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Dear WCPOS V Invited Chairperson,

Thank you so much for your patience. WSPOS has made the decision to postpone the 5th World Congress of Paediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus (WCPOS V), in Amsterdam and is now planning on holding it in August 2021. We would very much like to invite you to host your original session, in Amsterdam at WCPOS V August 2021.

Furthermore, there will be a virtual meeting this year called WSPOS World Wide Connect held on 26th September 2020 with a unique flavour, we at WSPOS believe expertise resides all over the world and while all the world can tune in to World Wide Connect, the focus of presentations will move across the world following daylight hours.

This means that on the 26th September we start at **09.00 am Australian Eastern Standard Time** and after 6 hours moves to **Indian Standard Time** and after another 6 hours, we move on to **British Summer Time** before finally making the move across the Atlantic to **US Eastern Standard Time**. This means everyone across the globe will have a chance to watch sessions live and also catch up on any they miss through our OnDemand playback feature.

The content of World Wide Connect will need to be revitalised and changed from the content that was going to be held for the 3-day meeting in Amsterdam with parallel sessions. World Wide Connect will only have one meeting room and a total of 14 sessions and therefore, we felt the fairest course of action is to create new content and streamline our sessions.

In the next 10 days you may get an invite to contribute to this content but please rest assured that we are grateful of all your efforts thus far which is why we are postponing the meeting until 2021 when you will be able to present and coordinate your original sessions in Amsterdam.

Please note that Connect will afford 14 CME credits and for attendees and consultants is only €75 and for all others €50, for this amount you will be able to get content for up to at least 72 hours after the event is held and on the 3rd October access to the 3 Keynote Lectures and 3 "Best Of" sessions for Free Papers, Posters and Videos.

Please note that anyone who pre-registered for WCPOS V this year has had their money refunded in full.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any queries about this and once thank you for your continuing support of WSPOS.

Kind Regards,

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