



## IHN Virtual mini-Seminar on obstetric haemovigilance, 7 March 2023

On Tuesday, 7 March 2023, the International Haemovigilance Network hosted the third IHN Virtual mini-Seminar with the theme "obstetric haemovigilance (obstetric hemorrhage/maternal anemia) including adverse reactions and errors".



At least 164 attendees from countries over the world participated in the virtual Seminar (Albania 1, Australia 1, Belgium 8, Brazil 2, Canada 6, Colombia 2, Croatia 2, Denmark 9, Finland 4, Germany 1, Greece 1, , Iceland 1, India 7, Indonesia 2, Ireland 29, Kazakhstan 1, Luxembourg 1, Malaysia 3, Malta 1, Mexico 2, Netherlands 10, Norway 20, Peru 4, Philippines 1, Portugal 4, Qatar 1, Saudi Arabia 2, Serbia 1, Singapore 1, Slovenia 1, South Africa 1, Switzerland 3, Thailand 1, United Kingdom 19, United States 9, Venezuela, 2)

We were very pleased to have such broad attendance, especially given the challenges of the many time zones.

Shruthi Narayan, President IHN, opened the mini-Seminar by welcoming all attendees. After a short introduction about the IHN, Shruthi introduced Barbee Whitaker, Chair IHN Seminar Committee, who gave a quick review of the IHN-SHOT symposium in June last year and an update about future seminar plans.

Below you'll find the program and keynote speakers. By activating the name of the speaker, you'll find a short bio. The pdf version of the presentation can be found by activating the title of the presentation.



The first speaker was Dr Nadine Shehata from Canada, with her presentation Postpartum hemorrhage should always be anticipated.

The second speaker was Dr Riina Jernman from Finland; she presented the case study: An obstetric patient with thalassemia. (This presentation will not be published because it contains confidential patient information).



The last speaker was by Dr Jennifer Davies from the United Kingdom and was called

Adverse events associated with Anti-D Immunoglobulin – a UK perspective.

After the last Q & A this short webinar (1,5 hours) was closed by Dr. Narayan, who thanked the speakers, participants and organization for this webinar.

A substantial number of participants gave feedback on the webinar by completing the post-Seminar survey. The results showed very high ratings, with the speakers receiving an average of 4,7 of 5. The IHN Seminar Committee will review the suggestions for future programs.

We look back on a very successful morning/afternoon/evening!

## 2023 Annual SHOT Symposium – 4th July 2023



This symposium will be held in the Etihad Stadium in Manchester. Please visit the <u>SHOT website</u> for more information about the registration and abstract submission (deadline 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023)

**The IHN Seminar Committee is looking for new members!** Help us plan our fall mini-seminar and our 2024 IHN In-Person Symposium!

Our current committee consists of Barbee Whitaker (US), Øystein Flesland (NO), Pierre Tiberghien (FR), Mikhail Menis (US), Thorbjorn Jonsson (IS), Simon Benson (AU), Bitten Aagaard (DK), Marjatta Okkonen (FI), Shruthi Narayan (UK).

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