

EIM Argentina



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The *Hospital de Clínicas José San Martín* is the most renowned teaching hospital in Argentina and is a part of the University of Buenos Aires. The Hospital first opened its door in 1879 and now serves as an important training ground for the top medical students in Argentina, offering a wide range of residency programs.



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2016 Goals

- To engage the Argentine Ministry of Health in the EIM movement
- To develop new relationships with other leading health authorities in Argentina
- To continue promoting EIM and the role of physical activity in healthcare by participating in different conferences, symposiums, and workshops.

Past Accomplishments

- Formation of the EIM Argentina national center in the summer of 2014
- Completion of an EIM website (www.eimargentina.com)
- Development of EIM prescription courses for physicians that have been offered on 4 different occasions
- Presented at 5 national meetings (Argentine Society of Cardiology, Argentine Society of Nutrition, Obesity Society)
- Organized the Healthy Active City initiative in Olavarria (112,000+)
- Completion of one EIM training course for physicians with 37 physicians officially trained
- Initial success discussing implementing EIM in three Argentine hospitals, one of which is the Olavarria Public Hospital