Mission & Vision of the ESPU
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The Mission of the ESPU

- In everything we do, we want to increase/promote best personalized care in children & adolescents with any genito-urinary conditions, independent of where they come from and who they are
- Therefore we put the child at the centre, from a lifelong perspective, enabling them (and their care givers) to make an informed choice
- As a leading independent European based society of paediatric urology professionals,
  - We are the resource for specialized practitioners worldwide
  - providing education & European qualification
  - facilitating transfer of state of the art knowledge & information, scientific exchange & international collaboration through multidisciplinary networks
  - defining evidence based standards & guidelines for quality of care
- We help patients & care givers to find the best care
- We act as an influencer for policy makers directing the future of health care within our field
Our vision: We achieve this mission by

- Adapting what and how we communicate, reaching all stakeholders (patients & care givers, professionals, ...)
- Activating the next generation within the ESPU
- Defining what is a good urology professional and getting official/formal recognition for our sub specialty
- Educating (young) professionals in light of this quality definition
- Evaluating & reinforcing our research programme
- Increasing our funding (charity, pharmaceutical, community, ...)
- Improving the interface with adult urology (transition)
- Increasing involvement of patients & care givers
- Focusing on our independence while staying collaborative