

Articles for GenderMed-Wiki

Online platforms thrive with user interaction and contributions. In order to provide the latest findings in sex/gender sensitive medicine, we are constantly searching for experts in diverse disciplines who are willing to share their knowledge with the community as an author on GenderMed-Wiki.

Reviewing Articles

Before articles can be posted online, a review board must verify their accuracy. Members of the interdisciplinary review board review contributions.

We would like to expand our circle of reviewers. If you are interested or would like to know more, please contact the project manager, Prof. Dr. Dr. Bettina Pfliegerer.

We look forward to working together with you!



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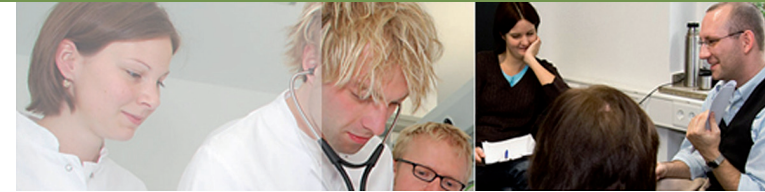
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www.gendermed-wiki.org

Or by scanning our QR code:



Gender
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Did You Know ...

- ..., that in 186 of 191 countries men die earlier than women?
- ..., that women, in comparison to men, have a more effective immune response but are more likely to have an autoimmune disorder?
- ..., that osteoporosis in men is often overlooked?
- ..., that women with an acute myocardial infarction are admitted to the hospital on average 40 minutes slower than men?
- ..., that only now researchers start to include both sexes of model organisms and cell lines in biomedical science?

What is sex/gender sensitive Medicine?

Recently, new insights into the prevention and therapy of human diseases emerged: illnesses are just as diverse as those who suffer from them. Therefore the so called "individualized medicine" aims to provide tailored concepts for prevention and treatment.

Sex/gender sensitive medicine involves an important individual aspect with regard to the patient: their sex and gender. It aims to understand sex/gender-associated influences on the development and course of illness, as well as risk factors, diagnostics and therapy. Sex/gender sensitive medicine is less a separate discipline than a transdisciplinary field that adds an additional dimension to most medical specialities.

Why GenderMed-Wiki?

Modern medical education and treatments do not sufficiently take sex/gender aspects into consideration. It is vital to treat patients differently depending on their sex.

Many findings in sex/gender sensitive medicine remain largely unknown, and are not systematically structured. **GenderMed-Wiki** serves to close this gap.

What is GenderMed-Wiki?

A joint cooperation project between the medical faculties of Münster, Duisburg-Essen (Germany), Innsbruck (Austria) and the GECKO Institute for Medicine, Informatics and Economics of the Heilbronn University (Germany).



GenderMed-Wiki serves as an online exchange and learning platform for sex/gender sensitive medicine.

Expertise on sex/gender aspects in illnesses and therapies is pooled and amended through interaction with the scientific community. This significantly increases the integration of sex/gender aspects in medicine and thus contributes to the improvement of healthcare for all.

Who should use GenderMed-Wiki?

- Physicians
- Researchers in other medical professions
- Students
- Teachers
- Health care professionals
- Interested public
- Political stakeholders

We also provide educational materials to students and teachers in medicine, for example, in form of slides or case studies.

Events / projects on gender/sex and medicine

Information on meetings on gender and sex aspects in medicine has been integrated into the GenderMed-Wiki.

