**WFNR SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP ANNUAL REPORT 2021**

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| Name of Special Interest Group  | **Special Interest Group on Measurement, Assessment, Classification****SIG-MAC of WFNR** |
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| Number of Members   |   |
| Key objectives and action plan   | 1. Encouraging awareness on burden of neurological diseases using common classification and assessment tools.
2. Sharing and comparing clinical innovations and research in the fields of disability, ageing and neurology that are becoming increasingly important, both because of the number of cases and because of the enormity and complexity of the challenges that they produces;
3. Making available up-to-date, validated scientific information to all Members, to support the establishment of the structures and centres that are ever more frequently required;
4. Creating suitable conditions such that the WFNR and Members of the Special Interest Group can rapidly become reference figures at an international level in this sector;
5. Offering a further reason for joining the WFNR and the member National Societies, for all those who are involved or interested in the process of data comparability, clinical measurement, outcome evaluation and rehabilitation of neurological patients;
6. To link WFNR work through an increase knowledge of ICF use to the UN Conventions of the Rights of People with Disability.
7. Create collaboration with WHO and other Scientific Societies and different International bodies, particularly with those involved with ICF and related tools implementation and use.
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| Activities during previous 12 months     | Organization during the 2020 WCNR of the SIG MAC conference on ICF and WHO Das 2.0 with international expertsWriting a book chapter on Goal settings with ICF in stroke rehabilitationParticipation of Chair and Co Chair as speakers to the IFNR meeting on ICF, on NeuroCovid. Providing a comprehensive training on use of ICF, WHO Das 2.0, ICHI and ICD 11 in the WFNR training on Stroke neurorehabilitation-heo WFNR Certificate Teaching Course (TC) – Clinical Pathways in Stroke RehabilitationParticipation to the activities related to the development of the WHO Global Action Plan On Epilepsy and Other neurological disorders  |
| Proposed activities   | Organization of the 2022 SIG MAC conference and workshop to take place at **12th** **World Congress for Neurorehabilitation 2022**, which will take place in Vienna from 14–17 December: Organized by WFNR SIG MAC\_ Joint symposium of WFNR SIG MAC and Global ICF Education Group Functioning science: the future of the biopsychosocial model and its impact on rehabilitation 90 minutes - VirtualOrganization of training workshops on goal setting with ICF and WHO DAS 2.0 to be held in 2022 in collaboration with several institutions: 4 hoursParticipation to the development of rehabilitation meetings related to the NEUROCOVID rehabilitation Participation to WHO Rehabilitation 2030 activities so as to implement the knowledge and use of ICF and other related instruments in neurorehabilitation  |
| Publications | Book chapter on Goal settings with ICF in stroke rehabilitation |

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