



Committee - Report for Council

Allied Healthcare Professionals (AHP) Committee

(Date of completion 04.10.20 Jackie Falconer)

Committee Members and Mandates

Name	Email address	Date of entry	1 st Term	2 nd Term	Positions held within Committee (e.g. Secretary, AHP or Trainee representative etc.)	Dates held of these positions
Sarah Macdonald	Sarah.Macdonald@gosh.nhs.uk	2012	2015-2018	2018-2021	Secretary	2015-2018
Paula Crespo Escobar	paula_crespo@iislafe.es	2017	2017-2020	2020-2023	Ethics committee representative	2017-2020
Elena Banci	Elena.banci@gmail.com	2020	2020-2023		Education representative	2020-2023
Jackie Falconer	jackie.falconer@chelwest.nhs.uk	2018	2018-2021		Chair	2018-2021
Ines Asseiceira	inesasseiceira@gmail.com	2019	2019-2022		Committee member	2019-2022

Summary of Activities in 2020

A. Committee meetings (date and any main points/activities)

One table per meeting – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Meeting	AHP course World Congress – cancelled Covid-19
Location	
Date	
Main Points / Activities	

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Meeting	AHP summer school Valencia – cancelled Covid-19
Location	
Date	
Main Points / Activities	

Meeting	Virtual committee meetings
Location	
Date	
Main Points / Activities	Strategy planning of AHP activities including ways to continue increasing membership. Planning of future AHP summer schools 2021/2022. Identifying opportunities for AHP involvement in ESPGHAN activities, research etc. AHP award finalisation

Outlook on Planned Activity for 2020/2021

A. Committee meetings (date and any main points/activities)

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Meeting	AHP Committee meeting including GI/Nutrition/Hepatology Reps
Location	London - due to travel restrictions will be a virtual meeting. London reps may be able to meet up within Covid restrictions with others joining by virtual platform
Date	December 2020 - TBC
Main Points / Activities	Strategy planning of AHP activities including ways to continue increasing membership especially with lack of face to face meetings and promotion of membership. Final planning of AHP summer school program 2021. Identifying opportunities for AHP involvement in ESPGHAN activities, research etc.

B. Membership activities

Activity	PAC activities – increased involvement with SPINK re patient support groups and on-going support and promotion of AHP activities and education.
Location	
Date	On-going
Organizer	AHP PAC rep Analou Sugar – term to end 2021 – agreed if no replacement then will do a further year
more information if available	

C. Proposed Committee Publications / Guidelines / Position Papers

(one table per publication – please just copy and paste the tables as often as needed)

Full Publication Title	Blended Diet in GI Paediatrics			
Publication Timeline and Status of Application of Paper	Joint paper with CON. Members from CON and AHP identified. Lead authors Jutta Koeglmeier (CON) and Sarah MacDonald (AHP) First draft TBA.			
Publication Leader				
Publication Type	<input type="checkbox"/> Guideline	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Position Paper	<input type="checkbox"/> Update of existing paper	<input type="checkbox"/> Other



Full Publication Title	AHP Award			
Publication Timeline and Status of Application of Paper	<p>First AHP award up to value £5000.</p> <p>To support an AHP (ESPGHAN member) who wishes to visit another unit within Europe for the purpose of observation of a practice not available in his/her institution, participate in a short project/audit or observe an extended role of an AHP”</p> <p>Agreed Council meeting May 2020</p> <p>Selection and scoring criteria agreed by committee. To be approved by council before submission to rules and regulations</p> <p>Deadline for application 31.3.21</p>			
Publication Leader				
Publication Type	<input type="checkbox"/> Guideline	<input type="checkbox"/> Position Paper	<input type="checkbox"/> Update of existing paper	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

D. Educational activities

(i) Educational Events

Full Event Name	AHP Summer school		
Location	Worcester College, Oxford, UK		
Date	9 th -12 th September2021		
Organizer	Local organisers Jackie Falconer and Sarah MacDonald		
Email Organizer	Jackie.falconer@chelwest.nhs.uk ; joaquin_calvo@iislafe.es		
EPP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
UEG Training Support	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
more information if available	Council awarded 35,000 euros for school – Numbers maximum 30. Social activities, catering on site etc. scaled back to ensure keep within budget. Had hoped to increase to 40 delegates as demand very high for last school 2019 and this may have been possible in Valencia due to lower costs.		

D. Financial Report / Budget for 2019:

Request 7,500 euros as for 2019/20.

To cover winter committee meeting (now includes reps from GI/Nutrition/Hepatology and PAC)

+ Committee conference calls x 4

Plan for second committee meeting (March/April) – not happened this year due to Covid-19

