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On May 27-29th, 2022 the FEAMC symposium *Challenges of competence and compassion in contemporary medicine* was held in Assisi, Italy. Presentations and texts of this meeting will be published on this page as soon as they are available.

Introduction to the symposium <i>Dr. Vincenzo Defilippis (Italy), President of FEAMC</i>		 <a href="#">Opening speech for the congress - Defilippis</a>
Compassion in medicine <i>Msgr. Jacques Suaudeau (France), Ecclesiastical Assistant of FIAMC / FEAMC</i>		 <a href="#">Compassion and Medicine Suaudeau - text</a>
Challenges of the paradigmatically changing medicine and health care systems (Post-Covid-19 and beyond) <i>Prof.dr. Jozef Glasa - internist (Slovakia), clinical pharmacologist, hepatologist, and bioethicist / Slovak christian doctors and health professionals / FEAMC vice-president</i>	 <a href="#">Glasa</a> <a href="#">Challenges</a>	 <a href="#">Challenges of Medicine Glasa - text</a>
Contemporary physician-patient relationships and compassion <i>Prof.dr. Frans J. van Ittersum - internist-nephrologist (Netherlands) / chair Dutch Catholic Association of Health Care Workers / FEAMC secretary general</i>	 <a href="#">Van Ittersum</a> <a href="#">Patient-physician relationship</a>	 <a href="#">van Ittersum - text</a> <a href="#">Patient-physician relationships</a>
Evidence Based Medicine and compassion <i>Prof.dr. Alexandre Laureano Santos (Portugal), cardiologist</i>	 <a href="#">Laureano Santos</a> <a href="#">EBM</a>	 <a href="#">Santos - text</a> <a href="#">EBM Laureano Santos</a>
Obstetrics & Gynaecology and compassion <i>Prof.dr. Bogdan Chazan (Poland), gynecologist - obstetrician, medical director of MaterCare International and deputy head of the Polish Society of Catholic Physicians / FEAMC vice president</i>	 <a href="#">Chazan</a> <a href="#">Obstetrics</a>	 <a href="#">Chazan</a> <a href="#">Gynaecology</a>
Aid for pregnant women - the abortion pill regret story <i>Dr. Dermot Kearney (United Kingdom), cardiologist, FEAMC vice-president</i>	 <a href="#">Kearney</a> <a href="#">Abortion regret story</a>	 <a href="#">Kearney - text</a> <a href="#">Abortion regret story</a>

<p>Pediatrics and compassion  <i>Prof.dr. Jose Diogo Ferreira Martins (Portugal),  Heart Pediatrician / president of the Portuguese  Society of Catholic Doctors</i></p>		 <p><u>Pediatrics Ferreira  Martins - text</u></p>
<p>Surgery and compassion  <i>Dr. Didier Legeais (France)</i></p>		 <p><u>Surgery Legeais -  text</u></p>
<p>The place of compassion within the Hippocratic  tradition, according to Professor Jerome Lejeune  <i>Dr. Aude Dugast (France), director of the  "Bioethics Master Class, Fondation Jerome  Lejeune"</i></p>	 <p><u>Dugast</u>      <u>Lejeune</u></p>	 <p><u>Lejeune Dugast -  text</u></p>
<p>Infectious diseases and compassion  <i>Assist. prof.dr. Rok Civljak (Croatia)</i></p>		 <p><u>Infectious Disease  Civljak - text</u></p>
<p>Hepatology liver transplantation and compassion  <i>Assist. prof.dr. Helena Glasova (Slovakia)</i></p>	 <p><u>Hepatology,  Liver transplantation  Glasova</u></p>	 <p><u>Hepatology and  Liver transplantation Glasova -  text</u></p>
<p>Neurology and compassion  <i>Dr. Pavel Kostka (Czech Republik)</i></p>		 <p><u>Neurology Kostka -  text</u></p>
<p>Oncology and compassion  <i>Prof.dr. Javier Sanz (Spain)</i></p>	 <p><u>Oncology  Sanz</u></p>	 <p><u>Oncology Sanz -  text</u></p>
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<p>Psychiatry and compassion  <i>Dr. Ermanno Pavesi (Switzerland)</i></p>	 <p><u>Psychiatry  Pavesi</u></p>	 <p><u>Psychiatry Pavesi -  text</u></p>
<p>Medical psychology and compassion  <i>Prof. Chiara Scardicchio (Italy), psychologist,  University of Bari</i></p>	 <p><u>Medical  Education and  Compassion Scardicchio</u></p>	 <p><u>Medical Education  Scardicchio - text</u></p>
<p>Issues on gender medicine and  compassion"  <i>Assist. prof.dr. Dario Sacchini (Italy), Institute of  Bioethics and Medical Humanities, University of  the Sacred Heart, Rome</i></p>		 <p><u>Gender Medicine  Sacchini - text</u></p>

<p>Synodal process in Europe: health expectations and prospects  <i>H.E. Mons. Vincenzo Paglia (Italy), President of the Pontifical Academy of Life</i></p>		 <p><u>Synodal process and Health Prospects Paglia - text</u></p>
<p>End of life and compassion  <i>Prof. Vidas Pilvinis (Lithuania)</i></p>	 <p><u>Intensive care Pilvinis</u></p>	 <p><u>Intensive care Pilvinis - text</u></p>
<p>Geriatrics and compassion  <i>Lotte Voets MD (Netherlands)</i></p>	 <p><u>Compassie &amp; Geriatric Care Voets</u></p>	 <p><u>Elderly Medicine Voets - text</u></p>
<p>Compassion: practically ? Palliative Care  <i>H.E. Mgrs Francesco Savino, member of the Charity and Health Commission of the Italian Episcopal Conference</i></p>	 <p><u>Palliative Care - Savino</u></p>	
<p>Presentation of the final document and closing of the congress.  <i>Msgr. Jacques Suaudeau (France), ecclesiastical/spiritual assistant to FIAMC / FEAMC</i></p>		 <p><u>Final document Suaudeau</u></p>