

21 September

Conference of the Latvian Nurses Association

The Future of Our Nurses

Conference hall No. 5

09:00–09:10	Opening of the conference
09:10–09:40	The legislation of nursing and midwifery practice in Lithuania Artūras Šimkus, Adviser at the Ministry of Health of Lithuania
09:40–10:10	The role of nurses in family care in Estonia Leena Kalle, Chief Nurse Officer of Estonia, Health System Development Department, Ministry of Social Affairs, Estonia
10:10–10:40	Advanced practice nurse education programme Shoshy Goldberg, Head nurse of Israel Ministry of Health
10:40–11:00	Break
11:00–11:20	Ethical safety in nursing practice Agita Melbārde-Kelmere, Assistant Professor, Riga Stradiņš University
11:20–11:50	Stigmatisation in healthcare Līga Ārente, general care nurse, diabetes patient training nurse, Riga East University Hospital
11:50–12:20	Supervision of nurses - an effective route to quality Iveta Krastiņa-Paegle, general care nurse, supervisor
12:20–12:40	Break
12:40–13:00	The link between job satisfaction and quality of professional life for nurses practising in Latvia and Norway Jevgeņija Stepanova, general practice nurse (Norway)
13:00–13:20	Inclusion and integration of a nurse into a new team Ieva Pekša-Kontrerasa, University Hospital Oslo, Rikshospitalet (Norway)
13:20–13:50	Compressed air and inflatables help reduce back pain and pressure points in operating rooms and intensive care units Inge Bruynooghe, CEO of manufacturing company <i>Ergotrics</i>
13:50–14:00	Closing of the Conference Discussion