European Coalition Against Drugs
High-Level International Meeting on Addiction Prevention and Recovery
San Patrignano, Italy - 23 October 2026

**PROGRAMME UPDATED ON 20 OCTOBER 2026**

**09.00** **Welcome coffee**

**10:00** **Opening of the proceedings**

**Antonio Tajani** — Vice-President of the Council of Ministers and Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the Italian Republic

**Member of the French Government** (TBC)

**Speakers:**

**Roberta Metsola** – President of the European Parliament

**Magnus Brunner** – European Commissioner for Internal Affairs and Migration

**Jennifer Murnane O'Connor** — EU Council Presidency, Irish Minister of State at the Department of Health

**Alain Berset** — Secretary General of the Council of Europe

**Candice Welsch** – Director of the Division for Policy Analysis and Public Affairs, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)

**Massimiliano Fedriga** – President of the Italian Conference of Regions and Autonomous Provinces

**Final remarks:**

**Giorgia Meloni** — President of the Council of Ministers of the Italian Republic

**10:50** **Family photo**

**11:00** **Presentation of the San Patrignano Community**

**Letizia Moratti** — Member of the European Parliament

**11:15** **Visit to the San Patrignano Community for Heads of Delegation**

*In parallel* **Presentation of a prevention programme to the delegations**

(Auditorium)

**13:30** **Lunch**

**14:30** **National statements on prevention and recovery**

**17:00** **Adoption of the "ECAD Declaration on Prevention and Recovery from Addictions" and closing remarks**

**Alfredo Mantovano** — Undersecretary of State to the Presidency of the Council of Ministers of the Italian Republic

**Moderator:** **Eva Crosetta**