



European Association for Palliative Care
EAPC Onlus: Non profit-making Association
Non Governmental Organisation (NGO) recognised by the Council of Europe
Association Européenne pour les Soins Palliatifs
EAPC Onlus: Organisation à but non lucratifs d'utilité publique
ONG reconnue par le Conseil de l'Europe

Visit our Web – Visitez notre site Internet: <http://www.eapcnet.org>

Short report on the meeting at the EU parliament:

With help from David Prail (HelptheHospices) and David Oliver (University Kent) a lunchtime meeting at the European Parliament had been organized on palliative care in Europe. The meeting was held at the European Parliament (room A5F385), Brussels, on October 9th 2007, between 12.30h and 14.00 and it was chaired by MEP John Bowis. The aim of the meeting was to present the role of European Association of Palliative Care (EAPC), and to discuss palliative care issues within Members States. Nine Members of the European Parliament participated, in addition to representatives from the European Commission and palliative care, cancer care and patients organisations, in this meeting. Lukas and David Prail gave short presentations on EAPC and on the development of the Atlas of Palliative care, which was distributed to the participants.

Even though the number of participants was not huge, the meeting was considered a success by Lukas and David, as new contacts were made and the participating MEPs showed high interest in palliative care and in the work of EAPC. Among other things, the meeting resulted in the invitation of Lukas to the **EU Cancer Conference in February 2008 in Slovenia**.

Prof. Dr. Lukas Radbruch Klinik für Palliativmedizin, Universitätsklinikum Aachen
Pauwelsestr. 30, 52074 Aachen Tel +49-241-80 80 880, Fax +49-241-80 33 80 880
Email: Lradbruch@Ukaachen.de



EAPC Head Office: Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori, Via Venezian 1, 20133 Milano, ITALIA
EAPC Sede: Tel: +39-02-23903390 Fax: +39-02-23903393

Fiscal Code
Codice Fiscale
97100170154