

Name of the country

Romania

HOPE - Report 2010

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as soon as possible. At least before 1e of September, 2010

A.

Committee Member/ contact person (please underline what you are)

Complete only if you need to change the information shown on HOPE website,
or

Everything is the same and the information on the
<http://www.hospitalteachers.eu/who/committee.php> page is correct

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If you are a Contact person now would you like to become a Committee Member and take on the tasks of a C.M. (art. 8 of the Internal Regulations) yes/no (please put a circle around your answer)

B.

Hospital schools and hospital teachers

How many hospitals caring for children are there without a school?

- A. 0 > 10
- B. 10 > 20
- C. 20 > 30
- D. Other: **There are 3 initiatives in the field the ongoing education for the hospitalized children and teenagers inside of hospitals. There are other 2 hospitals for long term orthopaedic recuperation organizing formal education programs with teachers sent by neighbouring schools.**

Hospital teachers

There are voluntary teachers in my country. **Yes /**

Organisation of Hospital Education

Which authority pays your salaries?

- A. the national/state government
- B. the municipality
- C. the national government and the municipality
- D. the hospital
- E. a regular “partner-school”
- F. Other **The NGOs or charity agencies for initiatives in Bucharest and the education ministry for “itinerant teachers” sent to the orthopaedic recuperation hospitals (please explain).**

Population in your school

- A. Children/ adolescents with somatic illnesses**
- B. (psycho-)somatic
- C. Psychiatric
- D. Somatic and psychiatric illnesses

Is the right to education when ill or handicapped laid down in a legal document? **No**

Is it a legal right for every pupil to receive an Individual Study plan in your country? No

In Romania we have a general curriculum for specific ages in the public schools and special curriculum for special schools for children and teenagers with disabilities (psychiatric diseases for the persons with serious problems of seeing, hearing and speaking

Is it a legal right to have 1 or more classrooms in your hospital school in your country?

No

In Romania is not a specific law on the hospital school. The Romanian education authority is not recognizing the concept of hospital school.

Are the teachers of sick children full members of the multidisciplinary caring team in your country ?

No

Are there new developments in your country concerning the educational care of sick children and adolescents? If yes, which is the current development?

At MS Curie hospital is a educational centre organising classrooms for children with orthopaedic diseases, diabetic problems and cancer. It is a initiative of one NGO with the support of charity organisations from Belgium and Ireland. At the same hospital, P.A.V.E.L Association is organizing education activities and education trough games for children with cancer and severe anaemia. P.A.V.E.L Association is planning to develop in cooperation with local education authority a coherent program for the children and teenagers from the Oncology Hospital in Bucharest (preparation of adapted curriculum, creating multidisciplinary team for each child or “pupil patient”, recognition of the education activities or programs developed in the hospitals).

Other new development is the initiative of St. Faustina Educational Centre from MS Curie Hospital to study the Belgium Law on the hospital schools and to propose a model for the Romanian Law in the field.

When your students return to their original school they often need special conditions (at least for some time) to be able to keep up with schoolwork:

According to the Romanian law, the pupils/students might receive classrooms from the teachers coming only from their original school upon to family request.

Are there *legal regulations* in your country for children with long-term, chronic illnesses or psychiatric syndromes which permit to adapt requirements (e.g. longer exam times, not having to submit to oral tests, etc) for sick children in their *regular* school **NO**

At the moment, we have in Romania specific norms on the special curriculum children with handicap, psychiatric syndromes or serious sicknesses of seeing, hearing and speaking.

If you answered **Yes** send the pertinent text passage to mschmidt@casa.s.shuttle.de (the purpose of this question is to compile an overview of the European situation for the Munich congress in novembre)

C.

Subscription of HOPE members

I centralise the subscription for HOPE **No**

I send the total amount of the subscription to the treasurer and transmit the member’s list to the treasurer and the secretary by 1 September. **No**

The membership fee (15 Euro per person) is regarded as too high **Yes**

Other remarks

Looking for new HOPE members

It is difficult to find new HOPE members **Yes**

Some members are working in the network/ workshops of HOPE **Yes**

It is **difficult** for members in my country to find money to attend seminars, the European Days or Congresses. **Yes**

Have you entered the Knowledge bank (www. hospitalteachers.eu) to find the European bureaus in your country to ask for financial support to attend HOPE-events?

No

Other remarks:

For sure, we need training and financial support in order to create a functional network or HOPE structure in Romania, we need models and best practices in order to convince the authorities to adapt the law, to provide funds and to adopt the concept of “hospital schools” in the framework of education in the next future.

Dissemination of information

I spread (inter-) national information by mail to my country-members **Yes**

I spread newsletters digitally to my country-members **Yes**

I spread information during meetings of the national organisation(s) **No**

I, or members of HOPE in my country, have sent articles and/or information to the editor of the Newsletter of HOPE during the last two years. **No**

I have difficulties contacting HOPE members in my country **Yes**

I spread information about HOPE, the flyer, and the homepage of HOPE **Yes**

The Newsletter of HOPE has interested HOPE members in my country **Not the case**

Other remarks:

I tried to contact the person who is member of HOPE trough various communication chancels but I didn't succeeded (Elena Frasinaru). The email address posted on the HOPE's website is not anymore valid.

D.

National Organisation 1 - **Not the case**

Present chairperson	
Name of organisation	
Address	
Zip code and city	
Country	
Tel	
Fax	

E-mail	
website	

National Organisation 2 – Not the case

Present chairpersons	
Name of organisation	
Address	
Zip code and city	
Country	
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website	

Contacts with the above mentioned national organisations

<p>I am a member of one or more of the above mentioned national organisation(s) Not the case I have good contacts with these organisations Not the case I am elected as a Committee Member by the national organisation Not the case I am elected as a Committee Member by the Hope Members in my country. No Other remarks ____</p>
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On-going Comenius or other projects in my country are:

<p>1.</p> <p>2.</p> <p>3.</p>

E.

Do you think it is useful / Are you interested in having a special seminar for some days for Committee members and Contact persons . **Yes**

If you answered Yes what theme(s) are you interested in :

- Cooperation between NGOs and public school in the education entire process regarding the sick and hospitalized children and teenagers
- Mentoring and sustaining the new structures of HOPE
- European Advocacy Common Action in field of “hospital schools” around Europe.

Suggest candidate(s) for the Board of HOPE (you may also suggest yourself!)

Name(s) :

Other remarks or themes you like to discuss during the Committee Meeting in Munich, November 2010

- Perspectives for Comenius projects;
- Perspectives for Progress projects;

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Thank you very much for your cooperation

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