

17. International Symposium
Section of Hospital Pharmacists of the Slovenian Pharmaceutical Society (SFD)

PEDIATRIC MEDICINES – DRAFT PROGRAMME
21. October 2025, Domus Medica, Dunajska cesta 162, 1000 Ljubljana

8:00-9:00	Symposium registration
9:00 - 9:05	Official welcome and Symposium opening Dr. Aljaž Sočan, MPharm , President of the Section of Hospital Pharmacists of the Slovenian Pharmaceutical Society
Block 1: Basic aspects	
9:05 - 9:25	Challenges in Treating Children Due to Pediatric Medicine Shortages Marko Pokorn, MD , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Division of Pediatrics
9:25 - 9:45	Medicine Shortage Challenges in the United Kingdom Alison Tennant, FRPharmS, MPH , Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust, United Kingdom
9:45 - 10:05	Specifics of Drug Metabolism in Children Mojca Kerec Kos, MPharm , Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Ljubljana
10:05 - 10:25	Medicines for Children in Slovenia Tomi Laptoš, Mpharm , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Pharmacy
10:25 - 10:45	Clinical Research and Off-Label Prescribing: The UK Experience Alison Tennant, FRPharmS, MPH , Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust, United Kingdom
10:45 - 11:00	Discussion
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee break
Block 2: Clinical aspects	
11:30 - 11:50	Neurological Medicines in Children Damjan Osredkar, MD , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Division of Pediatrics
11:50 - 12:10	Introduction of Psychotropic Medicines in Pediatric Patients Vesna Lenart, MD , The Counselling Centre for Children, Adolescents and Parents, Ljubljana (waiting for confirmation)
12:10 - 12:30	Psychological Aspects of Pharmacological Treatment Vesna Žličar, Spec. Clin. Psych. , General Hospital Celje
12:30 - 12:50	Treatment of Sleep Disorders in Children Barbara Gnidovec Stražičar, MD , General Hospital Celje
12:50 - 13:10	Drug Poisonings in Children Mojca Dobaja Borak, MPharm , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Centre for clinical toxicology and pharmacology
13:10 - 13:25	Discussion
13:25 - 13:40	Satellite session
13:40 - 15:00	Lunch
Block 3: Practical aspects	
15:00 - 15:40	Pediatric Dose Verification Alenka Zupančič, Mpharm , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Pharmacy Lidija Vrbovšek, Mpharm , Celjske lekarne, Javni lekarniški zavod
15:40 - 16:00	The Role of the Pharmacist in the Care of Children in the Intensive Care Unit Irina Tegelj, MPharm , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Pharmacy
16:00 - 16:20	Medicines Administration in Children – The Nurse's Perspective DMS-TBD
16:20 - 16:40	The Technological Aspects of Preparing Medicines for Pediatric Use Simona Mitrovič, MPharm , University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Pharmacy
16:40 - 16:50	Discussion
16:50 - 17:05	Satellite session
17:05 - 17:20	Satellite session
17:20 - 17:30	Conclusion of the symposium Dr. Aljaž Sočan, MPharm , President of the Section of Hospital Pharmacists of the Slovenian Pharmaceutical Society