



*The Intensive Connection*

### Thematic Session 1

## The role and value of diagnosis in the management of severe infections

Date: March 31, 2023

Time: 13:00 -17:00 h Central European Time

### 13:00 Welcome and introduction

*Speakers: A. CONWAY MORRIS & C. MCKENZIE*

### 13:20 "Ask the audience" – what do you find hardest in early management /panel discussion on 'early challenges'

*Speaker: J. DE WAELE*

*Moderators: E. AFONSO & A. CONWAY MORRIS*

### 13:35 Bug spotting: clinical and microbiological diagnosis in infection INCLUDING:

#### 13:35 Microbiology (30')

*Speakers: A. CONWAY MORRIS & G. DE ANGELIS*

*Moderators: M. GIRARDIS & C. MCKENZIE*

#### 14:05 Pitfalls (20')

*Speakers: A. CONWAY MORRIS & G. DE ANGELIS*

*Moderators: J. DE WAELE & R. FERRER*

#### 14:25 Q&A (10')

### 14:35 Clinical application and integration of the old and new methodologies INCLUDING:

#### 14:35 Clinical application (30')

*Speakers: E. AFONSO & A. CONWAY MORRIS & C. MCKENZIE*

*Moderators: S. CALVINO GUNTHER & E. CASTRO-SANCHEZ*

#### 15:05 Clinical cases in AMS 1: Integrating microbiological diagnostics into your practice (20')

*Speakers: E. AFONSO & G. DE ANGELIS & J. DE WAELE & B. O'FARRELL*

*Moderators: M. GIRARDIS & C. ROGER*

#### 15:25 Q&A (10')

### 15:35 BREAK

### 15:45 Sepsis biomarkers – are they helpful?

*Speakers: R. FERRER & C. ROGER*

*Moderators: A. CONWAY MORRIS & B. O'FARRELL*

### 16:15 Clinical cases in AMS 2: Difficult to diagnose infections- Panel discussion

*Speakers: S. CALVINO GUNTHER & E. CASTRO-SANCHEZ & J. DE WAELE & M. GIRARDIS & C. MCKENZIE*

*Moderators: E. AFONSO & A. CONWAY MORRIS & C. ROGER*

### 16:45 Final Q&A and wrap up

*Speaker: A. CONWAY MORRIS*

*Moderator: M. GIRARDIS*

### 17:00 END of session