

NorPEN executive committee

Teams-meeting 2/2021

13-14 CET, 16 March 2021

Present: Carolyn Cesta, Øystein Karlstad, Vera Ehrenstein, Miia Artama, Leena Saastamoinen, Mikkel Højlund, Larus S. Gudmundsson

Absent: Hedvig Nordeng (NO), Lina Steinrud Mørch (register holders), Jari Haukka (FI), Bjørn Pasternak (SE).

AGENDA and MINUTES

1. Follow-up from last meeting (constant agenda)
The minutes is accepted.
2. On-going papers (constant agenda)
No update on ongoing two papers.
3. Web editor
We would like to continue using the service from SDU. Mikkel will confirm if this is possible with Jesper Hallas and Morten Olesen.
4. Update from the educational group
Postponed to next meeting
5. NorPEN 2021 program for feedback
 - Prepared as a physical meeting, but a hybrid or an online meeting is possible and the program is prepared with this in mind.
 - Input: Common data model workshop – goal for a Nordic CMD – spark collaboration on CMD?
 - Idea: What do we need to know about big data. Potential speaker: Nikolai C. Brun (email not identified, twitter: @LMSTBrun)
 - Pragmatic trials seems a very relevant topic. Idea: Further (European) studies might be identified through the ENCePP-register.
 - Idea: Update on upcoming registers on hospital medicines from Denmark and Norway?
 - Idea: Marginal structural models as alternative to g-methods?
6. Common data model
How to move the process of developing a Nordic common data model further? How far are we? Is it still relevant given the European efforts (EMA)? Should the process continue based upon the NorPEN conference?
Link to EMA workshop on RWE: <https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/events/technical-workshop-real-world-metadata-regulatory-purposes>
7. Informing the members, e.g. emails
President and secretary draft a newsletter two times a year and circulate to the EC for inputs. NorPEN member-emails are used for distribution.
8. Jon P. Einarsson is not able to attend meetings due to work responsibilities. Larus will remain substitute in this term but attend all meetings. Larus will look for a new candidate.
9. Next Teams-meeting May 19, 2021, at 13-14 CET
Chair: Hedvig, notes: Mikkel.
Please remember to inform your substitute.

Chair: Vera Ehrenstein (DK)

Notes: Mikkel Højlund

The chair for the TCs takes turns by country/representative: DK, NO, IS, SE, FI, societies, register holders.