

3RD MULTI-STAKEHOLDER

Symposium ON IMPROVING
PATIENTS' ACCESS
TO RARE DISEASE
THERAPIES

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM



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**Let's make a pact to ensure patients' sustainable access
to rare disease therapies**

DRAFT PROGRAMME

DAY 1: Wednesday, 13 February 2019

(morning session live video streamed)

09.00 to 17.00

09.00 – 11.00	INTRODUCTION & OPENING PLENARY SESSION <i>Why a pact?</i>
09.00 – 09.15	Opening
09.15 – 09.30	Welcome and opening remarks Yann Le Cam, Chief Executive Officer, EURORDIS
09.30 – 09.40	Patient testimony
09.40 – 09.50	Overall framework for investment in life sciences developments for rare disease therapies
09.50 – 10.20	<i>Coffee break</i>
10.20 – 12.00	PANEL discussion: outlining interests by the key constituencies
12.00 – 13.00	Presentations on areas of agreement and remaining challenges
13.00 – 14.00	<i>Lunch</i>
14.00 – 15.30	Interactive parallel sessions
	BREAKOUT SESSION 1 A new blueprint to spend efficiently and fast-track R&D
	BREAKOUT SESSION 2 Early dialogue and cooperation within and between healthcare systems on the determination of value of a medicine and on patient access
15.30 – 16.00	<i>Coffee break</i>
16.00 – 16.30	Feedback session (plenary)
16.30 – 17.00	Wrap-up Day 1

DAY 2: Thursday, 14 February 2019

09.00 – 14.30

09.00 – 09.15	Welcome back: take home messages from Day 1 and expectations for Day 2
09.30 – 11.00	Interactive parallel sessions
	BREAKOUT SESSION 3 A transparent European cooperation framework between national healthcare systems for the determination of fair prices and of sustainable healthcare budget impacts
	BREAKOUT SESSION 4 A continuum approach to evidence generation linked to healthcare budget spending
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee break
11.30 – 12.00	Feedback session (plenary)
12.00 – 13.30	CLOSING PLENARY: From design to implementation
12.00 – 13.00	Panel discussion
13.00 – 13.30	Wrap-up & concrete next steps: EURORDIS
13.30 – 14.30	Farewell lunch