

SIG (SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP)-ENDOPED/RUTE (BRAZIL): SEVEN YEARS INTEGRATING PEDIATRIC ENDOCRINOLOGY CENTERS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY

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INTRODUCTION

Telemedicine, or the use of CIT (Communication and Information Technology) to deliver and/or share medical remote assistance and knowledge, is of paramount importance, mainly in large countries, with social and economic disparities, as Brazil, by means of teleconferences, webconferences, webcasts and use of a wide range of interactive technologies, helping activities of assistance and professional health education. One of the activities provided by our RUTE (University Network of Telemedicine), institution backed by our RNP (National Network of Research) with interaction of five ministries (Health, Defense, Culture, Education and Science&Technology), is the creation of SIGs (Special Interest Groups), from diverse health areas, linked directly to assistance and education at teaching health institutions (mainly hospitals), since 2007. Nowadays, 78 SIGs, with a great range of different subjects are registered, each with at least one coordination institution and three other participating institutions.

DESCRIPTION

The SIG ENDOPED created in the second semester of 2011, with association of eight institutions, led by Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN), has been performing monthly meetings with one hour of duration. The subject of each meeting is chosen and coordinated by different member institutions in order to stimulate full participation of all members. Since its creation, there were 52 meetings (updated september, 2018), about 8 or 9 each year, ranging from discussion of selected clinical cases, updates of clinical treatment protocols, or other subjects of interest in the field of Pediatric Endocrinology. Many discussions started at SIG meetings were useful to help updating protocols and national guidelines on further propositions to our Medical Societies (Brazilian Pediatric Society, Endocrinology and Metabolism Brazilian Society and Diabetes Brazilian Society) and Health Ministry. In the last two years, contacts with institutions in other countries (India and South Africa) have been made in order to internationalize our SIG.

ACTIVITIES

SIG de Endocrinologia Pediátrica

(2º SEMESTRE)

<Coordenação: Unidade de Endocrinologia Pediátrica – HUOI/EBSEH - UFRN>

<Dias: Segundas 2ª feiras de cada mês (11:30-12:30 h – horário de Brasília)>

DATA	HORÁRIO	TEMA	INSTITUIÇÃO	CONVIDADO
14/08/2017	11:30- 12:30 h	Hipertireoidismo neonatal	UnB	Prof. Luiz Claudio Castro
11/09/2017	11:30- 12:30 h	Exercício físico em crianças e adolescentes com Diabetes Mellitus tipo 1	UFPR	Profa. Suzana Nesi França
9/10/2017	11:30- 12:30 h	Discussão caso clínico DDS	UNICAMP	Prof. Gil Guerra Jr.
13/11/2017	11:30- 12:30 h	Bases biológicas da identidade de gênero	ICr- USP	Prof. Durval Damiani
11/12/2017	11:30- 12:30 h	Consequências endocrinometabólicas no PIG	UERJ	Profa. Isabel Rey Madeira

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Calendário de Eventos SIG (Special Interest Group)

SIG Endocrinologia Pediátrica

Agenda 2018 (1º Semestre)

DATA	HORA	TEMA	INSTITUIÇÃO RESPONSÁVEL	CONVIDADO
12/03/18	11h30 às 12h30	Hipertireoidismo neonatal: Relato de caso e discussão	GHC-RS	Dras. Marcia Puñales e Marina Bressant
09/04/18	11h30 às 12h30	Hipofosfatase: manifestações e associações incomuns	UnB	Luiz Claudio Castro
14/05/18	11h30 às 12h30	S. de Prader-Willi	ICr-USP	Ruth Rocha
11/06/18	11h30 às 12h30	Crescimento de prematuros	UEP/UFPR	Adriane Cardoso Demartini

