



TOWARDS A MORE RESILIENT AGEING POPULATION IN EUROPE:

BUILDING A COALITION ON STRUCTURAL HEART DISEASE

ONLINE EVENT

MARCH 1, 2021

09:30 AM - 11:00 AM CET

CO-HOSTED BY MEP BRANDO BENIFEI (S&D, ITALY) & MEP MARIA DA GRAÇA CARVALHO (EPP, PORTUGAL)

09:30 - 09:40

WHY SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF STRUCTURAL HEART DISEASE? BECAUSE WE CAN

Brando Benifei (S&D, Italy), Co-Chair of the MEP Heart Group

09:40 - 10:00

ON CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE: REPRIORITIZATION IS NEEDED

Prof. José Zamorano, Head of Cardiology, University Hospital Ramon y Cajal, Madrid (Spain)

10:00 - 10:10

AGE IS NOT A DIAGNOSIS: DETECTING AGE RELATED DISEASES

Prof. Dr. Hans-Jürgen Heppner, President der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Geriatrie (Germany)

10:10 - 10:55

BUILDING A COALITION ON STRUCTURAL HEART DISEASES

María Esther Carmona (Spanish Socialist Worker's Party, Spain), Senator

Sonia Fregolent (Lega, Italy), Senator

Annie Vidal (LREM, France), Member of the Parliament

Helmut Geuking (ECR, Germany), Member of the European Parliament

Steve McCabe (Labour, UK), Member of the Parliament

Els Van Hoof (CD&V, Belgium), Member of the Parliament

11:55 - 11:00

MAKING SHD DETECTION A REALITY: LAUNCHING AN SHD COALITION

Maria da Graça Carvalho (EPP, Portugal), Co-Chair of the MEP Heart Group

Event moderated by Tamsin Rose, Director Progress Works

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