Putting Early Childhood at the Heart of the European Child Guarantee

29 November 2022, 12:00-14:00 CET
European Parliament, Brussels, Room ASP5G1
Hosted by: Mr Dragos Pîslaru MEP

Sandwich lunch will be provided

Agenda (subject to change)

Welcome and introduction by the host

Mr Dragos Pîslaru MEP, Chair of European Parliament Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Session 1: The European Child Guarantee - why investing in early childhood is ever more important

Chair: Agata D’Addato, Eurochild, Senior Project Manager

- Eurochild: Tackling poverty in early childhood
- ISSA: Quality Early Childhood Education and Care: qualified staff and professional skills
- EPHA/Make Mothers Matter: Maternal healthcare inequalities in the European Union

Session 2: Reactions from EU policy-makers

Chair: Mr Dragos Pîslaru MEP

- Ms Alicia Homs Ginel MEP, European Parliament Committee on Employment and Social Affairs
- Ms Michaela Šojdrová MEP, Vice-Chair of the European Parliament Committee on Culture and Education
- Ms Lucia Ďuriš Nicholsonová MEP, European Parliament Committee on Employment and Social Affairs
- Mr Jiri Svarc, Head of Unit, Social Policies, Child Guarantee, DG Employment and Social Affairs, European Commission
- Ms Katja Lenzing, Deputy Head of Unit, Gender Equality, DG Justice and Consumers, European Commission

Questions and discussion

Concluding remarks by the host

Mr Dragos Pîslaru MEP

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