



# Invitation

28 June – 1 July 2018

## 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Rare Diseases «Understanding rare diseases»

«Понимание редких  
заболеваний»

«Zrozumieć choroby  
rzadkie»

On behalf of the organizers, the Polish Association of Patients with Mucopolysaccharidosis and Rare Diseases with its registered office in Głusków has the pleasure to invite you to:

the 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Rare Diseases «Understanding rare diseases», which will be held at the Exploris Training and Recreation Centre in Serock between 28 June and 1 July 2018.

**Location:** Exploris Training and Recreation Centre is located in Serock, in the close vicinity of Warsaw, in the Zegrzyński Reservoir park, at ul. Wyzwolenia 57.

**Lectures and discussions** are delivered and conducted by outstanding specialists from the world's leading centres dealing with rare diseases. They visit us every year, some of them, delivering new and interesting lectures, we have hosted many times. Each time, these are new, creative meetings. And these meetings are always held in a special, cordial atmosphere. For young physicians, the conferences are an opportunity to present their research results and rare cases.

**Conference objectives:** The conferences on rare diseases organized by us have permanently become part of the international calendar of educational meetings, attracting numerous participants from all over the world. We have successfully organized fifteen such conferences that resulted in experiences being shared, establishment of new professional relations and cooperation between Polish and foreign scientific and medical communities.

Each year, approximately 300 specialists in the field of medicine and science from numerous countries arrive to participate in the conference. We have noted with pride and satisfaction that a significant group among them consists of world-renowned scientists, experts representing international centres and organizations dealing with rare diseases and the quality of medical services provided.

**Conference organizers:** Polish Association of Patients with Mucopolysaccharidosis and Rare Diseases in cooperation with the Federation of Patients from Central and Eastern Europe and associations of patients with rare diseases.

**Acting on behalf of the Scientific and Organizational Committees and the members of the MPS Association in Poland,** we would like to cordially invite all those wishing to understand the rare diseases and get to know these extremely rare patients to participate in the conference.

Yours faithfully,

**Teresa Matulka**

President of the MPS and Rare Diseases Association  
Management Board

### Additional information:

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