

Croatian League Against Epilepsy 2021-2022 Report

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ACTIVITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- During the 14th Croatian Symposium on Epilepsy the General Assembly of the League was held and chapter officers were elected for the period of the next 4 years. Professor Silvio Bašić was re-elected as a president of the Croatian League Against Epilepsy.
- Members of the Croatian League Against Epilepsy participated in the organization of several congresses, including Adriatic Neurology Forum, 2022; 4th Croatian Academy of Neurology, 2002; 1st Croatian Congress on Sleep Disorders in Neurology, 2022.
- The Croatian League Against Epilepsy continued good collaboration with Croatian Association for Epilepsy, Croatian Child Neurology Society and Croatian Society for EEG and Clinical Neurophysiology.
 - Yearly events were held in few cities in Croatia on National and International Epilepsy Day (February 2021 and 2022).
 - The League also participated in activities for Purple Day 2021 and 2022, with the aim of raising public awareness on epilepsy.
 - Some of the events were held virtually due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Efforts have been made to implement the Croatian guidelines for the Pharmacological Treatment of Epilepsy in everyday clinical practice. Lectures on this topic were held regularly, as well as workshops.

FUTURE PLANS FOR 2023

Croatian League Against Epilepsy will continue to work closely with the ILAE chapters from neighboring countries. Furthermore, the League will continue to promote the development of epileptology in Croatia and participate in the education of neurologists and other specialists that are included in care of epilepsy patients, with special emphasis on implementation of new Pharmacological Guidelines. Plans for next year include the organization of the 15th Croatian Symposium on Epilepsy and active participation in the 11th Migrating Course on Epilepsy (MCE) in Belgrade, Serbia.

MEETINGS

The 14th Croatian Symposium on Epilepsy was held in August 2021 in Šibenik.

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