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Serbian Society
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Brief description of activities:

Serbian Society of Hypertension is the association of doctors which gathers experts in different fields of medicine who deal with the problem of arterial hypertension.

Serbian Society of Hypertension (former Yugoslav League of Hypertension) was founded in 1995. The founder was Prof.dr Djordje Kozarević. The first chairman of the Yugoslav League of Hypertension was Prof.dr. Dragoslav Avramović from 1995 to 1996. After that, the chairman was Prof.dr Maksimilijan Kocijanić in the term from 1996 to 2005.

Five symposiums about hypertension and a Congress of Yugoslav League of hypertension have been held so far.

The Society of Hypertension issues two magazines – Journal for Hypertension and the Bulletin of League of Hypertension.

Yugoslav League of Hypertension has been a member of The World League of Hypertension since 1996.

After the death of Prof.dr M.Kocijancić, Prim dr Časlav Stošić was the chairman of the Yugoslav League of Hypertension from 2005 to 2008.

In June 2008, Serbian Society of Hypertension became a member of the European Society of Hypertension and it renewed its membership in the World League of Hypertension in January, 2009.

At the meeting held on September 16th, 2008, Yugoslav League of Hypertension changed its name in Serbian Society of Hypertension , passed a new statute of the Association and selected a new leadership.

The aims of the Serbian Society of Hypertension are:

- to gather the experts who deal with the problem of arterial hypertension
- to suggest measures for development and improvement of health protection of patients with hypertension
- to work on professional and scientific development of doctors by organizing professional and scientific meetings
- to work on continual education of doctors in primary health protection
- to develop co-operation with specialized and scientific institutions in Serbia and abroad

Educational activities

The Serbian Society of Hipertension in 2009, organises 2 meetings of 2-3 days duration annually under the name `` Schooll of Hypertension `` in selected cities throughout Serbia , in order to provide updated knowledge on hypertension.

Also Society organises one day continuing education seminars on specific topics.

In 2009 Serbian Society of Hypertension was organized World Hypertension Day in a 20 cities in Serbia on May 17th . Central meeting was in a Belrade . This meeings was under the patronage of President of Republic of Serbia , Ministry of health of Serbia and the mayor of city of Belgrade. The subject of hypertension day was ``a salt and a high blood pressure``.

In 2009 Serbian Society as a co-organizers of two congresses held in Serbia- The V Congress of internal medicine for the South-Eastern Europe and The XVII Congress of the Cardiology Society of Serbia.

For the next year Serbian Society will organize the Congress of Hypertension in Belgrade 26th -28th February 2010.

Working groups

The management of the Serbian Society of Hypertension also are the coordinators of working groups of hypertension of Serbian Cardiology Society and a working group of Ministry of Health of Republic of Serbia.

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