

## Red Blood Cell Disorders Committee <a href="http://www.bhs.be">http://www.bhs.be</a>

## **MEETING JANUARY 25, 2017**

## **Participants:**

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## Minutes:

- Next GAM: session dedicated to the the activities of each committees
  - When: Thurday 9th of February from 15h to 18h.
  - Short presentation (15 minutes 3 minutes discussion)
  - Activities of your sub group
  - Your projects for the futur
  - The way to promote interactions between BHS board and BHS sub committees.

The presentation has been updated (annex 1 – GAM 2017).

- Revival of the Belgian SCD registry: follow-up (annex 2)
  Discussion was about the items in the data base. Each partner should send back their approval or any suggested modification.
- Update of the ASH meeting (annex 3)
- Organization of our next meetings

We propose to put different topics on the agenda:

- A place for diseases other than SCD
- Clinical trials
- Recommendations to be updated and new ones; publication in the Belgian Journal of Hematology
- Practical aspects of follow-up (example erythrocytapheresis; pain management; flue vaccination)
- Difficult cases
- Provide summary of official guidelines

At each meeting, we would like to provide this agenda around 1 month before the meeting to all partners and each partner will be asked to participate in one topic or another.

Next meeting: Thursday May 18