



HELP in HELSINKI

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LEARNING and
PREVENTING in wound care



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Invitation

EWMA is pleased to announce the 19th Conference of the European Wound Management Association in cooperation with the Finnish Wound Care Society FWCS.

The theme of the conference is:

HEALING

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PREVENTING in wound care

The conference gives the participants an opportunity to benefit from high level scientific presentations, network with each other, exchange data and evaluate clinical practice.

The conference will be held in Helsinki, Finland at Helsinki Fair Centre, which is located in Itä-Pasila, a modern urban complex within easy reach of the city centre. The participants will therefore not only benefit from the scientific aspect of the conference but also from the beautiful location of the conference.

We look forward to welcoming you in Helsinki.

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PROGRAMME

The programme will consist of plenary sessions, key sessions, workshops and satellite symposia. The sessions will deal with advancement of education and research in relation to epidemiology, pathology, diagnosis, prevention and management of wounds.

FREE PAPER AND POSTER TOPICS

Free papers and posters can be submitted for any topic in Wound Healing and Wound Management.

Examples (in alphabetic order) from previous years:

- Burns
- Diabetic foot management
- Education in wound management
- Inflammatory ulcers
- Leg ulcer treatment
- Malignancy and wounds
- Management of scarring
- Organisation and structure in wound healing
- Outcome
- Physical therapies and wounds
- Pressure ulcer management
- Problem wounds
- Reimbursement across Europe
- Systemic diseases and wounds
- What's new in research
- Wound measurements

GENERAL INFORMATION

Important Dates

Deadline for abstracts

1 February 2009

Early registration deadline

1 March 2009

Registration possible

November 2008

Conference dates

20-22 May 2009

Conference Venue

Helsinki Fair Centre
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