

Nordic cooperation regarding highly specialised treatment and clinical trials Meeting 25th - 26th August 2016

Location: Hämeenkylässä kartano, Juustenintie 1, 01630 Vantaa.

Around a 15-minute drive from Helsinki airport, and 30 minutes from Helsinki city centre.

Accommodation: Accommodation is available at Hämeenkylässä kartano. All participants are kindly asked to make their own travel and hotel bookings. For bookings, please use the **reservation code: STM**. The price of one single room is 82,50 EUR per night and for a double room 115,50 EUR per night (breakfast included).

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Registration: Please register [here](#) by 11th August 2016.

Programme

Thursday 25th August

- 12 - 13 Lunch for all participants
Working lunch for the Nordic working groups (optional)
Location: Restaurant Soihtu, Etukartano in Hämeenkylässä kartano
- 13 - 17 **Achieving added value through Nordic cooperation in highly specialised care**
Location: Vanha Pääkartano in Hämeenkylässä kartano
- 13.00 - 13.15 *Welcome and introduction*
Director Liisa-Maria Voipio-Pulkki, Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, Finland
- 13.15 - 13.30 *Greetings from the Nordic network for rare diseases*
Ministerial Counsellor Jaakko Yrjö-Koskinen, Chair for the Nordic network for rare diseases
- 13.30 - 14.00 *Keynote lecture: Is every Nordic patient really a research patient?*
Dr. Tuula Helander, Helsinki University Hospital and Comprehensive Cancer Center Finland
- 14.00 - 14.30 Invited comments, discussion
- 14.30 - 16.30 *Focus groups:*
- 1. Highly specialised care in 2020: regulation and incentives*
 - 2. Specialised and integrated care: mission impossible?*



Includes a coffee break at 15.30

16.30 - 17.00 Results of the workshops

18 – 19 Cocktails and networking
Location: Lyhtykabinetti in Hämeenkyllän kartano

19 – Buffet dinner
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Candlelight lectures: Can we afford it all?

Professor Marjukka Mäkelä, THL (National Institute for Health and Welfare) and University of Copenhagen

Professor Olli Carpén, University of Helsinki and the Helsinki Biobank

Friday 26th August

8 - 9 Working breakfast for the Nordic working groups (optional)

9 - 13 **Nordic cooperation in clinical trials: status and horizon scanning**
Location: Hämeenkyllän kartano

9.00 - 9.15 *Welcome and introduction*

Director Liisa-Maria Voipio-Pulkki, Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, Finland

9.15 - 9.45 *Nordic Trial Alliance*

Professor Mika Scheinin, University of Turku
Senior advisor Mia Bengtström, Pharma Industry Finland

9.45 - 10.15 *NordForsk and clinical research*

Professor Marja Makarow, Director of Biocenter Finland

10.15 - 10.45 *The work of Nomesko*

Research professor Mika Gissler, National Institute for Health and Welfare

10.45 - 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 - 12.00 *Keynote lecture: The Nordic competitive advantage for next generation drug discovery*

Professor Aarno Palotie, Finnish Institute of Molecular Medicine

12.00-12.30 Invited comments, discussion

Concluding remarks: The Norwegian Presidency 2017

13 – 14 Lunch for all participants
Working lunch for the Nordic groups (optional)
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