

5TH HORATIO FESTIVAL OF PSYCHIATRIC NURSING

Participatory Mental Health

Scandic Sluseholmen,
May 9.th - 12.th 2019



The painting HÅBET, painted by Nikolaj Brie Petersen, is owned by Psychiatric Center Amager and is a pivotal point in their project Råkunst.

HORATIO: European Psychiatric Nurses, is an organisation representing psychiatric and mental health nursing organisations within Europe. In co-operation with other organisations, projects and individuals, Horatio is an active partner in discussions that influence European mental health issues with particular reference to the viewpoint of nurses.

This 5th festival is about participatory mental health.

Participation means the active involvement and empowerment of stakeholders. Participation gives nurses the opportunity to collaborate with the service-users and through their work learn to do things better. Participatory mental health, is what makes it possible for nurses to work effectively as equal partners within a multi-disciplinary team and together with patients.

The festival will focus on the partnerships, both existing and intended, with service users and carers. We hope equal, open and transparent partnerships will create new strategies and opportunities within mental health care.

THEMES:

- Working partnerships with service users
- Working partnerships with carers
- New caring strategies
- Trauma informed practices in mental health/psychiatric nursing
- Dealing with mental illness trauma
- Tackling stigma, the role of nurses in de-stigmatisation
- Future developments in mental health
- Future perspectives
- New challenges, opportunities and interventions
- New working conditions

Fagligt Selskab for Psykiatriske Sygeplejersker (<https://dsr.dk/fs/fs11>) is organizing the festival together with the Horatio Board.

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