

Provisional Programme: Observatory Venice Summer School on EU integration and health systems 25- 31 July 2010

	Plenary lectures	Other plenary activities	Group work (8 groups)	Presentations by participants	Social activities				
	Sunday 25	Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday 29	Friday 30	Saturday 31		
Main topic of the day	Arrival and introduction	Institutional and regulatory framework	Economic integration and health systems' governance		Supportive policies and instruments		Departure		
9.00-10.30	ARRIVALS REGISTRATION (12:00 – 17:00)	Welcome by host Lecture A1: Context: building blocks on health systems	Lecture B1a: Free movement of health professionals	Lecture B3: Free movement of medical goods (pharmaceutical and medical devices)	C1a The use of structural funds for health	C1b Funding health-related research	C1c Regional cross-border collaborations	VISIT TO THE DOGE PALACE (optional)	
10.30-11.00		Lecture A2: The EU-Treaty and health	Lecture B1b: Health professional mobility in the EU		Lecture C4: The e-health and innovation agenda				
11.00-12.30		COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK			
12.30-14.00		Lecture A3: EU legal framework – policy perspective	Lecture B2a: Access to cross-border health care in the EU	Group Work III	Group Work IV	Group Work Conclusions I (Groups 1-4)			
		Presenting cases by participants							
		Group Picture LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH			
14.00-15.30		Introduction into the basics of the EU (optional)	The EU in times of crisis: part of the problem or the solution? High Level Policy Makers Round-table * EU Commission * WHO/Europe * Belgian EU Presidency * Veneto Region * European Parliament * National policy makers	Group Work II	Lecture B4a: Competition law in health care	Lecture C2: The Open Method of Coordination and the use of other soft law instruments to develop EU health policy	Group Work Conclusions II (Groups 5-8)		DEPARTURES
15.30-16.00		COFFEE BREAK		COFFEE BREAK		COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK		
16.00-16.30		Introduction into the basics of the EU (optional)	COFFEE BREAK	Lecture B2b: Free provision of health (care and insurance) services	GROUP EXCURSION TO PADUA "On the tracks of Giotto" Including dinner in centre of Padua	Lecture C3: Health Information and cross-sectoral action at EU level			
16.30-17.00			Lecture A4: Health policy in the EU	Departure to the WHO Office in Venice					
17.00-17.30	Official opening of the Observatory Venice Summer School		Group Work I	Welcome to WHO office in Venice (Erio Ziglio)		Departure to Hotel Westin Europa & Regina (San Marco)			
17.30-18.00				Panel discussion: Free movement in healthcare: striking a balance between individual rights and public interest?	Free evening	Certification ceremony Official closing			
18.00-19.00		Welcome Cocktail Dinner Reception Introduction of participants	How to make an effective scientific power point presentation (optional)						
19.00-19.30			RECEPTION / DINNER (WHO Office Venice)						
19.30-20.00					DINNER	FAREWELL DINNER			
20.00		DINNER							