



ČESKÁ STOMATOLOGICKÁ KOMORA
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Developments in dental associations/chambers

In May 2012 was re-elected to the position of the Czech Dental Chamber president Dr. Pavel Chrz. His term of office will be 2013 – 2017.

In May 2013 will be elected new Board and vice-president of the Czech Dental Chamber for the next four years.

Changes to national legislation affecting dentistry, including implementation of EU legislation

The Council Directive amending Directive 76/768/EEC, concerning cosmetic products, was implemented into the Czech legislation as ministerial regulation “vyhl. 448/2009 Sb. ve znění ze dne 27.6.2012”. This regulation is valid since October, 31, 2012.

Changes to funding of oral care

The dental care covered from health insurance funds: despite of the economical crisis and economical problems of health insurance companies the Czech Dental Chamber negotiated for the year 2013 the same prices of the dental care as in the year 2012.

Dental education, including undergraduate, vocational, specialties, CPD etc.

Czech Dental Chamber is a leader of the Czech Dentistry. Czech Dental Chamber by itself organised for the dentists' CPD 90 theoretical courses, 9 practical courses and annual international congress Prague Dental Days in the year 2012.

Czech Dental registered to the lifelong learning programme (CPD) 1057 training and short-term trainee-ships held by other organizers in the year 2012.

Dentist workforce and dental team issues

All dentists practising in the territory of the Czech Republic must be members of the Czech Dental Chamber. The Czech Dental Chamber maintains a statutory register containing data on the dentists including their qualifications achieved and their method of practice.

In the Czech Republic are practising 5926 entrepreneurs with their own practise and partners of corporate bodies and 1895 dentists – employees.

Lobbying activities by the association/chamber based on CED policy documents

For the last few months is the president of the Czech Dental Chamber Dr. Pavel Chrz in contact with the Czech Ministry of Health and with the responsible officers of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports to support dentists' positions in the EU Council's discussions on the Professional Qualifications Directive.

ČSK members classified by the method of their practice

Entrepreneurs with their own surgery and partners of corporate bodies	5926	63,35 %
Employees	1895	20,26 %
ČSK members on maternity leave	308	3,29 %
Retired	977	10,45 %
The others – not working in this sector in the Czech Republic	248	2,65 %
Total	9354	100,00 %

Dentists practising in the Czech Republic, classified by age and sex

Age	Men	Women	Total
24 – 29	349	728	1077
30 – 34	342	290	632
35 – 39	230	254	484
40 – 44	198	415	613
45 – 49	186	341	527
50 – 54	176	395	571
55 – 59	518	1393	1911
60 – 64	427	746	1173
65 – 69	217	407	624
70 – 99	114	95	209
Total	2757	5064	7821

Dentists practising in the Czech Republic, classified by age and expertise

Age	DP*	Orthodontists	Surgery**	Clinical dentistry	Total
24 – 29	1070	7	0	0	1077
30 – 34	603	29	0	0	632
35 – 39	439	34	8	3	484
40 – 44	563	35	12	3	613
45 – 49	496	17	12	2	527
50 – 54	551	16	2	2	571
55 – 59	1802	95	8	6	1911
60 – 64	1097	60	10	6	1173

65 - 69	578	32	9	5	624
70 - 99	182	12	11	4	209
Total	7381	337	72	31	7821

*Dentists, members of the Czech Dental Chamber, with professional competency to exercise the dentist profession as per Act No. 95/2004

**Oral and maxillofacial surgery

Foreigners practising dentistry in the Czech Republic

EU citizens	Non-EU citizens	Total
168	217	385

The Czech Dental Chamber (ČSK) prepares medical school graduates for their independent practice. The ČSK organizes lifelong learning programmes for dentists and confirms compliance with lifelong learning requirements by issuing the Certificate of Proficiency. Simultaneously, the Chamber organizes training for dental auxiliaries.

Holders of the valid Certificate of Proficiency

Type of the Certificate of Proficiency	No. of certificates	Issued 2011
Dentist Practitioner holding the Certificate of Proficiency	4625	523
Dentist Practitioner holding the Certificate of Proficiency in Periodontology	500	98
Dentist Practitioner holding the Certificate of Proficiency in Oral Surgery	513	53
Dentist Practitioner holding the Certificate of Proficiency in Paediatric Dentistry	20	9
Dentist holding the Certificate of Proficiency in Orthodontics	37	7
Total	5695	690

Training organized by the ČSK

Training		No. of participants	
Type of training	No. of training events	Dentists	The others
Theoretical	90	2237	143
Practical	9	82	10
Prague Dental Days	1	579	681
Total	100	2898	834

Training and short-term trainee-ships held by other organizers, registered with the ČSK

No. of training events	1057
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