

# 29<sup>TH</sup> CONFERENCE OF THE EUROPEAN WOUND MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

# EWMA 2019


IN COOPERATION WITH  
**SSiS**, SWEDISH WOUND CARE NURSES ASSOCIATION



**GOTHENBURG  
SWEDEN  
5 – 7 JUNE 2019**

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OTHER COLLABORATORS:  
 **RiksSår** Swedish Registry of Ulcer Treatment



## CONFERENCE VENUE

Swedish Exhibition & Congress Centre  
& Gothia Towers  
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# INVITATION

It is a great pleasure to announce the 29<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Wound Management Association, **EWMA 2019**.

Theme of the EWMA 2019 Conference:

## Person-centred Wound Care. Who is in Charge of the Wound?

A wound is always part of someone's body; a person has to live with it. The patient therefore qualifies as being an important member of the team focusing on wound healing. When all professionals, with their specific competences, work together with the patient, progress can be made and clinical knowledge and competences can be developed and shared. A multidisciplinary interprofessional team and person-centred wound care approach will support the wound healing process, increase patients' quality of life and be more cost effective.

In June 2019, the EWMA Conference will be held in the heart of Gothenburg, one of the world's most sustainable cities located at the Swedish harbour front.

We look forward to welcoming you to Gothenburg!



Alberto Piaggese,  
EWMA Scientific Recorder  
& President Elect



Sue Bale,  
EWMA President



Susanne Dufva,  
SSiS President

## ORGANISATIONS



European  
Wound Management  
Association

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Sue Bale, *President*  
Alberto Piaggese, *President Elect &  
Scientific Recorder*  
Severin Lächli, *Immediate Past President*  
Georgina Gethin, *Honorary Secretary*  
Jan Stryja, *Treasurer*



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Association

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## OTHER COLLABORATORS:

 Swedish Registry of  
Ulcer Treatment

[WWW.EWMA2019.ORG](http://WWW.EWMA2019.ORG)

## IMPORTANT DATES

### Conference dates

5 - 7 June 2019

### Abstract submission opens

October 2018

### Registration opens

November 2018

### Abstract submission deadline

1 December 2018

### Early registration deadline

3 April 2019

## EWMA SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Alberto Piaggese, *Scientific Recorder*

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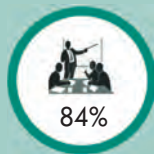
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EWMA Conference video

## WHY ATTEND THE EWMA CONFERENCE?

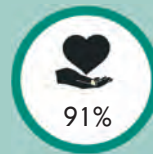
The EWMA Conference offers high-level scientific presentations, networking activities and an excellent opportunity to exchange knowledge and experiences with international colleagues.



State that the conference met their expectations or was better than expected.



Find that the content of the sessions were either good or excellent.



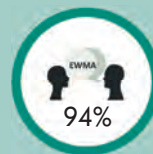
Think the conference was relevant to their work.



Connected and networked with other participants during the conference.

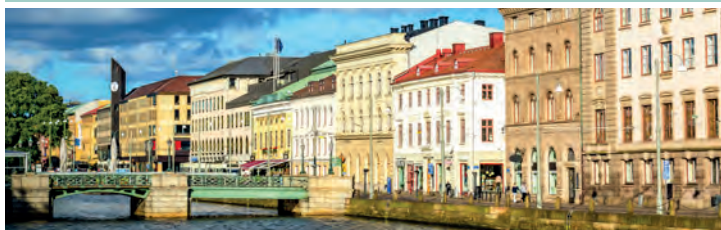


Gained new knowledge, valuable information and contacts from the exhibiting companies.



Would recommend the EWMA Conference to others.

\*EWMA 2018 Delegate Survey



## WELCOME TO GOTHENBURG

Gothenburg is the second largest city in Sweden and is located on the Swedish west coast at the epicentre of Scandinavia and the Baltic States. Experience the Nordic light summer evenings in this charming harbour city, which has an exceptional combination of city life, culture and nature.

