***INFORMATION LETTER***

**MEETING OF THE AMAP HUMAN HEALTH ASSESSMENT GROUP**

**November 11-12, 2019, St-Petersburg**

Venue: Northwest Public Health Research Center, conference hall (4th floor).

Address: St-Petersburg, 2-Sovetskaya st., 4.

**SECOND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE**

 **“Problems of Health and Sanitary-Epidemiological Wellbeing Maintenance in the Arctic”**

**November 13-15, 2019, St-Petersburg**

Venue: about the exact place in St-Petersburg you will be informed later.

Organizer: Northwest Public Health Research Center.

**Conference thematic:**

1. Living conditions in the Arctic – housing, energy supply, food accessibility, water supply and sanitation, waste disposal, etc;
2. Health care system and sanitary-epidemiological maintenance capacities, social-hygienic monitoring network;
3. Arctic environmental health, pollution issues, PTS and other contaminants, exposure, effects and risks; biomonitoring; food and water security, etc;
4. Working conditions in the Arctic, occupational safety/health/hygiene;
5. Arctic health issues and disease prevention:
	* Population health;
	* Maternal and child health;
	* Infectious and parasitic diseases, zoonoses, tuberculosis, HIV, hepatitis, etc;
	* Cancer;
	* Chronic diseases and genetics;
	* Mental wellness;
	* Suicide, trauma, hypothermia and other “external” causes;
	* Socially conditioned disease problems, incl., alcohol and drug addiction;
6. Climate change – different aspects;
7. Indigenous people and small ethnic communities: environment, traditional lifestyle and living conditions, nutrition, health issues;
8. Capacity building, strategies of development, financial-and-economic issues, investment perspectives;
9. International collaboration in the Arctic;
10. Other terms;

**Chairs**

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The working languages of the conference are English and Russian. Simultaneous translation in both languages will be provided.

**Registration Form**

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| **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE****“Problems of Health and Sanitary-Epidemiological Wellbeing Maintenance in the Arctic”*****November 13-15, 2019, St.Petersburg*** |
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We offer transportation/pickup at/to the airport.