

Annual report 2019

EUPHA Injury prevention and safety promotion section (EUPHA-INJ)

Goals for 2019

1. The main goal of the section is to promote injury prevention and safety promotion in public health.
2. The section offers suggestions for plenary speakers, workshops and round table sessions and encourages section members to submit abstracts for EPH conferences.
3. The section seeks ways to strengthening injury prevention and safety promotion in Europe in collaboration with other actors.

Collaboration with section members

In 2018 EPH conference an advisory group was nominated. This group was active in seeking contacts and opportunities to collaborate with other EUPHA sections. Finally two workshops for the EPH conference in Marseille were proposed. One proposal was made together with the child and adolescent public health section and the other, accepted one, with health promotion section and EuroHealthNet.

Activities at the EPH conference

The section decided not to organise a pre-conference in 2019, since the European conference on injury prevention was held in October in Luxembourg. Section members were encouraged and reminded to submit abstracts for the EPH conference. The section president was a member in the scientific committee and reviewed close to one hundred abstracts.

Annual meeting

The annual meeting of the section will take place on Friday November 22nd in Marseille. In this meeting the two present vice presidents Lucie Laflamme and Mathilde Sengolge will resign and new Vice President will be appointed. Other topics to be discussed are the upcoming conferences: the World Conference in Rome and the European and World conference on safety promotion and Injury prevention. In addition the section will start seeking a new president for the next three year period.

General communications with section members

Section members have received 3 electronic letters per e-mail written by the section president.