

Social Security Co-ordination and Social Security Reforms

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2nd REGIONAL SEMINAR ON HEALTH CARE

9th - 10th November 2009

Hotel Arka
MK-1000 Skopje

PROGRAMME

Working language: English

MONDAY, 9th NOVEMBER 2009

- 10:00 – 10:10** **Opening speech and welcoming remarks**
by Ms Maja Parnardzieva-Zmejkova, Macedonian Health Insurance Fund
- 10:10 – 10:20** **Welcoming remarks and introduction to SSC SSR and this seminar**
by Mr Sixto Molina, DG III – Social Cohesion, Council of Europe
- 10:20 – 11:05** **Summarising the outcome of the 1st seminar and introduction to the structure according to which the national reports were drafted**
by Prof. Dr. Paul Schoukens (European Institute of Social Security)

11:05 – 11:30 **Coffee Break**

- 11:30 – 12:15** **Practice of some selected EU countries (looking for best practices) concerning the health care to be provided to people not covered by the social health care insurance**
by Mr Willy Palm (European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies)

12:15 – 12:45 **Questions and Discussion**

12:45 – 13:45 **Lunch**

- 13:45 – 14:30** **European and international law standards as to the health care coverage to be granted to people staying on the territory**
by Mr Raf Van Goethem (Dewallens & Partners)

14:30 – 15:00 **Questions and Discussion**

- 15:00 – 15:45** **Techniques of maintaining rights to health care coverage in partner countries (co-ordination and other techniques)**
by Mr Filip Dewallens (Flemish Association Health Law/Dewallens & Partners)

15:45 – 16:15 **Questions and Discussion**

16:15 – 16:45 **Coffee Break**

- 16:45 – 18:00** **Contributions by Delegations (20 min per Beneficiary Party), Part 1**

20:00 – 22:00 **Dinner**

TUESDAY, 10th NOVEMBER 2009

- 09:30 – 11:00** **Contributions by Delegations (20 min per Beneficiary Party), Part 2**

11:00 – 11:30 **Coffee Break**

- 11:30 – 12:15** **First attempt to give a regional overview and some items to be discussed**
by Prof. Dr. Danny Pieters (European Institute of Social Security)

- 12:15 – 13:00** **Discussion on the contents of a possible consensus to be elaborated on the topic + general conclusions**

13:00 – 14:00 **Lunch**