



**CoRE Scientific Conference**  
**Patients as Partners for Health:**  
**Co-Creating Equitable Access to Health Products and Services**  
**5 - 6 October 2022**  
**8.30 am to 4.30 pm SGT**

**Day 1 – 5 October, Wednesday**

	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Speaker/ Organisation</b>
8.30 am	Registration	
9.00 am	Welcome remarks by Scientific Chair	<b>Adj Prof John Skerritt</b> Adjunct Professor, University of Sydney Deputy Secretary, Australian Department of Health Special Advisor, CoRE Advisory Board Australia
9.10 am	Welcome remarks by Scientific Vice Chair	<b>Dr Lembit Rago</b> Secretary-General Council for International Organizations of Medical Sciences (CIOMS) Switzerland
9.15 am	Opening speech by Guest of Honour	<b>Dr Janil Puthucheary</b> Senior Minister of State Ministry of Communications and Information & Ministry of Health Singapore
9.30 am	Plenary I - Patients as Active Partners in The Development, Regulation, and Use of Medicines	<p><b><u>Session chair</u></b> <b>Prof John Lim</b> Executive Director Centre of Regulatory Excellence (CoRE) Duke-NUS Medical School Singapore</p> <p><b><u>Speakers &amp; Panellists</u></b> <b>Dr Margaret Hamburg</b> Chair, CoRE Advisory Board Former Commissioner U.S. Food And Drug Administration United States of America</p> <p><b>Dr Juan Garcia Burgos</b> Head Public and Stakeholders Engagement Department Stakeholders and Communication Division European Medicines Agency (EMA) The Netherlands</p> <p><b>Dr Yasuhiro Fujiwara</b> Chief Executive Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices Agency Japan</p>

		<b>Mr François Houyez</b> Director Treatment Information and Access European Organisation for Rare Diseases (EURORDIS) France
<b>10.30 am Tea Break</b>		
<b>10.45 am</b>	<b>Session 1 – Preclinical and Clinical Development</b>	<b>Session Chair</b> <b>Dr Joseph Scheeren</b> Founder Scheeren HealthCare LLC Special Advisor, Former President and Chief Executive Officer Critical Path Institute (C-Path) United States of America  <b>Speakers &amp; Panellists</b> <b>Dr Joseph Scheeren</b> Scheeren HealthCare LLC  <b>Dr Kimberley Kallsen</b> Head of Global Clinical Development and Operations and Site Engagement Boehringer Ingelheim Germany  <b>Ms Helen Green</b> Senior Director Patient Experience Syneos Health United Kingdom  <b>Panellists</b> <b>Mr Jan Geissler</b> Founder and CEO Patvocates Germany  <b>Mr François Houyez</b> Director Treatment Information and Access European Organisation for Rare Diseases (EURORDIS) France
<b>11.45 am</b>	<b>Session 2 – Benefit and Risk Assessment</b>	<b>Session Chair</b> <b>Mr Michael Gropp</b> Member CoRE Advisory Board United States of America  <b>Speaker &amp; Panellists</b> <b>Ms Marilyn Metcalf</b> Senior Director Patient Engagement

GSK  
United States of America

**Dr Iris Conela Tagaro**  
Head, Clinical Research Section  
FDA Philippines

**Panellists**

**Dra Rr Maya Gustina Andarini**  
Deputy for Control of Drugs, Narcotics,  
Psychotropics, Precursors and Addictive  
Substances  
Badan POM Indonesia

**Dr Marco Greco**  
President  
European Patients' Forum

12.45 pm Lunch  
1.00 pm Lunch Talk: Unlocking the Potential of Gene  
Therapy for Rare Diseases

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2.00 pm Session 3 – HTA and Access

**Session chair**

**Ms Fiona Pearce**  
Senior Advisor  
HTA and Consumer Engagement and Education  
Agency for Care Effectiveness (ACE)  
Ministry of Health  
Singapore

