

Invitation to the public oral defence of the PhD dissertation entitled

**VALIDATION OF INSTRUMENTS FOR  
DIAGNOSING DEPRESSION AND MEASURING  
STRESS IN GENERAL PRACTICE**

by

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**Monday, 19 February 2018 at 9:00 am**

Samfundsmedicinsk Auditorium, lecture hall 101, building 1262,  
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The PhD dissertation will be available in hard-copy version at the oral defence.  
Lecture and viva examination will be held in English. Everyone is welcome.

After the PhD defence, the Research Unit for General Practice will host a small reception  
in room 1.18, building 1261 at the Department of Public Health, Aarhus University.