

On 5 May 2016, the first PATHWAY-27 workshop titled “Next step in the development of products with health claims- Practical supportive tools for the development of the product with health claims” - was held in Budapest, organized by Campden BRI Hungary Nonprofit Kft. About sixty participants took part in the workshop. They included representatives of universities, research institutes and SMEs.

The opening presentation of the event was held by the Coordinator of PATHWAY-27 project, Alessandra Bordonì (University of Bologna) and András Sebők (Campden BRI Hungary), who emphasized the importance of the topic of the project.

The series of thematic presentations started with the one of M. GAD (Applications Sante des Lipides) in the topic of Novel food. He was followed by András Sebők and Lidia Tomas (AINIA) who presented the content of the industry guideline which is focusing on development of products with health claims. Next, the scientific considerations of developing products with health claims were presented by Cyril Marsaux from ILSI Europe. Then, Dr Márta Horacsek (National Institute of Pharmacy and Nutrition – Directorate of National Institute for Food and Nutrition Science) presented practical experiences on compliance to legal requirements on health claims. Furthermore, the importance of professional data management and biostatistics was presented by Anna Pencsné Micskó from AdWare Research. As the last speaker, Réka Szöllősi presented the Commitment “Jointly for the Health of the Consumers” initiation of Federation of Hungarian Food Industries.

