

What is going on in SAC

The Society continues working hard in different areas. Specifically, a large team of collaborators has been set up in the area of Health Policies. The executive Board is progressing in the creation of Registries and plans with the National, The Buenos Aires Province and the Autonomous City of Buenos Aires Ministries of Health, among others, within our strategic view of "working to reduce cardiovascular mortality in the Argentine Republic by 25% by the year 2025". Although this may seem an ambitious project, it has clear goals and internationally approved work guidelines.

SAC will be reporting through various means of communication these work guidelines comprising: smoking, hypertension, obesity, diabetes, access and adherence to treatment, as well as specific heart failure and infarction programs.

Furthermore, SAC is focussed on the next Argentine Congress of Cardiology that will be held together with the Interamerican Society of Cardiology at La Rural venue with high-ranking guests as Valentín Fuster, Salim Yusuf and 50 faculties of different specialities.

Another relevant point we wish to communicate

through this letter is that the Argentine Society of Cardiology and the Argentine Federation of Cardiology Presidents have met on several occasions and established an agreement to work together on four well defined subjects: health policies, joint participation in both congresses, permanence of joint activities in the Argentine Chapter of the American College of Cardiology and recertification. In due time, we will formally communicate these specifications.

The other permanent SAC concern today is its Members with whom we wish to keep in close contact fulfilling our mission of providing support for an adequate representation and contribution to the education and information of every aspect of cardiovascular disease.

We will keep in touch by different means while this Journal works hard to be accepted in the Index this year, that as already mentioned, is one of its main strategic goals.

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