

## 7. Educational Days of NP ZORA, MULTIDISCIPLINARY INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP

### CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING POLICY

#### WORKSHOP PROGRAM

**DAY 2 – 18. May 2017**

**Institute of Oncology Ljubljana, Zaloška 2, 1000 Ljubljana**  
**Building C, Lecture hall**

11.30 – 12.00 *Registration*

12.00 – 12.30 **Cervical cancer screening policy in Slovenia in details**

*Maja Primic Žakelj*

12.30 – 13.00 **Cervical cancer screening policy in Australia and New Zealand in details**

*Megan Smith, Cancer Council NSW, Sydney, Australia*

13.00 – 14.30 Guided discussion with Dr. Megan Smith:

**Rationale for cervical cancer screening in HPV-vaccinated and HPV-unvaccinated cohorts of women – health outcomes versus costs.** Some discussion points:

- Screening test: conventional/ liquid-based cytology, manually/image read cytology, HPV testing/co-testing, HPV exit test
- Role of HPV genotyping
- Role of p16/Ki-67
- Starting/exiting age for screening
- Screening interval for different tests, same intervals for all women, extended in older women
- Screening strategies: in half-vaccinated cohorts, for non-responders
- Clinical management of women after initial testing: definitions of high/ intermediate/low-risk, management of women with intermediate risk

14.30 – 15.00 *Coffee break*

15.00 – 15.45 **The Renewal Project – Australian and New Zealand experience**

*Megan Smith, Cancer Council NSW, Sydney, Australia*

15.45 – 17.00 Guided discussion with Dr. Megan Smith:

**How to plan and implement a change in a screening policy.** Some discussion points:

- Project's goals, scope, risks, resources (budget, timescale, identification of/approach to stakeholders...)
- Project planning and executing: WHAT is the work needed to be done, what are major deliverables/outcomes? WHO will be involved and what will be their responsibilities, how they will be organised? WHEN will deliverables/outcomes be available, which are milestones? What were the main obstacles during planning and executing the project?
- Implementing changes: implementation plan and timeline, main obstacles for implementation...
- Communication strategies with professionals, decision makers and general public, main messages, timeline, major concerns/doubts...