National Stroke Patients Day – 31st March

The Portuguese Stroke Society – SPAVC still maintains its opinion regarding a World, International or National day dedicated to a certain disease and, thus, dedicates these occasions to the general population through activities that, while respecting a standard model, may have variations according to the availability of each place.

These activities are conducted throughout the country and are duly advertised through the SPAVC’s website and by using duly authenticated national and local posters.

The population is also notified about these activities by the Media that are willing to cooperate, as they are duly informed, and is never invited by any other means, namely, in person.

It is our intent that the population becomes more informed about the first cause of death and impairment in Portugal and, thus, becomes more demanding with themselves and with who has an obligation to provide them the prevention and treatment means.

We suggest that you check on our website where all these activities are going to be conducted.

Show up and become proactive because that is crucial for us to win the fight we are committed to, the fight against the 1st cause of death and impairment in Portugal – stroke.

Note: Those of you who usually read the Messages from the President might find it strange that this message has remained in the website for so long – the National Stroke Patient Day was already on 31 March!!!
We have intentionally maintained this message due to emails and telephone calls repeatedly received by SPAVC.
I call your attention for what was most evidently underlined.

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