

## INTRODUCTION

The Global Educational Committee in collaboration with the EBMT NG President, other Committees and various Nurse Groups, aims to coordinate and organize outreach meetings in cooperation with other non-profit associations with the same mission in objectives.

Together they coordinate and provide a range of educational activities for nurses and allied health professionals within the field of Haematology and Haematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation.

Key objectives of the GEC:

- The organization and coordination of HSCT nursing educational events and activities in LMICs.
- Working in collaboration with like-minded entities to foster and strengthen the ability of local nurse leaders to develop and sustain educational networks.
- Creating a model not solely dependent on EBMT but that becomes part of the global community.

## ACHIEVEMENTS 2023



### ☐ NURSE NAVIGATION EBMT WEBSITE PROJECT:

#### ➤ AIMS:

- Understand how nurses use the EBMT website, find information and navigate their way to access our resources.
- Identify possible barriers in navigating the website and help us identify areas where access and navigation need to be improved

➤ A SURVEY was created and sent on a first round in October and closed in December 2023.

### ☐ EAST EUROPE NURSES GROUPS:

#### ➤ Evaluate needs together with Nurse leaders from:

- Czech Republic
- Slovenia
- Croatia
- Romania

#### ➤ Czech Republic Nurses Group:

- Online meetings: 3 meetings with GEC NG and NG Board
- Aims of the group are being defined.
- Terms of Reference: Developed, pending approval
- BMT NG is a part of their Haematology Society
- Nurse leaders: Klara Kabatoba and Kateřina Hašová
- Chair: to be defined
- **Presentation of the Czech Republic NG at the 16<sup>th</sup> Nurses Group Educational Meeting, National Chairs meeting.**



## ACHIEVEMENTS 2023 - 2024

### ❖ Survey Results: Nurses Navigating the EBMT website

- 124 nurses from 33 different countries in Europe, Asia, Latin America and Africa responded.
- Actions:
  - Opening of the survey again for a second round with the aim to reach more nurses in each country.
  - Evaluate producing Infographics to help spread information about EBMT educational resources.

### ❖ East Europe: Evaluate needs together with Nurse leaders

- Support new possible Nurses Groups
- Contacts with nurse leaders from Slovenia, Croatia and Romania
  - Online meetings: three meetings with GEC NG and NG Board
  - Exploring possibilities for countries that share understanding language: group Croatia and Slovenia.
  - Educational day: Rebro Hospital, Zagreb collaboration Croatia and Slovenia.

## PLANNED PROJECTS 2024-2025

### ❖ Collaborate in new research projects with other Nurses Group:

- Indian Nurses Group (First contact)
- Latin-American Nurses Group (LABMT NG)

### ❖ Chapter for next edition of the Nurses Textbook:

*"LMIC: Supporting transplant care through nurse education programs and networks."*

### ❖ GEC Session EBMT meeting 2025

- Outreach information
- Inequalities
- Transcultural care

### ❖ South Africa Project

- Meeting with NG Board and GEC NG after EBMT 2024

## MEMBERS AND CONTACT

Special thanks to members that stepped down:  
Eugenia Trigoso and Stavroula Chante.



Welcome our new member of the GEC: Angela Leather – Lead Nurse for Cell Therapy Specialist nurses, working in Manchester UK, is delighted to be part of the GEC Trio working with other nurses to ensure equality in education and collaboration.



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