

**EUROPEAN NETWORK OF HEALTH CARE CHAPLAINCY
9th CONSULTATION
LISBON, PORTUGAL 17-21 May 2006**

“Building Bridges – Growing Hope”

PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY 17 MAY

Arrivals
Evening meal
Informal social gathering

THURSDAY 18 MAY

8.00 am
Breakfast

9.00 – 9.30 am

Opening Ceremony

Conducted by Fr.J. Nuno Ferreira da Silva (Portugal) and Chaplain Kathleen O’Conner (Ireland) .

9.30 am

Official visit of Secretary of State for Health

10:15 –10.45 am

Session 1

Welcome from Fr Nuno Ferreira da Silva (Portugal)

Who are we? (Introduction of participants)

Moderated by Rev. Fred Coutts (Scotland)

10.45 am

Coffee

11.15 –12.30 pm

Session 1 (Continues)

Introductions Continue

Coordinator’s Report

Fr. Stavros Kofinas (Ecumenical Patriarchate)

1.00 pm

Lunch

2.30 – 4.00 pm

Session 2

Building bridges with the European Union (EU)

Fr Stavros Kofinas (Ecumenical Patriarchate)

Chaplain Anne Vandenhoeck (Belgium)

4.00 pm

Tea/Coffee

4.30 – 6.00 pm

Session 3

Building bridges across cultures and faiths

Contributions from participants on the theme

Open discussion – dialogue;

Coordinated by Rev Anne Miller-Lauprete (France)

7.00 pm

Dinner

FRIDAY 19 MAY

7.30 am Opportunities for prayer

8.00 am Breakfast

9.00 – 10.30 am

Session 5

Building bridges between theology and pastoral care

Orthodox, Catholic, Protestant short contributions about theology and pastoral health care

Coordinated by Anne Vandenhoeck (Belgium)

10.30 am Coffee

11.00 – 12.30 pm

Session 6

Building bridges with the Medical Community

Palliative Care in Europe and the spiritual health care giver

Coordinated by Rev. David Mitchell (Scotland)

1.00 pm Lunch

Visit to Lisbon

Traditional Restaurant/Fado Night

SATURDAY 20 MAY

7.30 am Opportunities for prayer

8.00 am Breakfast

9.00 – 10.30 am

Session 7

Building bridges across the Atlantic

Coordinated by Ms. Josephine Schrader, Executive Director of the Association of Professional Chaplains (USA)

10.30 am Coffee

11.00 – 12.30 pm

Session 8

Building bridges amongst ourselves

Further networking between countries, associations, churches in the area of spiritual health care

1.00 pm Lunch

2.30 – 4.00 pm

Session 9

Open Forum

Designation of Next Consultation

4.00 pm Tea/Coffee

4.30 pm

Session 10

Elections of Network Committee Members

7.00 pm Reception

7.30 pm

Formal Dinner

Festa!!!!

SUNDAY 21 MAY

Leave for home