**Speakers & Panellists**

**Ms Ann Single**  
Chair  
HTAi Patient and Citizen Involvement in HTA  
Interest Group  
Coordinator/Advisory Committee Member Patient  
Voice Initiative  
Australia

**Dr Annabelle Borromeo**  
Director  
The Centre for Nurse Impact and Patient  
Outcomes Action Lab  
Philippines

**Dr Sophie Werkö**  
Manager International Relations & Patient  
Engagement  
SBU, Swedish Council on Health Technology  
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**Panellists**

**Dr Yot Teerawattananon**  
Founder

		<p>Thai Ministry of Public Health's Health Intervention &amp; Technology Assessment Program (HITAP) Co-founder, Asia's Health Technology Assessment (HTA) Network (HTAsiaLink) &amp; International Decision Support Initiative (iDSI) Thailand</p> <p><b>Mr Richard Vines</b> Founder and Chairman Rare Cancers Australia</p>
<b>3.00pm</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>	
<b>3.15 pm</b>	<b>Session 4 – Communication in Safety and Healthcare Delivery</b>	<p><b>Session chair</b> <b>Dr Juan Garcia Burgos</b> EMA</p> <p><b>Speakers &amp; Panellists</b> <b>Dr Juan Garcia Burgos</b> EMA</p> <p><b>Ms Ai Ling Sim-Devadas</b> Patient Mentor SingHealth Patient Advocacy Network (SPAN) Global Patient and Family Advisory Board Member Beryl Institute Singapore</p> <p><b>Ms Adena Lim</b> Deputy Director (Vigilance &amp; Compliance) Health Sciences Authority (HSA) Singapore</p> <p><b>Dr Marco Greco</b> President European Patients' Forum</p>
<b>4.30pm</b>	<b>End of Day 1</b>	

## Day 2 – 6 October, Thursday

	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Speaker/ Organisation</b>
<b>9.00 am</b>	<b>Plenary II – Putting the Patient at the Forefront of Patient Engagement</b>	<p><b>Session Chair</b> <b>Mr Rajakanth R</b> Principal Consultant Manifeste LLP Executive Director Rainbow Across Borders Ltd Singapore</p> <p><b>Speakers &amp; Panellists</b> <b>Prof Carmencita D Padilla</b> College of Medicine University of Philippines</p> <p><b>Dr Elisabeth Ohrlein</b></p>

		<p>Founder and CEO Applied Patient Experience, LLC United States of America</p> <p><b>Adj Prof Tarun Weeramanthri</b> President Public Health Association of Australia Governing Council, World Federation of Public Health Association School of Population and Global Health University of Western Australia</p>
9.50 am	<b>Session 5 – Strengthening the Culture of Patient Engagement in Health Systems in the Region</b>	<p><b><u>Session chair</u></b> <b>Ms Nidhi Swarup</b> Founder and President Crohn's and Colitis Society of Singapore</p> <p><b><u>Speakers &amp; Panellists</u></b> <b>Mr Rajakanth R</b> Rainbow Across Borders Ltd</p> <p><b>Ms Nidhi Swarup</b> Crohn's and Colitis Society of Singapore</p> <p><b><u>Panellists</u></b> <b>Ms Jenny Zhang</b> Director of International Affairs House086 (China Lymphoma Patient Group) China</p> <p><b>Ms Doreen Tan</b> Global Specialty Care Public Affairs Lead for China and International Sanofi Malaysia</p> <p><b>Dra Lucky Slamet</b> Former Head National Agency of Food and Drug Control Indonesia</p>
10.40 am	<b>Tea Break</b>	
10.55 am	<b>Session 6 – Using Patient-Generated Health Data (PGHD) and Real-World Evidence (RWE) to Accelerate Patient Engagement</b>	<p><b><u>Session Chair</u></b> <b>Adj Prof Meredith Smith</b> Senior Director Implementation Science Group Lead Patient-Centered Research Evidera, Inc. PPD, a part of Thermo Fisher Scientific Adjunct Professor School of Pharmacy University of Southern California</p> <p><b><u>Speakers &amp; Panellists</u></b> <b>Adj Prof Meredith Smith</b> Evidera, Inc.</p>

