

**III European Meeting on Women's Mental Health, Psychosis and Gender** took place last November in Barcelona. Because of Covid-19 restrictions the sessions were virtual. The Congress was organized by the **Women's and Mental Health Research Groupn (GTRDSM)**, that is part of the Catalan Society of Psychiatry and Mental Health. The congress had the support of the **IAWMH**.

In the last decades, the topic of gender differences in psychosis has generated a high amount of interest and research in the scientific community. The ways in which women and men express psychosis are probably modulated through a variety of factors related to genes, hormones and the environment. This is probably why women experience the same disease differently, and why women and men show a different response to medications and non-pharmacological treatments.

The main goal of this Meeting was to update the knowledge about several issues related to the topic of gender, women and psychosis. There were three main conferences, five symposia and oral and poster communication.

One of the conferences was by Prof. Prabha Chandra, President elected of the IAWMH, with the title of: "The Psychopathology of Postpartum Psychosis". The other two conferences were by Prof. Sivana Galderisi. "Recovery in psychosis from a gender perspective" and Prof. Ana Gonzalez-Pinto Arrillaga "Cannabis use in women with psychosis and its clinical effects"

Judith Usall Coordinator of the GTRDSM made the Welcome and Pr Anita Riecher-Rössler made the Closing ceremony.

With an attendance of 132 delegates, we consider that the Congress was a success.

COVID-19 has changed our lives. Congresses are no longer what they used to be, and nobody is certain on how they will be in the next future. However, we look forward to seeing you personally in Barcelona on the next WMH Meeting, which will be held in 2023.