

THE ROLE OF EULAR IN SUPPORTING EDUCATION ULOGA EULAR-A U PODRŽAVANJU IZOBRAZBE

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EULAR has a long history of providing education for rheumatologists, health professionals in rheumatology and people with RMDs. This commitment to education is enshrined in the EULAR strategy and will always be a large part of what EULAR does. The delivery vehicle for this and your point of access is the EULAR School of Rheumatology (ESOR), founded several years ago whilst Professor Gerd Burmester was EULAR President. The 'School' provides free learning materials along with more than 80 online courses and modules. This includes the ever popular 'EULAR course in rheumatic diseases' that attracts around 1000 new learners every year who are exposed to easy to use and interactive online teaching across the breadth of RMDs.

There are also courses aimed at people with RMDs and health professionals who work in the RMD space. In addition to online courses there are live face to face courses. Some of the most popular include the MSK ultrasound and capillaroscopy courses but there is also immunology, epidemiology and the EULAR Postgraduate Course for Health Professionals in Rheumatology. The quality of the online and live courses is provided by the large number of dedicated rheumatologists, health professionals and people with RMDs who develop and update the courses. Having colleagues involved who work or live with RMDs every day keeps the content relevant.

Work to support rheumatologists and national scientific societies continues in partnership with our UEMS colleagues on defining 'standards to train rheumatologists' with competences and suggested learning approaches and the development of a European rheumatology examination.

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