

Launching GLOWACON:

the Global Consortium for Wastewater and Environmental Surveillance for Public Health

19 & 20 March 2024,
Hotel nhow Brussels Bloom, Rue Royale, Brussels, Belgium

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AGENDA

This event is designed to engage participants in discussions, identify practical solutions, and reach consensus on actionable outcomes. As such, your active involvement is essential. Therefore, there will be ample time allocated for questions and answers during each session.

TUESDAY 19 MARCH

8.30 – 9.30 Registration and coffee

@ Hotel nhow Brussels Bloom, Rue Royale – Koningsstraat 250, 1210 Brussels – Belgium

9.30 – 10.00 Launching GLOWACON

10.00 – 10.45 SESSION 1

Presenting the conceptual framework and the way forward

10.45 – 11.15 *Coffee break*

11.15 – 12.30 SESSION 2

Presenting the concept paper on the consortium set-up and cross-cutting aspects

12.30 – 14.00 *Lunch break*

14.00 – 14.30 SESSION 3

Engagement activity

14.30 – 15.00 SESSION 4

Keynote speech: wastewater surveillance and Avian flu

15.00 – 15.30 *Coffee break*

15.30 – 17.00 SESSION 5

Presenting the concept paper on consolidated technical guidance

17.00 – 17.30 Closing remarks

18.30 – 21.30 *Social dinner*

@ BourseBeurs Boulevard Anspach 80, 1000 Brussels – Belgium



A bus transfer will be available from the Hotel nhow Brussels Bloom to BourseBeurs leaving at 18.00 sharp

**WEDNESDAY
20 MARCH**

8.30 – 9.30	Registration and coffee	
9.30 – 9.45	Opening session and agenda overview	
9.45 – 10.15	SESSION 6 Keynote speech: where will we stand with wastewater and environmental surveillance in 5 years?	
10.15 – 10.45	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10.45 – 12.30	SESSION 7 Presenting the concept paper on data analytics, modelling, sharing and interoperability	
12.30 – 14.00	<i>Lunch break</i>	
14.00 – 15.15	SESSION 8 Presenting the concept paper on training and capacity building	
15.15 – 16.00	SESSION 9 Presenting the concept paper on research and development for wastewater and environmental surveillance	
16.00 – 16.30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
16.30 – 17.30	Closing remarks and next steps for operationalising the consortium	