



# Re-innovate cancer treatment

Tapping into the potential of re-purposed drugs

**European Parliament, JAN6Q1 | 27 February 2018 | 17:00-18:30**

A roundtable discussion organised with the MEPs Against Cancer Group and the Anticancer Fund

## PROGRAMME

17:00 - 17:10

### Introduction

- MEP Alojz Peterle (EPP, SL) President, MEPs Against Cancer
- MEP Lieve Wierinck (ALDE, BE)

17:10 - 17:20

### What is drug repurposing & the ACF

- Dr Lydie Meheus, Managing Director, Anticancer Fund

17:20 - 17:40

### Better, more affordable treatments through repurposing research

- Prof Richard Sullivan, Professor of Cancer & Global Health at Kings College London

17:40 - 17:55

### Independent research

- Prof Silvio Garattini, Founder, L'IRCCS - Istituto di Ricerche Farmacologiche Mario Negri

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### European Commission's position

- Olga Solomon, Deputy Head of Unit Medicinal products - authorisations, EMA; DG SANTE

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### Patient perspective : Unmet needs in paediatric cancer

- TBC

18:20 - 18:25

### Questions and wrap-up

18:20 - 18:30

### Concluding remarks by hosting MEPs

18:30-19:00

### Cocktail / networking reception outside room