STROKE SUPPORT ORGANIZATION CAPACITY STRENGTHENING

Stroke support organizations have an important role to play in raising awareness about stroke facts and risk factors and challenging stigma and discrimination; ensuring meaningful engagement of people affected by stroke in campaigning and advocacy and delivering long term support to stroke survivors and caregivers in the community.

WSO provides capacity strengthening activities for its SSO members including webinars, toolkits, Congress sessions and our online platform Stroke Connector. For information please contact admin@world-stroke.org

ADVOCACY & AWARENESS

WSO is a global voice for stroke professionals, patients and caregivers. Our advocacy goal is to amplify those voices to ensure that stroke gets the level of policy attention and investment that is required to address a world leading cause of disability and death. We provide practical tools, resources and support to our members to help highlight the urgent need for focused action on prevention, treatment and support at national, regional and global policy level.

World Stroke Campaign
We campaign throughout the year in partnership with members and partners to raise public awareness of key issues in stroke. World Stroke Day on Oct 29th is the focal point of our campaign year. We develop campaign materials and resources that address key issues in stroke to help build stroke awareness among the public and to support local policy advocacy for improved stroke prevention, treatment and support. www.worldstrokecampaign.org

BECOME A MEMBER AND JOIN THE GLOBAL FIGHT AGAINST STROKE!

Fees starting at 25 USD, find out more. Join now!

SUPPORT US

We are a non-profit organization and rely on support from donors and partners to deliver our programs. You can support our work here: https://www.world-stroke.org/about-wso/make-a-donation

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Future Stroke Leaders

Future Stroke Leaders is an initiative of the WSO to develop the technical and research skills of the next generation of stroke professionals. It is a tailored 2-year programme to equip a global cohort of early career clinicians and researchers with in-depth understanding of the key challenges in relation to stroke and how these challenges can be addressed within diverse stroke care systems.

https://www.world-stroke.org/world-stroke-future-leaders

Improving the Quality of Stroke Care

We believe that regardless of the starting point there is always potential to improve the quality of care that stroke patients receive. The WSO Roadmap to Quality Stroke Care provides a guide for institutions to assess their stroke care provision and prioritise actions to improve stroke treatment and care.

https://www.world-stroke.org/roadmap-quality-stroke-care