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EADPH Web site and Special Interest Groups

<http://www.dundee.ac.uk/eadph/sigs.htm>

Ken Eaton has asked me to invite anyone with special interests to get in touch with him. The idea behind the groups is to establish links between interested parties with a view to making networks of individuals with common interests. One example of an established Special Interest Group is the Epidemiology Group. There is a lot going on within the group, most notably involvement in the European Global Oral Health Indicator Development Project (EGOHID II). I have been working on Work Package 7 of EGOHID II which is the Clinical Indicators element of the project. There are 15 agreed clinical indicators from Phase I and we are now developing a 'full standard clinical form' and training to support its use across all 27 countries in order to facilitate collection of comparable information at an EU level. I will keep you informed of progress as we move towards the piloting phase later in the year.

What's on in Dental Public Health this summer?

- Annual International Caries Detection and Assessment System (ICDAS) Workshop, (Helsingør Denmark, 3rd and 4th July). Followed by the 54th [European Organisation for Caries Research \(ORCA\) meeting](#), (4th - 7th July)
- 33rd annual Association for [Dental Education in Europe](#) (ADEE) Meeting (Dublin, 4th & 5th September) and this is followed immediately by the Global Congress on Dental Education (6th to 8th September).
- [12th Annual Conference of the European Association of Dental Public Health](#). The pre-conference in Ghent on the 20th of September followed by the 2-day main event in Leuven.

Future EADPH annual conferences

The 2008 EADPH conference will be in Heidelberg, Germany between the 4th and 5th of September and then in Tromsø, Norway between the 28th and 29th of August in 2009. I will keep you up to date when the time gets a bit closer.

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