



**7<sup>th</sup> Plenary Meeting of the  
SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON EMERGING AND NEWLY IDENTIFIED HEALTH  
RISKS (SCENIHR)**

**Venue: HTC 02/280 Luxembourg  
Eugène Ruppert Street 11, L-2453 Luxembourg  
24-25 September 2014 (starting at 13:00 on 24 of September)**

**Draft Agenda**

**24 September 2014**

1. Welcome and apologies
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Declaration of interests on matters in the agenda
4. New mandates:
  - Adoption of the mandate on tobacco additives
5. Chair's / member's report
6. Communication by Commission Departments
7. On-going work:
  - For approval:
    - Final Opinion on the safety of Metal-on-Metal joint replacements with a particular focus on hip implants
    - Final Opinion on Synthetic Biology I – Definition and replies formulated by SCENIHR to the contributions received during the public consultation
    - Preliminary Opinion on the safety of medical devices containing DEHP-plasticized PVC or other plasticizers on neonates and other groups possibly at risk (2013 update)
8. On-going work:
  - Update:
    - Synthetic Biology – Opinion II
    - Safety of surgical meshes used in urogynecological surgery.

- The safety of the use of Bisphenol A in medical devices

9. On-going work:

Update on the public consultation:

- Preliminary Opinion on the Guidance on the determination of Potential Health Effects of Nanomaterials Used in Medical Devices
- Preliminary Opinion on the safety of dental amalgam and alternative dental restoration materials for patients and users
- The Potential health effects of exposure to electromagnetic fields (EMF)

10.

- Emerging issues for drawing Commission's attention on the actual and potential risks ( to consumer safety , public health and environment )

11. Any other business

- Structure of the opinions