

# Agenda Out for 10th Annual European Pre-Filled Syringes Show Featuring MHRA, Novartis, Lonza, Barts Health and Janssen

*SMi Group release the highly anticipated agenda for Europe's leading conference and exhibition on parenteral drug delivery and injectable devices*

LONDON, ENGLAND, UNITED KINGDOM, September 7, 2017 /EINPresswire.com/ -- SMi Group are thrilled to announce that an agenda has been released for Europe's leading 10th annual conference and exhibition on [Pre-Filled Syringes](#) which returns to Central London on 17th and 18th January 2018. [Pre-Filled Syringes Europe](#) will once again provide a platform to discuss new advancements and showcase the latest innovations in a dynamic and booming PFS market.

Building on the success of SMi's sell-out global 2017 PFS series of events which saw 100+ attendees join shows in London, Boston and San Diego, the agenda for Pre-Filled Syringes Europe 2018 has been carefully tailored to arm delegates with key requirements and tools to adapt to an ever-changing medical landscape.

It will address questions on the impact to the PFS industry following: an increase in the number of generics and biosimilars hitting the market; a trend in the rise of self-administered drugs and personalised medicine; and Britain's recent decision to leave Europe.

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We had a lot of interest at our booth with companies from Denmark, Sweden, Israel, Germany and the UK all asking for help with their human factors programmes”

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As well as a regulatory update from the MHRA, agenda highlights will include topical talks surrounding combination products, digital connectivity, smart devices, human factor engineering, patient safety, extractable & leachable studies, and formulation development.

The notable speaker line-up will feature:

- Alphons Fakler, Group Head Risk Management, Novartis

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- Bettine Boltres, Technical Account Manager, West Pharmaceutical Services
- Elizabeth Baker, Group Manager Licensing Division, MHRA
- Marcel Mueller, Device Project Leader, Novartis
- Cedric Gysel, Staff Device Engineer, Janssen
- Carsten Worsoe, Principal Scientist, CMC Analytical Support, Novo Nordisk



- Vikas Jaitely, Senior Manager CMC Regulatory Intelligence and Pharmaceutical Science, Merck
- Susanne Joerg, Head of Formulation Development, Lonza
- Orla Downes, Head of Business Development Unit, Barts Health Pharmaceuticals
- Barry Knight, Device Program Lead, UCB Celltech
- Sudeshna Dutta Ray, Senior Engineer, Advanced Device Technology and Innovation, Amgen
- Alexander Jung, Senior Manager, Technology and Innovation, Drug Delivery and Devices, Boehringer Ingelheim
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SMi's 10th annual 2018 Pre-Filled Syringes Europe conference and exhibition will take place on 17th & 18th Jan at the Copthorne Tara Hotel, Kensington, London UK. Further information including a detailed agenda and full speaker line-up is available at [www.pre-filled-syringes.com](http://www.pre-filled-syringes.com)

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