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EpiSouth Events

The EpiSouth Network activities have been presented at the following meetings/conferences

Conference on Harmonising European Initiatives on high-level Biocontainment Laboratories; Rome, Italy, 9-10 September 2010

> Agenda and presentation

Visit of the Minister of Health Arab Republic of Egypt to the Italian National Institute of Health (ISS); Rome, Italy, 19 October 2010

> Programme and presentation

24th Meeting of the South-Eastern Europe Health Network. Tirana, Albania, 10-11 November 2010

> Programme and presentation

ARBOZONET Annual Meeting, Rabat, Morocco, 22-24 November 2010

> Agenda and presentation

8th IEA Eastern Mediterranean Regional Scientific Meeting, Beirut, Lebanon, 25-27 November 2010

> Programme and presentation

EpiSouth Documents

The article "EPISOUTH: network for communicable disease control in southern Europe and Mediterranean countries" has been published in the proceedings of the Conference on Health Threats in the European Union.

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The Project final report and evaluation report are available on line

> Project Evaluation Report

EpiSouth Activities

The directory of training courses and fellowships is now available on line.

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The deliverables of the EpiSouth Project have been made available in a dedicated page of the web site.

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New thematic notes on West Nile virus in EpiSouth Countries have been released in September and October 2010 and made available on-line.

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The EpiSouth Network

Starting as an EU project, the EpiSouth Network struggled to develop its Mediterranean vocation. From an initial involvement of 5 countries (Italy, Spain, France, Greece, and Bulgaria), it finally includes ALL the Mediterranean countries (27 countries from Southern Europe, Balkans, Middle East, and Northern Africa) and partners from collaborating institutions.

EpiSouth Project has been closed in June 2010 but the network activities are continuing through the new EU-funded Project called "EpiSouth Plus" started on 15 October 2010

> Participating Countries

> Collaborating Institutions

> EpiSouth Plus Abstract

Focus Topic

Created in 1997, Training Programs in Epidemiology and Public Health Interventions Network (TEPHINET) is a professional network of field epidemiology training programs (FETPs) located in 43 countries around the world. TEPHINET aims to strengthen international public health capacity by training field epidemiologists through an applied apprenticeship program.

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