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Da Milano centro
Sempre dritto da Porta Ticinese: C.so San Gottardo, Via Meda, Via Montegani, Via dei Missaglia. Quindi seguire le indicazioni "Istituto Clinico Humanitas", oppure "Basiglio - Milano 3".

Dalle autostrade
Da tutte le uscite autostradali seguire le indicazioni Tangenziale Ovest. Una volta imboccata uscire a Ticinese/Rozzano. Dopo lo stop dello svincolo che immette sulla statale dei Giovi (SS35), svoltare a destra. Al semaforo ancora a destra in Via M. Amiata che diventa Via Isonzo, quindi ancora a destra seguendo le indicazioni "Istituto Clinico Humanitas".

CON I MEZZI PUBBLICI

- Navetta Humanitas da piazzale Abbiategrasso MM2
- Tram 15 (da piazza Duomo) fino a piazzale Abbiategrasso e navetta Humanitas
- MM2 Famagosta e linea bus AMF per Humanitas

SYMPOSIUM Immunology, economy and solidarity: together for global health

29 april 2009
2.00-5.00 p.m.

Centro Congressi Humanitas
Via Manzoni 113
Rozzano (Mi)



In collaboration with:

Società Italiana di Immunologia, European Federation of Immunological Society,
Università degli Studi di Milano, Ministero della Salute, Ministero dell'Economia e delle Finanze

“The event coincides with the European Day of Immunology, and aims to draw attention to the role of immunology, a branch of biomedical science that through vaccines has changed and will change global health. Medical science economy and solidarity join forces under the banner of GAVI, the global alliance that aims at providing life-saving vaccines to children in developing countries.

Italy participates in this generous and creative project. Besides being one of the donors, Italy is among the founding members of the International Finance Facility for Immunization (IFFIm), an innovative financing mechanism that, by mobilizing market resources through the issuance of bonds, has allowed GAVI in recent years to double its spending on immunisation and local health.. Our country has also spearheaded the creation of the AMC (Advanced Market Commitments) initiative for pneumococcal diseases, which aims at creating incentives to companies to accelerate the development of a vaccine suitable for developing countries, which currently does not exist. In AMC donors commit money to buy vaccines at a set price if and when they are available, meet minimum pre-specified criteria and are demanded by poor countries. This innovative scheme is expected to create the potential for a viable market for developing countries and to protect children from preventable diseases.”

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

- 2.00 p.m. Welcome address
- 2.10 p.m. **Immunology: a cross road to human health**
Prof. Alberto Mantovani
Scientific Director Istituto Clinico Humanitas e Università degli Studi di Milano
- 2.30 p.m. **Economy to serve global health**
Prof. Vittorio Grilli
Ministry of Economy and Finance
- 3.05 p.m. **The Vaccines, insurance for XXIth century's health**
Dr. Rino Rappuoli
Chairman of Vaccine Research - Novartis
- 3.40 p.m. **The GAVI challenge**
Dr. Julian Lob-Levyt
Executive Secretary - GAVI Alliance
- 4.15 p.m. **The last miles. How vaccines reach populations**
Giovani Pianosi
Cheif of International Cooperation Group - Association Les Cultures Onlus
- 4.50 p.m. Conclusions
- Chairmans:* Prof. Alberto Mantovani
Prof. GianPietro Semenzato, Presidente Società Italiana di Immunologia