You will seldom have such easy access to everything you want and need. Within this pedestrian-friendly city, you will find cobbled lanes lined with local design boutiques, Nordic architecture, excellent restaurants and cosy independent cafés – and the stunning archipelago is only a tram ride away.

Known as a smart city going green and open to the world, expect nothing less than to be met by warm and friendly people with a laid-back attitude.

# PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

## KEY SESSIONS

The programme features a mixture of new topics which are important to the European wound community in addition to topics that have been popular during previous EWMA Conferences. The sessions deal with advancement of education and research in relation to epidemiology, pathology, diagnosis, prevention and management of wounds.

The key sessions cover:

- Opening Key Session: Person-centred Wound Care. Who is in Charge of the Wound?
- Pressure Ulcer Prevention
- Translational Science and Clinical Opportunities (for clinicians):  
Basic Science Key Session
- Managing and Preventing Birth Related Wounds and Post-Caesarean Section Infection
- Catastrophe and War Wounds
- Patient Involvement and Patient Safety
- Multidisciplinarity and Organisation
- Atypical Wounds Key Session
- Surgical Treatment of Chronic Wounds
- Economy of Wound Management
- Surgical Site Infection
- Burns

**All conference sessions will be in English.  
For Swedish participants the conference  
will in addition feature a 2-day  
Swedish spoken programme.**

**See programme on [www.ewma.org](http://www.ewma.org)  
for further details.**

## FOCUS SESSIONS

A focus session is an opportunity to go into depth with a topic.

The 2019 focus sessions are:

- Skin Necrosis in Wounds
- Malignant and Fungating Wounds
- Pain Assessment
- Lesions in the Fragile Patients
- Regenerative Medicine in the Treatment of Chronic Wounds

## EWMA STREAMS

The full-day streams are particularly popular among EWMA Conference delegates, as they foster more in-depth discussions.

Streams at EWMA 2019 are:

- Pressure Ulcer Prevention
- Infection, Prevention and Control Stream
- Diabetic Foot Ulcers
- Debridement Day

## WORKSHOPS

EWMA Workshops are typically held in a smaller setting than the other sessions. The workshops are interactive and give participants an opportunity to address and elaborate on particular aspects of the themes of the individual sessions.

The workshops will cover:

- Debridement
- After Debridement
- How to Read a Paper. Understanding the Basics.
- Diabetic Foot – Assessments, Offloading and Footwear
- Managing Wounds after Discharge - Case Studies Discussion Workshop
- Eczema in Leg Ulcer Patients
- Regulatory Workshop
- Patient Repositioning and the Properties of the Patient Support Surfaces Used

## MEET THE EXPERTS

A number of Meet-the-Experts Sessions will take place during EWMA 2019. Participants are invited to listen to and discuss with leading experts in an informal setting.

## GUEST SESSIONS

EWMA invites a number of organisations to facilitate a guest session at EWMA 2019. This serves to increase scientific cooperation and networking with organisations active in thematic issues related to wound healing and management.

## ABSTRACTS FOR FREE PAPER (ORAL), E-POSTER AND PAPER POSTER PRESENTATION


Abstracts for oral presentations, electronic poster presentations and paper poster display can be submitted in the categories:

Acute Wounds ■ Antimicrobials ■ Basic Science ■ Burns ■ Devices & Intervention ■ Diabetic Foot ■ Dressings ■ Education ■ e-Health ■ Health Economics & Outcome ■ Home Care ■ Infection ■ Leg Ulcer ■ Negative Pressure Wound Therapy ■ Nutrition ■ Pain ■ Pressure Ulcer ■ Prevention ■ Quality of Life ■ Wound Assessment ■ Case Studies (e-posters only) ■ Professional Communication (e-posters only)

All abstracts should be submitted online at [www.ewma2019.org](http://www.ewma2019.org)

**ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DEADLINE:  
1 DECEMBER 2018**



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# REGISTRATION

The online registration will open in November 2018  
Please visit [www.ewma2019.org](http://www.ewma2019.org) for updates.

