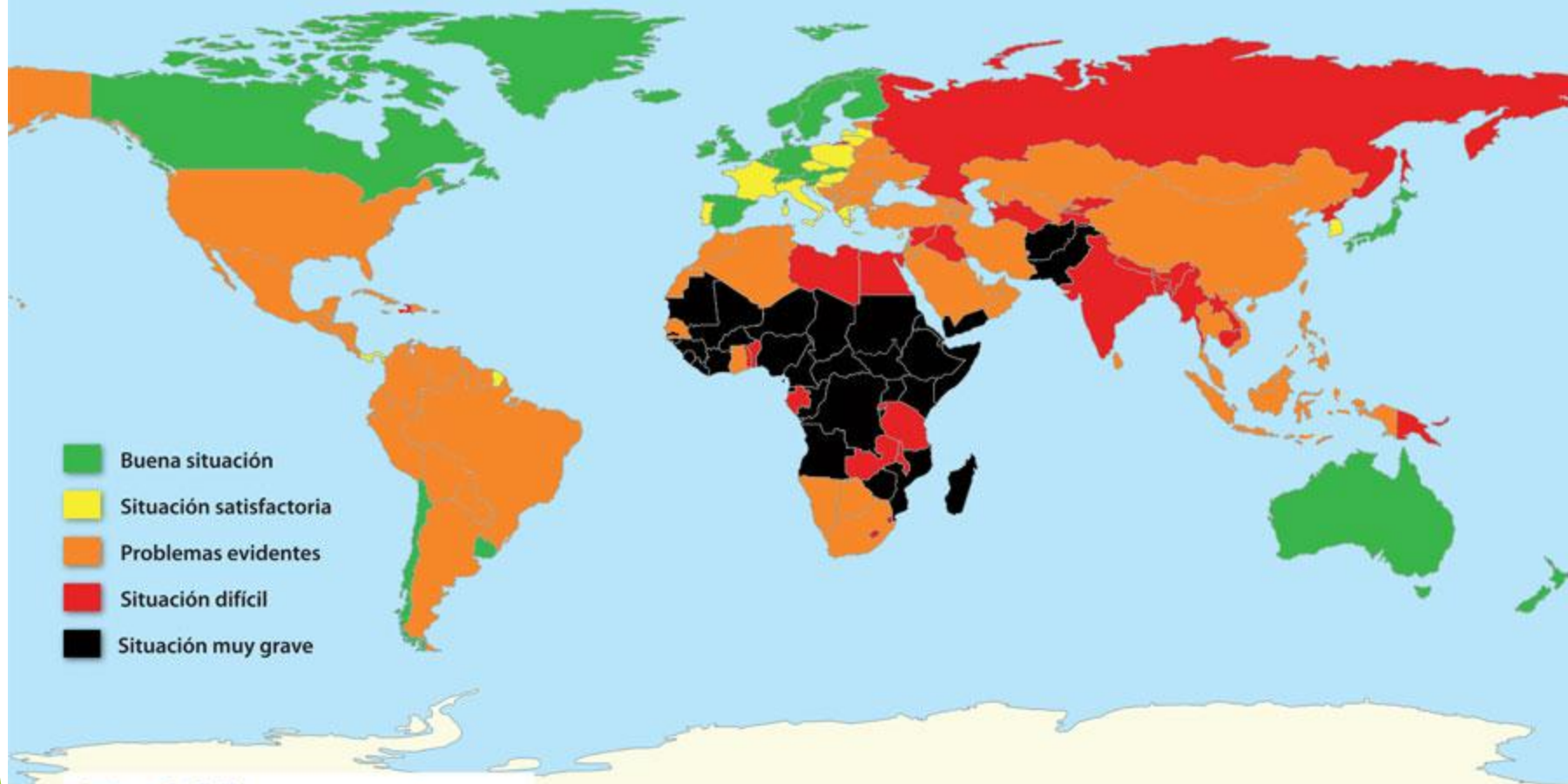


Children's Rights: Europe 2015

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Derechos del Niño en el mundo 2014



-  Buena situación
-  Situación satisfactoria
-  Problemas evidentes
-  Situación difícil
-  Situación muy grave

Life



Education



Food



Health



Protection



Water



Identity



Freedom



Europe / Pediatricians and children's rights

- 170,000 Pediatricians work in Primary Care in Europe
- Demography and patterns of care vary between and within countries
- Children's rights in clinical practice was partially studied only in hospital settings

Objectives

To explore competencies and knowledge on children's rights in primary care

To identify cultural, ethnic, organisational, legal and education variables that influence clinical practice

To identify needs in coping with children's rights

To know about national policies on children's rights in primary care practice

Methods – questionnaire

- ▶ Q1 Primary care pediatricians
- ▶ Q2 National Paediatric Policy

Q1 – Responders

▶ Cyprus	22
▶ France	1300
▶ Germany	62
▶ Hungary	122
▶ Israel	146
▶ Italy	170
▶ Spain AEPap	151
▶ Spain SEPEAP	188
▶ Slovenia	79

Q1: Main questions on

- ▶ Demographic data
- ▶ Paediatricians and “children’s rights” in practice
- ▶ Social issues in practice
- ▶ Conflicts about children’s rights

How do you define your professional role (in % of responders)

PCP Primary Care Pediatrician CP Community Pediatrician FD Family Doctor
PCP+HD Primary care+ hospital PCP+CP Primary Care + community Pediatrician

CY GER HU ISR IT FR SL Sp1 Sp2

PCP	69	89	70	47	66	68	70	72	83
CP	0	13	4	21	3	0	5	8	7
FD	5	20	0	5	14	0	1	3	0
PCP+HD	9	2	2	21	4	21	6	9	3
PCP+CP	23	1	37	29	16	11	23	21	20

