



Clinical Biology Section Annual Report 2022

- Brief summary of accomplishments:

Follow up of the FIP statement on “The role of pharmacy professionals in point-of-care testing”, including its presentation during the FIP council in Sevilla.

Goals in 2023:

- Goal #1: Keep (r)establishing contacts with pharmacists involved in clinical biology and their organisations across the world
- Goal #2: Restoring the contact with the Internal Federation of Clinical Chemistry (participation to Rome congress)
- Goal #3: Working with other FIP sections

Part B: Input into the 2022 FIP annual report

The FIP annual report covers activities from January to December 2022.

The provisional theme of the annual report this year is: **“One FIP: United for a healthier world”**.

FIP HQ would like to highlight selected Section activities in its annual report. To facilitate effective integration of your accomplishments in this report, please fill in the box below.

As well as being a promotional tool, an annual report can be used as an internal document to record achievements as well as challenges. You may consider acknowledging substantial contributions of individuals who were instrumental in initiating/completing important tasks relevant to your Section members. In addition, to recognising and thanking people, an annual report can also serve as a medium to motivate and inspire people to contribute to the goals of the Board of Pharmaceutical Practice (BPP).

- In two or three sentences, please highlight one activity that relates to the provisional theme of the annual report **“One FIP: United for a healthier world”** and describe its impact/outcomes. We greatly appreciate quantitative information if available.

FIP statement on “The role of pharmacy professionals in point-of-care testing”

- For the above activity, please provide a positive quote that can be used in the annual report. This quote could be from a person within or external to FIP. It should say something good about FIP/the Section and why the activity was beneficial. It should reflect well on FIP's work without being overly promotional.

Quote: The World Health Organization has said that when point-of-care tests are adequately performed, they improve quality of care. With this policy statement, FIP is leading on point-of-care testing in pharmacy settings as a way to strengthen health systems around the world. This is particularly important in low- and middle-income countries to ensure affordable access to health services. It is crucial for pharmacy professionals to be included in national and local strategies and I encourage all stakeholders to read the statement

Person's name, including title (Prof, Dr, Mr, Mrs, Ms): Dr Julien Fonsart

His or her job/role title: President of the Clinical Biology section

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(For example, in the 2014 annual report (p. 14), the signing of a memorandum of understanding between FIP and Monash University was mentioned. So for the activity (the signing of memorandum), the form would be as follows:

Quote: "Monash University is thrilled to partner with FIP as a means to broaden the reach and scope of the SABER platform to support pharmacy teaching and learning environments through the auspices of FIP."

Person's name, including title (Prof, Dr, Mr, Mrs, Ms): Prof Bill Charman

His or her job/role title: Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

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Last year's annual report is accessible at

<https://www.fip.org/publications?publicationCategory=18&publicationYear=&publicationKeyword=>,
should you wish to refer to it.