European Opiate Addiction Treatment Association
The 3rd EUROPAD-Italia

Conference 2007
September 27-29, 2007

PIETRASANTA, (Lucca), Italy, EU
Sala dell'Annunziata, Luigi Russo Cultural Centre
Piazza del Duomo

Chairmen
Icro Maremmani
Roberto Nardini
The meeting will be registered for ECM Italian credits.
# Programme

**EUROPAD-Italia Conference 2007**

## Day 1 – Thursday 27th September 2007

**12:00** Registration

### Meet the expert 1. Treatment of Alcoholics Former Heroin Addicts.
Chairmen: Mario Guazzelli (Pisa, Italy, EU)  
Alessandro Tagliamonte (Siena, Italy, EU)

**14:00** Introduction

*Francesco Lamanna (Pisa, Italy, EU)*

Dihydrocodeine-Treatment of Alcohol Addicts, Former Opiate Addicts. Case Reports

*Albrecht Ulmer (Stuttgart, Germany, EU)*

Critique/Discussion

*Icro Maremmani (Pisa, Italy, EU)*  
*Matteo Pacini (Pisa, Italy, EU)*

### Plenary 1. Heroin Addiction and Related Clinical Problems
Chairmen: Matteo Pacini (Pisa, Italy, EU)  
Pier Paolo Pani (Cagliari, Italy, EU)

**17:30** Villa Maraini: The Clinics and the Advocacy

*Massimo Barra (Italian Red Cross)*

**18:30** Forty Years of Methadone Maintenance Advocacy

*Robert G. Newman (New York, NY, USA)*

**19:30** Break

### Welcome Reception and Paolo Picchio Award
Chairmen: Roberto Nardini (Pietrasanta, Italy, EU)  
Icro Maremmani (Pisa, Italy, EU)

**20:30** Awarded

*Gabriele Fischer (Vienna, Austria, EU)*

*Sergey Dvoryak (Kiev, Ukraine)*

**22:30** End of Session

## Day 2 – Friday 28th September 2007

**10:00** Introduction

*Francesca Strigini (Pisa, Italy, EU)*

Addiction and Pregnancy: Maternal and Neonatal Effects

*Loretta Finnegan (Avalon, NJ, USA)*

Critique/discussion

*Gabriele Fischer (Vienna, Austria, EU)*

**13:00** Break

### Meet the expert 2. Heroin Addiction and Pregnancy.
Chairmen: Giovanni Umberto Corsini (Pisa, Italy, EU)  
Alessandro Tagliamonte (Siena, Italy, EU)

**15:00** Introduction

*Guido Intaschi (Viareggio, Italy, EU)*  
*Roberto Nardini (Pietrasanta, Italy, EU)*

Organizing Services for Heroin Addicts

*Mark Parrino (New York, NY, USA)*

Critique/discussion

*Milo Meini (Pisa, Italy, EU)*  
*Giuseppe Zanda (Lucca, Italy, EU)*

**18:00** Break

### Plenary 2. Heroin Addiction and Related Clinical Problems
Chairmen: Icro Maremmani (Pisa, Italy, EU)  
Andrea Vendramin (Padova, Italy, EU)

**19:00** Diversification in Treatment of Opioid Dependence

*Gabriele Fischer (Vienna, Austria, EU)*

**20:00** End of Session
National health politics are usually influenced by national factors, which also represent the cultural heritage of each country’s history. As far as narcotic addiction is concerned, the state of the art allows to speak at a trans-national level and share scientific knowledge between countries, at the advantage of those who are new to face the upcoming epidemic of drug addiction. The newborn World Federation for the Treatment of Opioid Dependence (WFTOD) aims at mediating between the sound knowledge of a few universal to serve as common grounds to challenge drug-related social urges and health issues in any country. On the other hand, the cultural independence of each country is not imperiled at all by the sharing of standardized knowledge against: on the contrary, the development of peculiar strategies to implement the spreading and receptivity of each national context to effective treatments is one main objective of the WFTOD.
Official language
The official language of the conference will be English. Italian simultaneous translation will be provided.

Registration
Registration is required for all participants.

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**Pietrasanta** is a town and comune on the coast of northern Tuscany in Italy, in the province of Lucca. Located 3 km (1.8 miles) off the coast, Pietrasanta straddles the last foothills of the Apuan Alps. It is about 32 km north of Pisa, 1 hour from Florence and 1.5 hour from Genoa.

The town has Roman origins and part of the Roman wall still exists.

The medieval town was founded in 1255 upon the preexisting “Rocca di Sala” fortress of the Lombards by Luca Guiscardo da Pietrasanta, from whom it got its name. Pietrasanta was at its height a part of the Genova city-state (1316 - 1328). The town is first mentioned in 1331 in records of Genova, when it became a part of the Luccan state along with the river port of Motrone, and was held until 1430. At that time it passed back to Genova until 1484, when the Medicis took control of Florence.

In 1494, Charles VIII of France took control of the town. It remained a Luccan town again until Pope Leo X gave Pietrasanta back to the Medicis.

The town suffered a long period of a decadence during the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, partially due to malaria. In 1841, the Granduke of Tuscany, Leopold II di Lorena promoted several reconstruction projects (including the building of schools specially created to teach carving skills, and the reopening of the once famous quarries), which brought back much of the town’s former glory.

The town then became the ‘capoluogo’ (capital) of the ‘Vicariato di Pietrasanta’, which included the towns of Forte dei Marmi, Seravezza and Stazzema (this region became the historical heart of Versilia). Finally, with the Plebiscite, the town joined the Italian Kingdom (Regno d’Italia).

The area, like most of Tuscany in general, has long enjoyed the patronage of artists. Pietrasanta grew to importance during the 15th century, mainly due to its connection with marble. Michelangelo was the first sculptor to recognize the beauty of the local stone.

Today, the sculptor Fernando Botero has a residence in the comune.
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