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 Conference language: English

Pre-conference workshops

Wed, 09/09/15, 2:00–5:00 pm

- Implementing an ACP program
- How to do ACP discussions – facilitator training
- Research workshops with leading researchers
- ACP in family practice
- Consumer engagement in ACP

Opening ceremony

Wed, 09/09/15, 5:30–8:00 pm

with **Annette Widmann-Mauz**, Parliamentary State Secretary to the German Federal Minister of Health, Berlin

Keynotes:

- ACP – Key to Patient-Centred Care
- ACP in Australia und New Zealand

Panel Discussion:

ACP in Europe – what are we waiting for, what does it take?

Sessions with international experts

- Incorporating ACP into health care systems
- Health economic & ethical considerations
- ACP & Palliative Care
- Patient-specific and setting-specific ACP
- Validity of ACP & quality management
- Evaluation of & research on ACP

Parallel workshops

- ACP in Palliative Care
- Evaluation and outcomes of ACP
- Facilitator training
- Documenting the ACP process
- Consumer engagement in ACP

Venue

Ludwig-Maximilians University Munich

Main building / „Lichthof“
 Geschwister-Scholl-Platz 1
 D-80539 Munich, Germany
 Website: www.en.uni-muenchen.de

Registration

Online on www.acpel2015.org
 ⇒ Registration & Accommodation ⇒ Registration

Early-Bird registration until June 1, 2015!

	Early Bird until June 1, 2015	Standard from June 2, 2015
Physicians (Member*)	390.00 €	490.00 €
Physicians (Non Member*)	530.00 €	640.00 €
Others** (Member*)	270.00 €	350.00 €
Others** (Non Member*)	370.00 €	460.00 €
Students	90.00 €	140.00 €

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* Register for the ACPEL-Society during the conference registration process via www.acpel2015.org; confer also www.acpelsociety.com

** e.g. nurses, social workers and chaplains

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5th International Conference on Advance Care Planning and End of Life Care

9–12 September 2015
 Munich, Germany

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ACP – Key to Patient-Centred Care



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Organizer:

Institute of Ethics, History and Theory of Medicine
 Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich

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**Advance Care Planning:
Key to Patient-Centred Care**

It is a great honour and pleasure to invite you to the **5th International Conference on Advance Care Planning and End of Life Care** at the Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich, Germany!

Advance Care Planning (ACP) is a systematic approach to ensure that the preferences of patients incapable of decision-making are routinely known and respected throughout the health care system. It involves a life-long communication process facilitated by specifically qualified personnel assisting individuals to develop, articulate and document their values, goals and treatment preferences for future medical care. In addition, ACP requires regional and institutional implementation procedures to ensure that the resulting plans are available and honoured reliably across all health care. As a means to promote patient-centred care, ACP continues to gain increasing importance in almost all medical fields and care settings.

What characterizes good quality ACP and how can ACP be incorporated into a health care system? What can we learn from successful ACP implementations all over the world? What are patient-specific and setting-specific challenges for ACP? Which legal and ethical questions need to be addressed? And what are the national and regional health policy requirements to make ACP an integral part of routine health care?

These and other questions will be discussed at the 5th International ACPEL-Conference in Munich, Germany. We seek to bring together practitioners, researchers and policy makers from various countries around the world to make the conference a stimulating forum to gain new ideas and insights on how to develop, implement and improve Advance Care Planning.

Looking forward to seeing you in Munich!


Georg Marckmann
Chair, Local Organising Committee


Jürgen in der Schmitt
Chair, Scientific Committee

Main topics include:

1. How to implement good quality ACP

Understanding and optimizing the processes (e.g. facilitation of discussions, quality management), learning from successful programs all over the world, incorporating ACP into health care systems ...

2. Patient-specific challenges

Palliative care, geriatrics/dementia, oncology, chronic diseases, pediatrics, psychiatry ...

3. ACP in different settings

Primary care, hospitals, nursing homes, hospice and palliative care ...

4. Research on ACP

Program evaluation through randomized controlled trials, evaluation of micro-processes, ethical and legal challenges, current findings and future trends ...

Who should attend?

Physicians, nurses, policy makers, legal practitioners, researchers, social workers, chaplains, and other health care professionals working in areas including:

- End-of-life & palliative care
- Primary care
- Hospital care
- Critical care
- Care of the elderly / nursing homes
- Ethics & Spiritual Care
- Social services
- Policy development

Plenary speakers / session chairs

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| L. van den Block (NL) | I. Korlage (NL) |
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| I. Chung (SIN) | K. Kühlmeyer (GER) |
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