Programme
for an International Expert Meeting
on
"Monitoring Long Term Care of the Elderly"

at
The Moriah Classic Hotel (formerly the Novotel),
St. George Street, Jerusalem

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Monday, 7th September 2009

08.30-09.00  Registration

09.00-09.15  Opening of the Expert Meeting
Greetings by:
Minister of Social Affairs & Services, MK Isaac Herzog
Professor Bernd Marin, Executive Director, European
   Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research, Vienna
Chair: Avraham Lavine
Director, Department of International Relations
Ministry of Social Affairs and Services

09.15-10.15  Keynote Presentation Facts and Figures on Long-Term Care
European Centre Long-term Care Team
(Dr Manfred Huber, Ricardo Rodrigues, Frederique Hoffmann)
Discussant:
Stefanie Bluth, Associate Expert
UNECE
Switzerland

10.15-10.45  Coffee Break

10.45-12.15  The basket of services provided for LTC at home
Professor Hillel Schmid
Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Strategic dimensions for the provision of LTC at home in the context of European elder care regimes
Dr Giovanni Lamura
I.N.R.C.A.-Istituto Nazionale di Riposo e Cura per Anziani
   Istituto di Ricovero e Cura a Carattere Scientifico
Centre of Socio-economic Gerontological Research
Italy
Discussant:
Ricardo Rodrigues
European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research
Vienna
Monday, 7th September 2009 (continued)

12.15-13.00   *The quality of care in out of home facilities*

Miriam Bar-Giora  
Director, Service for the Aged  
Ministry of Social Affairs and Services

Discussant:
Frédérique Hoffmann  
European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research  
Vienna

13.00-14.30   *Lunch*

14.30-16.00   *Community-based services*

Professor Yitzhak Brick  
University of Haifa and Director-General  
ESHEL, Association for Planning and Development of  
Services for the Elderly

*Formal care versus home care in Europe*  
Diane Lequet-Slama  
DREES, Direction de la Recherche, de l’Evaluation, des  
Etudes et des Statistique  
Ministry of Social Affairs, Labour and Solidarity  
France

16.00-16.30   *Coffee Break*

16.30-17.15   *Home care versus institutional care*

Jenny Brodsky  
JDC-Myers Brookdale Institute, Jerusalem

Discussant:
Dr Sabina Littmann-Wernli  
Director, Research and Evaluation Sector  
Federal Social Insurance Office, Switzerland
Tuesday, 8th September 2009
On-site visits to Ashdod and Ashkelon

08.00-09.30  Depart Moriah Classic Hotel, Jerusalem  
Travel to Ashdod

09.30-10.30  Visit the Social and Occupational Centre for Russian Immigrants,  
5, Harav Kook Street, Ashdod  
and the Social and Occupational Centre for Ethiopian Immigrants  
3, Shlomo ben Yosef Street, Ashdod  
Accompanied by JDC-Eshel staff: Yehudit Glick, 0506847066

10.30-11.30  Visit Day Care Centre for the Elderly, Beit Aviv,  
15, Keren Kayemet LeYisrael Street, Ashdod.  
Director of the centre: Rinat Grinfield,  
Chairman of the Association for the Elderly: Dr. Sara Levin,  
Accompanied by JDC-Eshel staff: Maggie Gad, 0507316211

11.45–13.30  Visit Old Age Home (including lunch), Harav Nissim Street, Ashdod  
Director, Aliza Pazarker, 08-8541766  
Accompanied by JDC-Eshel staff: Dr. Pnina Guttman-Frish, 053670044

13.30–14.00  Proceed to Ashkelon

14.00–15.15  Visit Supportive Community for the Elderly with Ariela Sadon, Director of Services for the Elderly and Hadas Cohen, Coordinator of Supportive Communities, Ashkelon Municipality  
Accompanied by JDC-Eshel staff: Vicky Mevorach, 0509557103

15.30–16.30  Visit Warm Home programme at the Smokler family residence, 10/22 Eli Hacohen Street, Ashkelon.  
Accompanied by JDC-Eshel Staff: Sofia Borisov, 0505638347

16.30  Return to Jerusalem
Wednesday, 9th September 2009

09.00-10.15  *Law on the promotion of personal autonomy and care for dependent persons in Spain*

Mr Manuel Montero Rey  
International Service Manager, IMSERSO (Institute for the Elderly and Social Services), Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs  
Spain  

Direct Payments in Long Term Care in Europe  
Sylvie Cohu  
DREES, Direction de la Recherche, de l’Evaluation, des Etudes et des Statistique  
Ministry of Social Affairs, Labour and Solidarity  
France

10.15-11.15  *The role of foreign workers in care-giving*

Dr Esther Iecovich  
Senior Lecturer and Former Head, Master’s Programme in Gerontology, Ben Gurion University, Beer Sheva  
Discussant:  
Dr Giovanni Lamura  
I.N.R.C.A  
Italy

11.15-11.45  *Coffee Break*

11.45-13.15  *Assisted living facilities, including reinforcement of community-based services to afford quality of life and neighbourhood security for extended periods of time*

Aryeh Rothstein  
Deputy Director-General  
Mishan - Quality Senior Living

13.15-14.30  *Lunch*

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14.30-15.15 Supervision of geriatric facilities for the elderly
Dr Sarah Levy
National Chief Geriatric Nurse, Ministry of Health

  Discussant:
  Ewa Chylek
  Senior Expert
  Ministry of Labour and Social Policy
  Poland

15.15-16.00 A planned and logical continuum of services and living provisions for the elderly
Professor Yossi Katan
Tel Aviv University

16.00-16.30  Coffee Break
16.30-17.30 Rapporteurs Report
Dr Manfred Huber
Discussion and Summing-up