

LECTURES ON PUBLIC HEALTH

6TH SERIES OF LECTURES

ATHENS 2020-2021



**Institute
of Public Health**

PROGRAM OF LECTURES 2020 - 2021

- Wednesday
October 7, 2020
- COVID-19 PANDEMIC: SECOND WAVE
ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION**
- 19:00 - 19:10 **INTRODUCTION**
Panagiotis Behrakis
Pneumologist - Intensivist
Director, Institute of Public Health
American College of Greece
- LECTURES
- 19:10 - 19:35 **COVID-19 epidemiology: what we know
and what we're not so sure about**
Theodore Lytras
Assistant Professor of Public Health,
European University of Cyprus
- 19:35 - 19:55 **COVID-19 pandemics: vaccines and therapeutic algorithms**
George Saroglou
Professor Emeritus, Internal Medicine & Infectious Diseases,
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens
- 19:55 - 20:15 **Latest data on pregnancy and COVID-19**
Stefanos Chandakas
Obstetrician-Gynecologist, Chairman of the Board of
Directors, MITERA Hospital, Athens
Founder & Chairman of HOPEgenesis
- Wednesday
October 21, 2020
- 19:00 - 20:00 **The burden of road traffic accidents in Greece**
Eleftherios Oikonomou
Deputy Minister of Citizen's Protection
- Driving behavior in Greece 2020: A national survey**
Panagiotis Behrakis
Director, Institute of Public Health
American College of Greece
- Wednesday
November 11, 2020
- 19:00 - 20:00 **Vaccinations for Children & Adolescents:
Past, Present & Future**
Maria Theodoridou
Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics,
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens
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- Wednesday
December 16, 2020
19:00 - 20:00
- The Role of Circadian Rhythm in Metabolic Disorders**
Melpomeni Peppas
Associate Professor of Endocrinology,
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens,
Director of Endocrine & Bone Metabolic Disorders Unit,
2nd Department of Internal Medicine Propaedeutic
Research Institute and Diabetes Center,
"Attikon" University Hospital, Athens, Greece
- Wednesday
January 20, 2021
19:00 - 20:00
- Education & preventive measures to avoid severe accidents
in children and adolescents**
Anastassios Hatzis
Pediatric Intensivist, Former PICU Director
"Saint Sophia" Children's Hospital, Athens, Greece
- Wednesday
March 17, 2021
19:00 - 20:00
- Transfusion Medicine: Current challenges in blood safety
and quality of blood in emergencies**
Constantina Politis
Associated Professor of Medicine,
National and Kapodistrian University of Athens,
Haematologist, Scientific Advisor of the Hellenic National
Public Health Organisation (EODY)
and the Coordinating Haemovigilance Centre & Surveillance
of Transfusion (SKAEM)
- Wednesday
April 14, 2021
19:00 - 20:00
- Sleep Disorders Medicine: The Advent of an Interdisciplinary
Field**
Contantin Soldatos
Professor of Psychiatry,
Honorary President of the Hellenic Sleep Research Society
- Sleep Apnea Syndrome: A Clinical Entity Underestimated
and Underdiagnosed**
Anastasia Amfilochiou
Pulmonologist,
Director, Sleep Study Unit, "Sismanogleio" General Hospital,
Athens, Greece

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Directed by **Professor Panagiotis Behrakis**, the Institute's main purpose is the development of scientific research, as well as educational and other promotional activities, in order to increase public awareness in the field of public health.

In this context, the Institute organizes every year a series of lectures on various public health topics.

The lectures are addressed to health professionals, school teachers, scientists, as well as the general public, and especially parents, interested in receiving up-to-date, scientifically proven information on crucial, current issues related to public health.

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