interactive work with HIV + patients in hospital.