

2º Conferencia Internacional de Sindicatos Médicos

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Participants in the 2nd Conference of Medical Professional Associations support international affirmative actions aiming at promoting professional exchange and the application of the WHO Code of Good Practices for the International Recruitment of Health Personnel in 2010.

Participants shall also endorse the freedom of movement and the right to live and work in the country of choice

It is key that countries benefit from professional migration in an equitable way that also evidences reciprocity, and develop collaborative strategies for all countries to be able to meet their needs.

Additionally, it is the key objective of medical associations to guarantee that migrant physicians have the same working conditions as local physicians and that there is no discrimination.

Similarly, countries should guarantee the right of countries to ensure the quality of the medical training, skills and competencies of migrant and local doctors. They shall share the minimum comparable standards in all countries.

In order to ensure better conditions for medical migration, we aim at developing:

- The necessary tools to implement this information exchange to be presented in the next conference
- An information system with indicators regarding working conditions, medical and language training for migrating physicians
- A union coordination network to find union support in the country of destination

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