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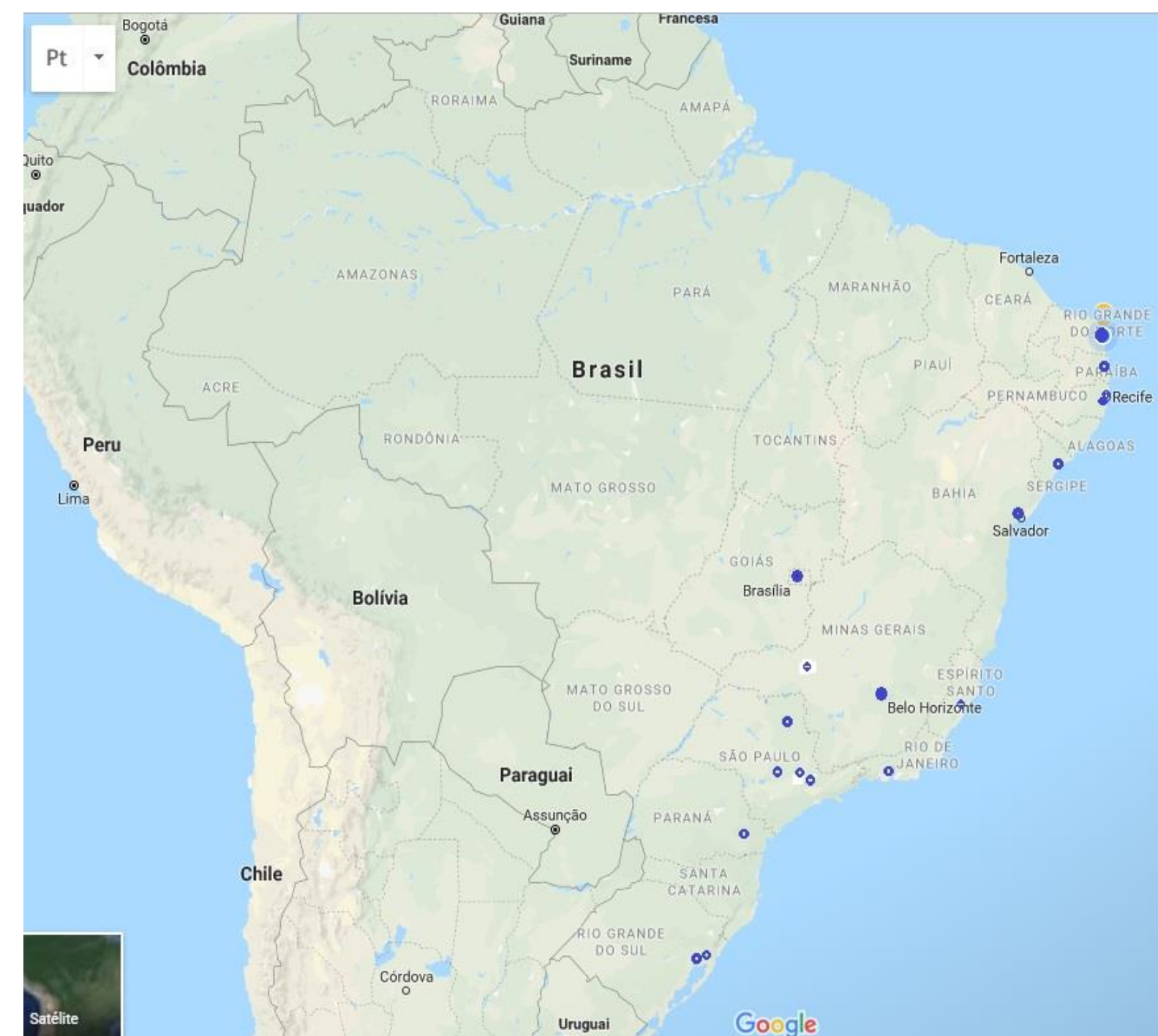
CONCLUSIONS

SIG ENDOPED is a very dynamic, interactive, inclusive and convenient forum for discussion on themes of high interest in the Pediatric Endocrinology field, improving assistance, health professional education and even stimulating research, providing remote live contact between the associate institutions. Recent contacts are preparing the group for international activities.

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