

## EpiSouth Electronic Bulletin Issue 0 – September 2007



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### EpiSouth Documents

The first EpiSouth Project Meeting was held in Rome on the 28-30 March 2007

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The 1st EpiSouth Training Module took place at the ISCIII - Madrid, Spain on the 10-14 September 2007 (cofunded by the Italian MoH-EPIMED Project).

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### EpiSouth Quarterly Agenda

10-12 December 2007: the 2nd Steering Committee Meeting and the 2nd Plenary Meeting will take place in Athens, Greece.

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ESCAIDE conference

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4th ESEI congress

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## Announcing the birth of EpiSouth

Project "EpiSouth" is aimed at creating a framework of collaboration on epidemiological issues in order to improve communicable diseases surveillance, communication and training across Mediterranean countries.

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## Defining an EpiSouth Network

Starting as an EU project, EpiSouth struggled to develop its Mediterranean vocation. From an initial involvement of 5 countries (Italy, Spain, France, Greece, and Bulgaria), it includes now partners from 21 countries from Southern Europe, Balkans, Middle East, and Northern Africa.

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## Focus Topic

The entry into force of the IHR (2005) on 15 June 2007 is a public health landmark for the global community and will contribute significantly to enhancing national, regional and international public health security.

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