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### DEVELOPMENTS IN MYELOPROLIFERATIVE NEOPLASMS

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#### POVZETEK PREDAVANJA

The diagnostic criteria for Myeloproliferative Neoplasms (MPNs) are reviewed regularly by the WHO and others. As regards developments in the treatment of MPNs, clinical trials introduce new treatments and show efficacy of existing treatments. In Polycythaemia Vera (PV) trials in low-risk PV and in high-risk PV introduce agents which may lead to changes in the treatment paradigm. However, it is in Myelofibrosis (MF) that there are major unmet needs for further therapeutic options. New single agents are becoming available and trials of combinations of therapies may open new avenues of therapy. Some of the potential advances in therapy will be discussed.

Another burning issue in MPNs is the factors which lead to the development of MPNs. We have carried out epidemiological studies in MPN and I will discuss our findings and future plans.

**Predavanje bo v angleškem jeziku.**