

Dear President of the Paediatric Association,

HyperChildNET is the European Network for blood pressure (BP) research in children and adolescents. This COST Action is a multidisciplinary network focusing on challenges affecting high BP in children and adolescents across Europe.

In this scope a 22 questions survey was released online from September 2, 2021 to September 27, 2021. The questionnaire was answered by a high number of European professionals, including general paediatricians as well as paediatric nephrologists, paediatric cardiologists and paediatric endocrinologists. The first analysis showed promising results about BP measurement, devices used in everyday clinical practice and evaluation of BP levels.

In order to get more insights about the current practices among health care providers from different countries we decided to **relaunch the survey**.

We kindly ask for your crucial involvement in this survey to increase awareness of hypertension in youth among paediatric health care providers. The representatives of the Paediatric Societies would be acknowledged at the presentation/publication of results. An invitation for the event presenting the results will be send to your society and separate analysis per country will be delivered.

We would be grateful if you are willing to **send the link of the questionnaire to the members of your society**. The participation is voluntary and the estimated time to answer the questionnaire is less than 5 min.

The survey is available in 4 languages English, Spanish, German and Turkish and will be open **until March 15, 2022**:

English link to the questionnaire - <https://www.questionpro.com/t/ASfbXZnP7S?>

The survey link is also posted on the HyperChildNET website, so feel free to visit our online [observatory](#).

In our website you may also find our new [free calculator](#) to determine blood pressure categories according to the 2016 ESH Guidelines of Children and Adolescents.

With kind regards,

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