## **INVITATION LETTER**

Dear colleague,

Medical nutrition therapy is an important part of inherited metabolic diseases treatment. Diagnosis and management of these diseases requires a multidisciplinary approach in which dietitians/nutritionists play a crucial role in care of these patients. Early diagnosis and introduction of appropriate medical nutritional therapy, including constant patients and family education and regullar follow up, significantly affects the course and outcome of the disease.

Recordati Rare Diseases (RRD) Foundation promotes the accurate diagnosis and care of patients affected by a rare disease. To achieve this, the Foundation develops and delivers tailored solutions in training and education in rare diseases. For many years previous courses have been an excellent opportunity for all those who need specific education in this field. The 2022 course titled "Inborn errors of metabolism: facts, doubts and future of nutrition therapy" will be held in Zadar, Croatia, which is famous tourist destination on Adriatic coast, from June 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> (with possibility of virtual course taking into account epidemiological situation regarding COVID). This three days course is targeted to health care professionals involved in dietary treatment, both to those who are new in the field of inherited metabolic diseases and to those who need to refresh their knowledge or learn others experience. The lecturers are renown experts in the field (clinicans and dietitans/nutritionists) who will together comprehensively provide both clinical and dietetic aspects of most important groups of inborn errors of metabolism.

Course fee is 250 € and it includes 2 nights in hotel Kolovare Zadar, lunches, dinners and coffee breaks during the course, speakers' presentations to take away after the course. Participants are responsible for their own travel arrangements to and from the course.

It is our great pleasure to invite dietetians/nutritionists and other health care professionals who work in this field to join us on beautiful Adriatic coast and to learn about medical nutrition therapy in inherited metabolic diseases. We would be very thankful if you could be so kind to forward information about the course to your colleagues and members of your professional societies. We would greatly appreciate if the course information could be put on their websites.

With kind regards,

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## Useful links:

1. Recordati Rare Diseases (RRD) Foundation web and course program: <a href="https://www.rrd-foundation.org/en">https://www.rrd-foundation.org/en</a>

2. Zadar, Croatia: https://zadar.travel/

3. Hotel Kolovare: <a href="https://hotel-kolovare.com/">https://hotel-kolovare.com/</a>

Once again we thank you, and we are here for all your questions and doubts!