



International Federation of Physical Therapists working in Occupational Health and Ergonomics

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Dear Member Organisations,

We bring you our September Newsletter, please share it with your own members.

We wish to advise you that the second **General Meeting of IFPTOHE** will be held virtually on Monday 15th March, 2021, at 10.00am London, United Kingdom time.

We welcome the **Ghana Physiotherapy Association** as an IFPTOHE Member- elect, pending approval at the next General Meeting of IFPTOHE (15 March, 2021).

IFPTOHE plans to become an official campaign partner to **EU-OSHA** in their '**Lighten the load**' campaign. Our Vice President, Yvonne van Zaanen, will lead the IFPTOHE submission and update us via the website.

The IFPTOHE Website <https://ifptohe.wixsite.com/ifptohe> has plenty of information:

Recently added and for your interest

- Research-in-process– snippets about projects researchers are currently working on, and recently completed projects. Hear about Glykeria Skamagki's PhD research.
- Trip around the world - where we hear from the field of IFPTOHE physios about work in their country (coming soon).

(We would love to hear from you! To add to this information please contact Marisa Coetzee our webmaster at marisacoetzee@outlook.com)

Call for Executive Committee members IFPTOHE

We are planning our General Meeting for next year and are pleased to call for nominations for two Executive Committee member positions. Please see two documents attached (Call for Executive Committee Members 2020, and Nomination Form for 2021 elections). **Nominations close November 15th**

Upcoming conferences and meetings

- The World Physiotherapy Dubai 2021 congress (April 2021) will be virtual, we regret not seeing you in person but are looking forward to meeting you in this new virtual experience.
- **IEA** June 2021: [meeting](#) Vancouver Canada, will be a hybrid event – virtual and in person. The call for Abstracts is now open

With our best wishes

from the Executive Committee

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