

MEDGEN JOINT PROJECT

Developing Medical Genetics Education Through Curriculum Reforms And Establishment Of Postgraduate Training Programs

Project Rationale: Lack of workforce capacity in MG in Armenia

Physicians are not trained in MG to practice clinical genetics and genetic counseling. There are neither Master/Doctorate programs nor clinical residency training programs in MG. Genetic tests are performed by specially trained biologists or PhD geneticists and only in 1 specialized centre.

The wider objective

Development and implementation of solid basis with active workforce of Medical Genetics (MG) corresponding to EU recommendations of educational and professional standards and reinforcement of international cooperation capacity in Armenia and Israel.

The specific Objectives

- Develop and implement 3 Master and 1 Clinical Residency Programs in MG
- Build capacity for teaching MG
- Introduce EU standards in teaching MG
- Build international MG network

Partner Country Participants



Yerevan State Medical University (Coordinator)



The Russian-Armenian University



The Tel Aviv University



Technion- Israel Institute of Technology

European Universities



Alma Mater Studiorum University of Bologna, Italy



Plymouth University, United Kingdom



Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic



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