**Dr Mehmet Burcu**

Senior Principal Scientist  
Epidemiology  
Merck

**Dr Laura Pizzi**

Associate Chief Science Officer  
International Society for Pharmacoeconomics  
and Outcomes (ISPOR)

**Panellists**

**Dr Soren Skovlund**

Senior Director, Head, Patient Engagement  
Patient-Centered Research, Evidera, Inc.  
PPD, a part of Thermo Fisher Scientific

**11.45 am Session 7 – Development Priorities for Patient  
Engagement in Asia-Pacific**

**Session Chair**

**Asst Prof James Leong**

Head  
Health Products and Regulatory Science  
Centre of Regulatory Excellence  
Duke-NUS Medical School  
Singapore

**Speakers & Panellists**

**Ms Tan Ping-Tee**

Senior Specialist  
Consumer Engagement and Education (CEE)  
Agency for Care Effectiveness (ACE)  
Ministry of Health  
Singapore

**Mr Richard Vines**

Founder and Chairman  
Rare Cancers Australia

**Mr Satoshi Miki**

Board Member  
Patient and Public Involvement  
Japan

**Panellists**

**Mr Neil Wildman**

Senior Director Patient Advocacy  
Asia Pacific and Africa Middle East  
Team Lead  
Pfizer  
Australia

**Dr Izzuna Mudla**

Deputy Director  
Medical Development Division, Ministry of  
Health Malaysia  
Head, Malaysian Health Technology  
Assessment Section (MaHTAS)

Malaysia

12.45 pm	Lunch	
1.00pm	Lunch Talk: Key findings of the EIU White Paper – Implications for Patient Engagement across Asia-Pacific	Sponsored by Johnson & Johnson
2.00pm	Session 8 – Building and Using Regional Multi-Stakeholder Platforms to Progress Patient Engagement in the Region	<p><b>Session chair</b>  <b>Dr Lembit Rago</b>  Secretary-General  Council for International Organizations of Medical Sciences (CIOMS)  Switzerland</p> <p><b>Speakers &amp; Panellists</b>  <b>Dr Lembit Rago</b>  CIOMS</p> <p><b>Dr Ritu Jain</b>  Co-chair  Agency for Care Effectiveness Consumer Panel  President, DEBRA International &amp; DEBRA Singapore</p> <p><b>Panellists</b>  <b>Dr Jinho Shin</b>  Medical Officer/Acting Coordinator  Essential Medicines and Health Technologies (EMT)  Division of Health Systems and Services (DHS)  World Health Organization Regional Office for the Western Pacific</p> <p><b>Ms Ranjit Kaur Pritam Singh</b>  Immediate Past President, Breast Cancer Welfare Association Malaysia  Founding President of Together Against Cancer Association Malaysia  Board Member, Reach to Recovery International  Board Member, Advanced Breast Cancer Global Alliance</p> <p><b>Dr Nichiren Pillai</b>  Medical Affairs Lead Malaysia &amp; Singapore  Boehringer Ingelheim  Malaysia</p>
3.00pm	Tea Break	
3.15pm	Closing Plenary – Reflecting on the Draft Consensus Statement and Next Steps	<p><b>Session Chair</b>  <b>Adj Prof John Skerritt</b>  Adjunct Professor, University of Sydney  Deputy Secretary, Australian Department of Health  Special Advisor, CoRE Advisory Board</p>

Australia

**Panellists**

**Prof John Lim**  
CoRE

**Dr Lembit Rago**  
CIOMS

**Mr Ekawat Suwantaroj**  
Committee  
Hemophilia Foundation of Thailand

**Ms Fatima Lorenzo**  
Co-founder and Board of Advisers  
Philippine Alliance of Patient Organizations  
Co-Founder, Kythe Foundation Inc.  
Philippines

4.30pm End of Conference