

Refugees' emergency. Berlin to Italy: « Do more control at Brennero»
Czech police “stamps “immigrants. Hungary and Bulgaria close with wall,
Turkey overwhelmed by 2 millions, riots on Greece islands. Austria: all died in
a lorry (from magazines webpages) ...

Dear, the situation is worsening ..now, day by day...Europe is in a chaos.
Some colleagues from here, ask in such a called important European Council, what EURACT is , as legal body, as academy of doctors and teachers for young next European doctors, to think about and find its position in such a situation.

As European assembly, we are getting some countries going in directions opposite to Alma Ata Declaration and all the following ones. We see one Country building a wall along all the borders, another using weapons , another stopping brutally every single refugee from Italian border, the same another does at the border, another says to accept few Christian Syrians, another using the army and stopping the trains, another one , by voice of Prime Minister and Internal Minister saying thinks totally in opposition to what was its typical national policy with foreigners for decades...

(the same seems is going in the European field of teaching and organizing or, just to call it: dismantling family medicine, near everyone at different speeds but the same aim).

So...which the position of an European Body as EURACT ? We are doctors working and teaching our students and trainees for an universalistic approach...according statements and the European Definition and EURACT Educational Agenda ... we cannot, and my colleagues say that we cannot, be silent and speak or present in abstract way, about multietnicity ...events are running over !

The problem is over and over already ... new distances between countries are putting at risk the general solidity and our own solidity and going to be larger and larger, to disgregate Europe (less and less , as already I have wrote, they believe in old European integration).

We MUST get an unique, strong position, OUR position (as one we had in Faro) pressing on EU and UN (because we are a legal body with an history of cornerstone international documents for teaching (and learning) patient centeredness and community orientation and holistic approach in an European way ..and not only European...). A position about these events , this immigration that cannot be more allowed in such a mass way as so differentiated , with disaggregation of our health systems, our confidence and convivence , our relationships, our exchanges.

We need a large vision of EURACT inside EURACT ...larger in teaching means also larger in all concerning “ about and how ” .

We are doctors and THE Academy with Members teaching how to have the best cultural competence level and the best relationships with Patients/ Persons.

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