The Society of Mucopolysaccharidoses and Rare Diseases hereby invites you to the International Conference to be held on 4-6 July 2014 in Spała, a picturesque holiday resort in central Poland.

Amongst the chief assets of Spała is its convenient location: 100 km from Warsaw, 60 km from Łódź, 9 km from Tomaszów Mazowiecki.

**Conference venue:**
Ośrodek Wypoczynkowo - Szkoleniowy "Zacisze"
Spała, ul. Piłsudskiego 20
97-215 Inowłódź

**Attendees:**
- Outstanding Polish and foreign scientists specialized in MPS and rare diseases
- Doctors administering enzyme replacement therapies
- Leaders of Polish and foreign patient organizations
- Representatives of the public administration

**Conference will include:**
- Lectures for doctors and scientists
- Seminars for doctors and therapists
- Medical consultations

**Conference objectives:**
The objective of the Conference is to introduce the multifaceted nature of rare diseases. The Conference, seminars and training on rare diseases are there to make everyone aware that coordinated actions will allow to improve the quality of life of patients with MPS and rare diseases in Poland and all around the world.

By inviting outstanding Polish and foreign specialists and lecturers we would like to present the knowledge and latest scientific advances in the field of rare diseases as well as to show that the rarity is no “tormenting question” to be avoided but rather a trigger to development and humanity test for public administration officials.

Patients are ready to take that test - therefore, we invite scientists, medical units and public administration offices to join us and take the test.

On behalf of the Organizational Committee and members of the Society of MPS in Poland we would like to thank you for having confidence in us and cordially invite all those interested in difficult circumstances of patients with rare diseases to the Conference.

**The Conference is organized by:**
The Society of Mucopolysaccharidoses and Rare Diseases with its registered office in Głosiów in cooperation with associations of patients with rare genetic diseases.

_Sincerely yours,_
_Teresa Matulka_
President of the Society
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