The International Network of Integrated Care and University of Southern Denmark invite you to the 11th International Conference on Integrated Care:

Recent Developments and Future Challenges of Integrated Care in Europe and Northern America

March 30 – April 1 2011 in Odense, Denmark
Conference aim
The International Network of Integrated Care brings together researchers, practitioners and policy makers with the common belief that better integration of services can lead to improved services and cost-effective solutions from the point of view of users, carers, professionals and management.

The aim of INIC11 is to exchange knowledge, experience and new ideas and projects in the challenging field of integrated care.

Conference themes
Oral and poster presentations will be organized on five main topics:

- Integration of social and health services
- Integration of primary care and hospital care
- Cooperation of different disciplines
- Finance and implementation
- Integrated Care for specific conditions (heart failure, COPD, stroke, multifaceted chronic diseases)

The conference will continue the themes from Vienna and Tampere, such as:

- Tools and methods for successful transition
- Virtual study trips to national integrated care services
- User participation and self management education
- Structural/organizational solutions for integrating services
- Concepts, methods and models of Integrated Care
- Outcomes related to clinical, service delivery, patients and financial levels

Call for abstracts
Researchers, practitioners and policy makers are invited to submit abstracts for oral or poster presentation by October 1 2010 via www.integratedcare.org

Keynote speakers
Professor Peter Langhorne
Glasgow Royal Infirmary, University of Glasgow, UK
He coordinates the Stroke Unit Trialists Collaboration and Early Supported Discharge Trialists. He is editor with the Cochrane Stroke Group and has published more articles in Lancet.

Professor Dr. Tiny Jaarsma
Department of Social and Welfare Studies, University of Linköping, Sweden
She has been involved in several studies in self care in heart failure and disease management programmes in Europe. She is actively involved in several activities of the Heart Failure Association of the European Society of Cardiology.

Senior researcher Albert Alonso
Fundació Privada Clinic per a la Recerca Biomèdica, Spain
He has extensive experience in European R&D projects in the field of COPD that explore new models of service provision across the continuum of care supported by means of information technology.

Director Alan G. Sanfey
Neural Decision Sciences Laboratory, University of Arizona, USA
He has authored more publications of neuroeconomics in Science, i.e. in relation to the ultimatum game and social values. He was recently named one of Seed Magazine’s 6 “revolutionary minds”.

Conference days
March 30, 2011: Site visits to integrated care services in the Region of Southern Denmark.
March 31 – April 1, 2011: Conference days

Conference venue
INIC11 takes place in Odense, Denmark – the home town of the world known composer of fairytales, Hans Christian Andersen. The conference venue is University of Southern Denmark, Campus Odense, www.sdu.dk

More information
Go to www.integratedcare.org for more detailed information on guidelines for abstract, registration and conference programme.