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Invitation to the 19th meeting of the Expert Group (EG) on Alcohol and Substance Abuse (ASA EG)

The Northern Dimension Partnership in Public Health and Social Well-being (NDPHS)

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to present this invitation to the Nineteenth meeting of the EG on Alcohol and Substance Abuse (ASA EG) for the NDPHS, in Copenhagen, on October 10-11, 2019. The WHO European Office for the Prevention and Control of Noncommunicable Diseases (NCD Office) has kindly agreed to host the meeting.

The aim of this meeting is to discuss the ongoing activities, preparation of the thematic reports, NDPHS evaluation and ASA EG actions for 2020. The WHO EURO activities related to the implementation of the Global strategy to reduce harmful use of Alcohol and the WHO European Action Plan will be also presented at the meeting.

As always we will have a tour de table presentations from the participant countries and invited guests. You are most welcome to propose additional topics for discussion (please communicate them to me before the meeting, if possible). The agenda of the meeting and other related documents will follow shortly.

The EG meeting will take place on October 10, starting at 10.00 AM and will end on October 11, at around 14.00 PM. The location of the meeting will be at the WHO Regional Office for Europe, UN City, Marmorvej 51, Copenhagen, room 0.9.32.

In order to confirm your participation at the meeting, you are expected to **fill in the on-line registration form in the address https://www.ndphs.org/?mtgs,asa_19_copenhagen**, not later than September 27th.

We look forward to interesting and fruitful discussions that will bring our work and Partnership a further step forward.

Yours sincerely,

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