## Registration fees

| Category  | Until and incl.<br>3 April 2019 | 4 April -<br>26 May 2019    | After<br>26 May 2019        |
|---|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>FULL 3 DAY CONFERENCE REGISTRATION:</b>  |                                 |                             |                             |
| EWMA Members and Members of National Societies cooperating with EWMA. See link below <sup>1</sup> | 483 €<br>(386,40 € ex. VAT)     | 570 €<br>(456,00 € ex. VAT) | 636 €<br>(508,80 € ex. VAT) |
| Non-members   | 583 €<br>(466,40 € ex. VAT)     | 670 €<br>(536,00 € ex. VAT) | 737 €<br>(589,60 € ex. VAT) |
| Student registration  | 295 €<br>(236,00 € ex. VAT)     | 295 €<br>(236,00 € ex. VAT) | 295 €<br>(236,00 € ex. VAT) |
| <b>ONE DAY CONFERENCE REGISTRATION:</b>   |                                 |                             |                             |
| EWMA Members, Members of National Societies cooperating with EWMA <sup>1</sup> and non-members    | 315 €<br>(252,00 € ex. VAT)     | 348 €<br>(278,40 € ex. VAT) | 415 €<br>(332,00 € ex. VAT) |
| <b>One day registration - exhibition access only:</b>   |                                 |                             |                             |
| Exhibition access only<br>(no access to sessions & workshops)                                     | Same price as<br>after 3 April  | 322 €<br>(257,60 € ex. VAT) | 391 €<br>(312,80 € ex. VAT) |

<sup>1</sup> Members of EWMA Cooperating Organisations see: <http://ewma.org/who-we-work-with/ewma-cooperating-organisations/>

Swedish VAT: 25%

## ENTITLEMENTS

Registration fee includes conference bag and badge, final programme book, abstracts available on conference app, admission to full conference programme, certificate of attendance and CME Certificate.

The one-day-exhibition registration gives access to the exhibition only.





# GENERAL INFORMATION

## ACCOMMODATION

Codan Consulting has been appointed the official hotel accommodation agent for the EWMA 2019 in Gothenburg and will handle all related arrangements. A list of the hotels of different categories at reduced rates will be available for the participants of EWMA 2019. Please see contact information on [www.ewma2019.org](http://www.ewma2019.org)

## EXHIBITION

All major suppliers in the wound care and wound management field will be exhibiting at the EWMA 2019 Conference. Experience the latest developments in modern wound care and wound management products.

## EWMA CONFERENCE APP

The conference app will be available prior to the conference and will feature the programme, all abstracts, speaker information and all other practical information needed for attending the conference. Please search for EWMA in App Store or Google Play.

## SOCIAL EVENTS

Further information will be announced in due course on [www.ewma2019.org](http://www.ewma2019.org) under General Information.

## LANGUAGES

The EWMA Conference including all sessions and material will be in English. In addition the conference will feature a 2-day Swedish spoken stream.

## CME CREDITS

### (EUROPEAN CONTINUED MEDICAL EDUCATIONAL CREDITS)

An application has been made to the EACCME for CME accreditation of this event.

## EWMA KNOWLEDGE CENTRE

Log-on to [www.ewma.org](http://www.ewma.org) and access the EWMA Knowledge Centre to gain free access to webcasts of selected key sessions, all e-Posters and abstracts from previous EWMA Conferences.

## CONTACT THE CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT

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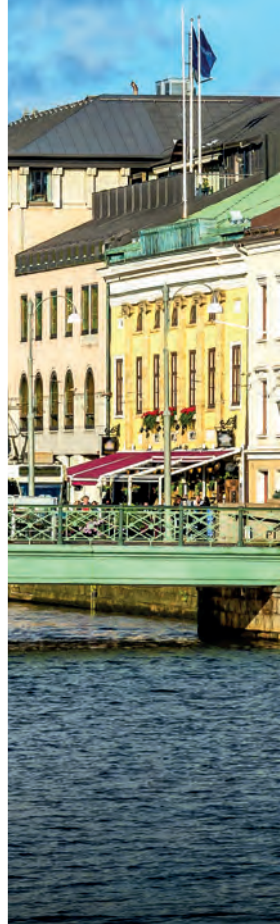
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