



Europäische Regionale Organisation
der Fédération Dentaire Internationale



Report Education Committee

A three year review. To be presented at the:

ERO Moscow Plenary 04/07

The starting point of the WG Education was decided at the Bucharest plenary 2004, as part of the Dental Practice WG led by Dr.Patrick Hescot.

In this early step the main target was to develop a working paper dealing with Basic education, a statement was widely debated and presented, and adapted By the Plenary. (Ref: WG basic Educ 04)

The second step was a research on the complex issue of Continuing Education. Since number of approach are suggested, it seems useful to try bringing some Basic facts to the knowledge of our members. A questionnaire was send, and fulfilled by a great majority of the ERO Dental associations. The results and the analysis were discussed in depth by the Plenary in Athens 05 (ref: CEP 6) Consequently of the large interest the W.G was considerably enlarged (12 members) who worked in harmony in order to present at the Plenary in Porto 06 a resolution and application for the creation of a Standing committee for Education. This proposal was accepted by the Plenary.

For the year 07 the Committee felt the necessity to achieve some less theoretical Issues and to start with some more realistic projects.

Herewith the report:

During the last year this Committee has performed various and important Activities and this is the time and the place to thanks all the members for their support and advises.

Hereby the main points:

- 1- Contribution and collaboration for the set-up of the scientific program of The Pan European Congress in Moscow, with the cooperation of the ERO Task Force for Congresses***
- 2- Since the Dental Team W.G is not already in function, participation at the ERO Task Force in the concerns of the Risk Management. A questionnaire was sent to all the European Dental Associations. Please do not forget to fulfill and sent back this document.***
- 3- As result of the discussion and reports of the last ERO Plenary a discussion paper was sent to the International Dental Journal and should be published End of March 07.***
- 4- A Charter for Organizers of Cont.Education is now in preparation***

We hope for the next year to progress on our targets and be able to achieve With your support and collaboration our commitments.