

**Environmental cleaning and disinfection:  
time to upgrade our strategy?**

Chairpersons: Didier Pittet, Geneva (Switzerland),  
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**14h00**      **Introduction**  
14h15      Pierre Parneix, Bordeaux (France)

**14h15**      **The role of environmental cleaning in the control of**  
14h40      **healthcare-associated infection**  
Stephanie J. Dancer, Glasgow (United Kingdom)

**14h40**      **An international survey of cleaning and disinfection prac-**  
15h05      **tices in the healthcare environment**  
Ermira Tartari, Msida (Malta)

**15h05**      **Environmental contamination of nosocomial pathogens**  
15h30      **in intensive care units under real-life conditions**  
Astrid Mayr, Innsbruck (Austria)

**15h30**      **Coffee break**  
16h00

**16h00**      **Innovative methods of hospital disinfection in prevention**  
16h25      **of healthcare-associated infections**  
Clare Rock, Baltimore (USA)

**16h25**      **Physical risk factors identification based on body sensor**  
16h50      **network combined to videotaping**  
Nicolas Vignais, Orsay (France)

**16h50**      **Global discussion**  
17h30