



A new EFOMP Working Group: Software as a Medical Device in Medical Physics

EFOMP hereby announces a new Working Group (WG) entitled “Software as a Medical Device in Medical Physics”

The rationale behind this WG is that not many publications have appeared so far in the literature on the implementation of EU MDR 2017/745 in clinical practice. The Regulation is not always clear to interpret and many grey areas remain. European guidelines are needed to facilitate its clinical integration. EFOMP can help users by creating awareness and proposing the homogenisation of current practice and national recommendations.

The proposed chair of the WG is Christina Zacharatou (IRL) and the expected outcome is a publication in the European Journal of Medical Physics to summarise current practices in developing in-house software by medical physicists for clinical use, and how the MDR2017/745 has impacted hospitals in different European countries. The full WG proposal can be found [here](#).

NMOs are kindly asked to distribute this announcement to their members. Nomination of Clinical Medical Physicists working in this area are accepted using this [form](#). There are three different roles in our WGs. Members, Consultants and Observers A professional CV is required (max 3 pages in PDF form) for all applications. Four members will be accepted from EFOMP NMOs with the remaining six members (two from each society) coming from EANM, ESTRO and ESR. There is no limit to the number of Consultants and Observers chosen.

The term for accepting nominations is from **11th of July and 26th of August 2024**.

Nominations must be made electronically using this google [form](#).

Best Regards

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