

	QUESTIONNAIRE	YES	NO
1	Does your Society need more assistance from ESH?	7	8
2	Would you like the number of members in your Society to increase?	17	1
3	Does your Society accept members other than Psychologists, Medical Doctors, or Dentists?	11	7

1 x Not yet

**If yes: Which other professions do you accept as members? (Please specify)**

BSMDH-S: One Psychotherapist but normally only Dental and Medical

CIICS: All graduated health care professionals (Nurses)

IMHETO: ARS Registered eg Nurses, Midwives, Physiotherapists, Osteopaths

DGZH: Medical and dental assistance professionals, Heilpraktiker

DSCH: Physiotherapists, Chiropractors, Midwife, Nurses

NVVH: All certified professionals in health organisation. Registration in Dutch Health Care Register is required, or membership of a acknowledged organisation of health care professionals. Training, validation of use of hypnosis in different areas is tailored to the different groups; e.g. a trained psychotherapist uses hypnosis differently than a dentist.

OEGATAP: Psychotherapists qualified under Austrian Law

SSCH: Those who have a Swedish Government Licence in a Health and Care Profession, are students to become such (late in studies) and Social Workers with a degree in psychotherapy and authorised by their Union, and also dental nurses under supervision of the dentist.

BSCAH: We do not have a specific list but include nurses, dental hygienists, dental therapists and other professionals allied to medicine

BSECEH: All professionals with bachelor degree in social sciences

MEG: Open to all persons working in helping jobs with hypnosis/hypnotherapy, advising or therapeutic (priests in hospitals or advising teachers in schools)

	<b>If no:</b> Do you consider accepting members other than Psychologists, Medical Doctors, or Dentists?	3	6
4	Does your Society train professionals other than Psychologists, Medical Doctors, and Dentists?	9	8

**If yes: Which other professions do you train? (Please specify)**

CIICS: All graduated health care professionals (Nurses)

IMHETO: ARS Registered eg Nurses, Midwives, Physiotherapists, Osteopaths

DGZH: Medical and dental assistance professionals, Heilpraktiker

DSCH: Physiotherapists, Chiropractors, Midwife, Nurses

NVVH: see above

OEGATAP: Only those professions that are considered source professions for psychotherapy, provided the applicant's house passed a two-year psychotherapy related fields (basic medicine, psychology, sociology, legal issues, specifics of different psychotherapeutic modalities)

SSCH: Criteria for Membership = criteria for training

BSCAH: As above

MEG: Working in psychosocial or pedagogical jobs with well founded education, who are advising or coaching clients without psychotherapy. There is a special curriculum: hyposystemic communication.

	<b>If no:</b> Do you consider training other professions?	2	9
5	Does your Society have any collaboration with Universities?	12	6
6	Does your Society conduct or participate in Hypnosis research?	10	8

DSCH: Not officially - President teaches / gives lectures on her hypnosis research.

DSCH: No but supports PhD students participating in hypnosis research with free training

**If yes: Please specify your research project(s).**

CIICS: Definition of personality features of hypnotizability.

CIICS: Neurocorrelates of hypnosis

CIICS: Hypnotic analgesia

CIICS: Cardiovascular effects of hypnosis

DGH: Hypnosis to reduce anxiety and stress. Hypnosis and Psychooncology

DGZH: We support studies about hypnosis. Furthermore we have members who are working at the university medical centres that are doing research.

ICHRPA: Utilisation of hypnosis for pain in oncology

THD: AUCH© and its applications in different fields of medicine: e.g. hypnoanaesthesia and surgical operations performed without any chemical sedations, anesthetics and analgesics under AUCH©, quicker recovery after surgery, psychosomatic illnesses and the importance of awareness of body and soul.

THD: Elaborating the relationship of AUCH© with acupuncture, positive psychotherapy, family therapy and other fields of science and medicine.

THD: AUCH© and Neuroscience

THD: Legal ground of Hypnosis in Turkiye and discussions with the Government of Turkiye.

NVVH: We would like to have collaboration, we are working on a scientific committee. Researchers in hypnosis are offered a free 'special membership' (since 2015)

OEGATAP: The study of the long-term affectivity of hypnosis psychotherapy, within the research paradigm comparing different psychotherapeutic modalities like guided imagery or autogenic psychotherapy

SSCH: A few members are doing research as part of a doctoral programme or Master of Science exam. Dr Prof Cardena supervises students who choose to write their exam paper on hypnosis at Lund University. Susanna Carolusson is an occasional guest lecturer at Gothenburg University where Ulla Karilampi and Erling Fjeldstad are researching on a daily basis. SSCH has no University projects in its own name. SSCH would like to be kept informed of hypnosis articles and projects.

MEG: finances study: the effectiveness of hypnotherapy compared with cognitive behaviour therapy at depressive interferences. Clinic of Uni Tubingen.

UAPP: Starting research project with Bogomolets National Medical University (Kiev) Department of Internal Disease - "The role of hypnotherapy in treatment of irritable bowel syndrome".

**Comments**

**AFHYP:**

Our association is not entitled to organize training.

We only organize a symposium annually.

The association aims to inform patients and practitioners about practice of hypnosis.

**IMHETO**

Members take part in training health professionals as part of a University Degree.

**NVVH:**

Hypnosis in the Netherlands has, regrettably, in the last two decades shifted from acknowledged psychiatry/medicine in the area of 'alternative' or 'complementary' health care. This has had its impact on the decline of the status of hypnosis in official Dutch medicine, in medical and psychological training curricula (vanished), in university research (almost vanished), in accreditation for training (more and more denied), and reimbursement of therapy through insurances (more and more restricted). If I use hypnosis officially outside conversion disorder, therapy is not reimbursed. Hypnotherapy for pain is reimbursed but only for therapists accredited by the national organisation for alternative healthcare.

With the Scientific Committee, we hope to change this but it is very complicated. It is like trying to sail of the lower shore.

We desperately need good evidence in research, maybe in European Scientific platform, to gather relevant data to bring forward in the official gremia (universities, training boards, insurance companies).

**OEGATAP:**

it is always helpful for our society to hear from ESH about "hot" issues and topics in the world of scientific and clinical hypnosis.

**SSCH:**

MD Basil Finer, a Senior Honorary Member of SSCH has created a fund for pain research at Uppsala Academic Hospital Pain Clinic. Hypnosis is specifically mentioned but Basil is renowned for his expertise in hypnosis.