Have you completed formal training (in % of responders) in:

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Pediatrics	100	97	99	95	92	95	76	83	95
in PCP	9	31	2	11	6	34	11	38	43
in CP		5	29	5	6	9	15	20	9

Gender

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Female	37	25	81	44	63	80	92	58	66
Male	63	75	19	56	37	20	8	42	34

AGE

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
20-29	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	1
30-39	18	0	4	6	2	11	10	10	5
40-49	18	25	11	31	9	19	27	18	36
50-59	50	51	50	39	72	42	47	40	47
60-75	14	25	35	26	16	28	16	29	11

Do you feel that you have enough of knowledge regarding children's rights

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes	50	51	31	49	45	30	65	47	34
No	50	49	69	51	55	70	35	53	66

Comments

If Yes- Where does your information on children's rights originate?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Literature	64	87	57	72	91	92	75	72	82
Training	64	32	56	53	28	74	52	68	67
Media	18	71	47	37	13	34	44	46	45
Law	18	19	9	31	7	8	33	37	41
Other	9	10	16	3	3	8	10	5	10

Do you feel that “equal access to health care” is implemented in your practice

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
YES	73	87	87	88	80	99	97	84	83
NO	27	13	13	12	20	1	3	16	17

Is the right of being informed, on examination, diagnosis and treatment ,implemented in your practice?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes	100	95	91	94	83	99	97	96	98
No	5	9	6	17	1	3	4	2	2

Who is informed?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
The parent	32	56	10	50	27	67	28	33	27
The adolescent	18	58	3	37	17	54	22	24	24
The child	9	42	0	24	6	56	15	9	12
All	73	77	87	67	74	54	78	77	79
Other	5	11		4	1	2	4	15	16

Informed consent in your practice

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes	68	87	84	58	77	70	96	68	63
No	32	13	16	42	23	30	4	32	37

Is the right of children to express his/her opinion, implemented in your practice?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes	90	100	92	88	83	88	95	83	92
No	10		8	12	17	12	5	17	8

Can you respect privacy and confidentiality of your patient, within your office?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes	100	100	85	96	94	75	99	86	88
No			15	4	6	25	1	14	11

Do you refer children to hospital due to:

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
*Social problems	100	87	9	69	92	87	87	89	84
*Shortage of one day clinics		5	7	17	6	15	12	30	31
*Limited facilities in community		52	38	62	11	41	32	57	50
*Local structure problems		35	26	30	11	17	17	35	41
*Other		1	5	7	3	15	7	13	15

Is the right to refuse to a medical intervention implemented in your practice? If yes: what kind of intervention you think are acceptable to be refused ?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	SP2
Yes (%)	68	98	85	87	62	85	82	83	87
Examination	67	93	20	64	16	35	55	28	28
Hospitalization	67	85	61	59	30	27	48	18	23
Immunization	87	95	64	74	81	90	85	83	87
Medical treatment	67	95	31	65	40	57	77	39	52
Others	13	25		13	2	16	10	12	15

Do you apply any method to avoid unnecessary pain?
 Can you provide “child friendly health care” in your praxis?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes Avoiding pain	95	91	75	83	80	90	90	91	95
Friendly	95	98	91	88	86	29	99	95	96

No	5	9	25	17	20	10	10	9	5
	5	2	9	11	14	20	1	5	4

France 40% not applicable “ child friendly”

How often do patient's families refuse to cooperate within the doctor's decision

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Never	18	7	2	20	23	25	11	31	32
Sometimes	82	88	95	77	75	74	83	69	68
Often		5	3	3	2	1	6		

How many times did you feel, that the patient's family behaved aggressively toward the health staff

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Never	23	11	2	23	15	16	7	10	12
Sometimes	77	87	95	77	82	83	92	89	85
Often		2	3		3	1	1	1	3

Have you a direct contact with the Social service, in the case of need? Do you have feedback, reports, from child welfare or social services

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Direct contact	73	96	96	91	70	80	94	97	90
Feedback	50	63	65	40	33	52	70	84	74

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Your country ratified the UNCRC: Do you think that children's rights have been applied to Primary care?

	CY	GER	HU	ISR	IT	FR	SL	Sp1	Sp2
Yes	27	16	33	51	24	53	72	46	47
No		9		3	14	2		1	2
Partially	72	75	77	45	62	45	28	53	51

C2- 14 countries

- ▶ Type of doctor (PCP-FD-Comb)
- ▶ Education and training on children's rights
- ▶ Implementation of the UN convention of children's rights

Type of Doctors in Primary Care :

- PPC 60%
- Combined 40%
- Social Pediatrician 53%

Education/training in Children's Rights

- Faculty of Medicine 52%
- Residency in Pediatrics 57%
- Conferences and Meetings
Never 13%
Sometimes 73%

ADVOCACY

- *Ombudsman-comisioner* 73%
- *ONU report on Children Rights* 40%
- *Implementation in Primary Care* 47%

Conclusions⁽¹⁾

- ◆ Knowledge and implementation of UNCRC in Pediatric Primary Care varies significantly between different countries
- ◆ Basic access to care exists at the majority of European cities but ... in rural areas? In areas of ethnic minorities? Migration areas?

Conclusions⁽²⁾

- ◆ UNCRC has to be included and implemented at all level of care
- ◆ Training and continuous education on this area must be a part of pediatric knowledge and practice
- ◆ Further studies on this area will add to the better understanding of barriers in clinical practice at the primary care level



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