



PReS Latin America Basic Pediatric Rheumatology Course



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About Pediatric Rheumatology in Latin America



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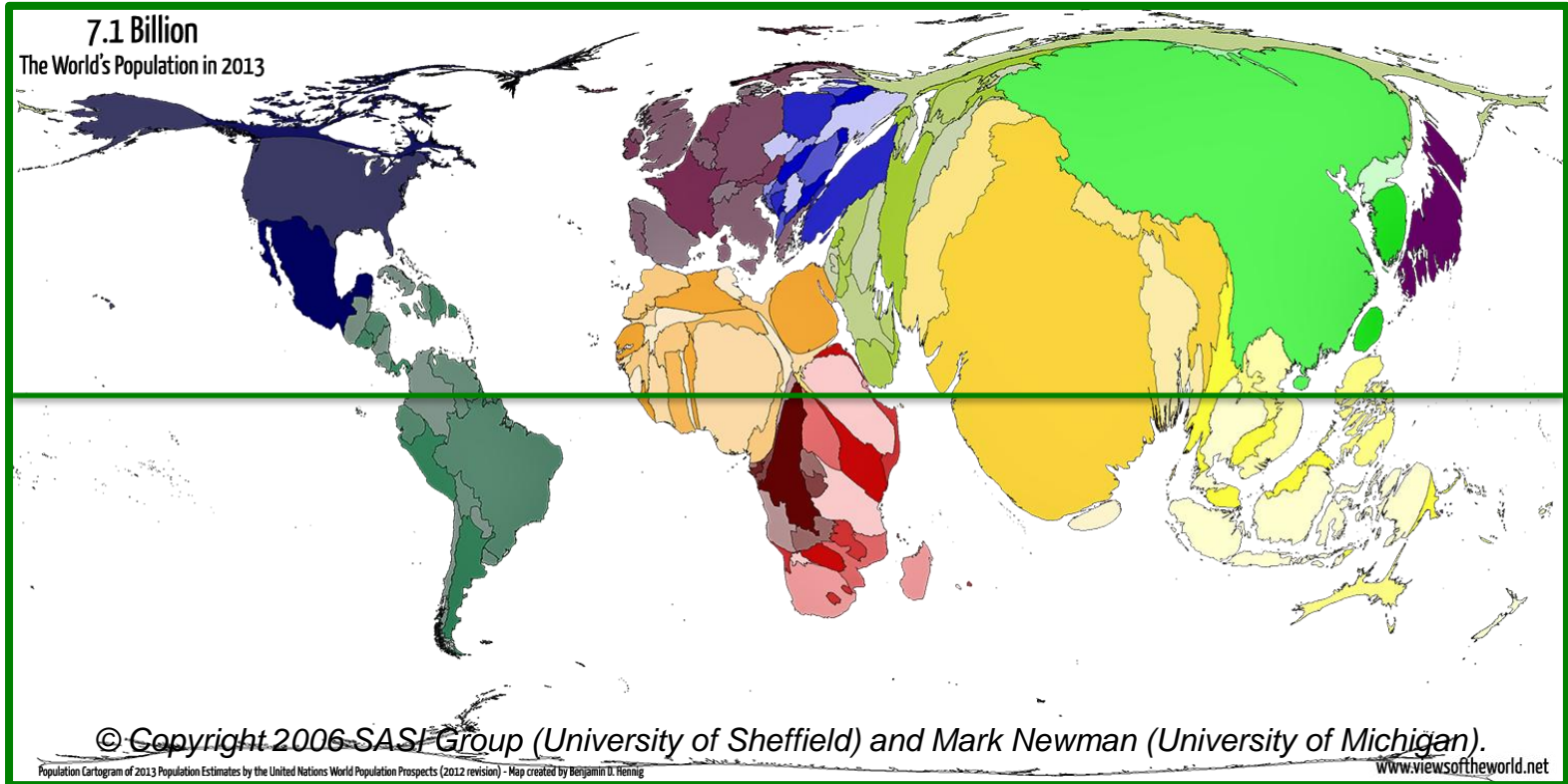
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Population



Estimated population of 505 M, Children Population 126 M

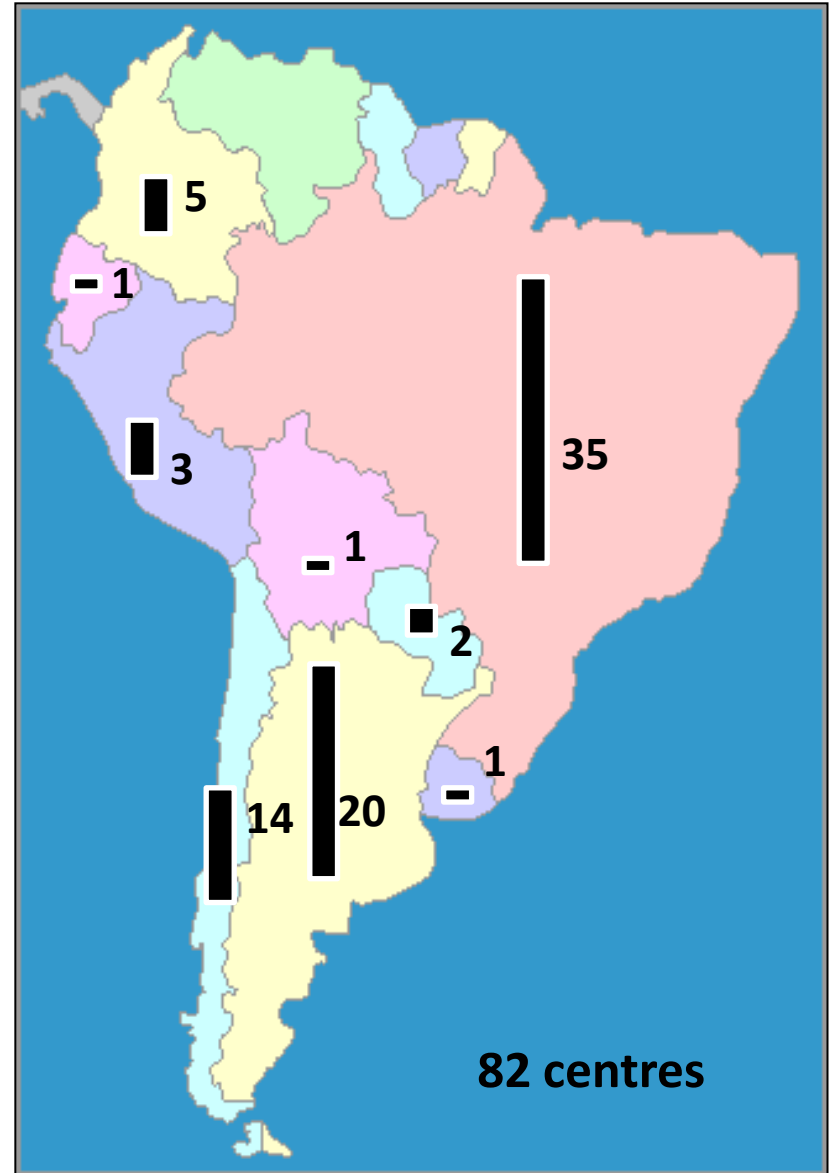
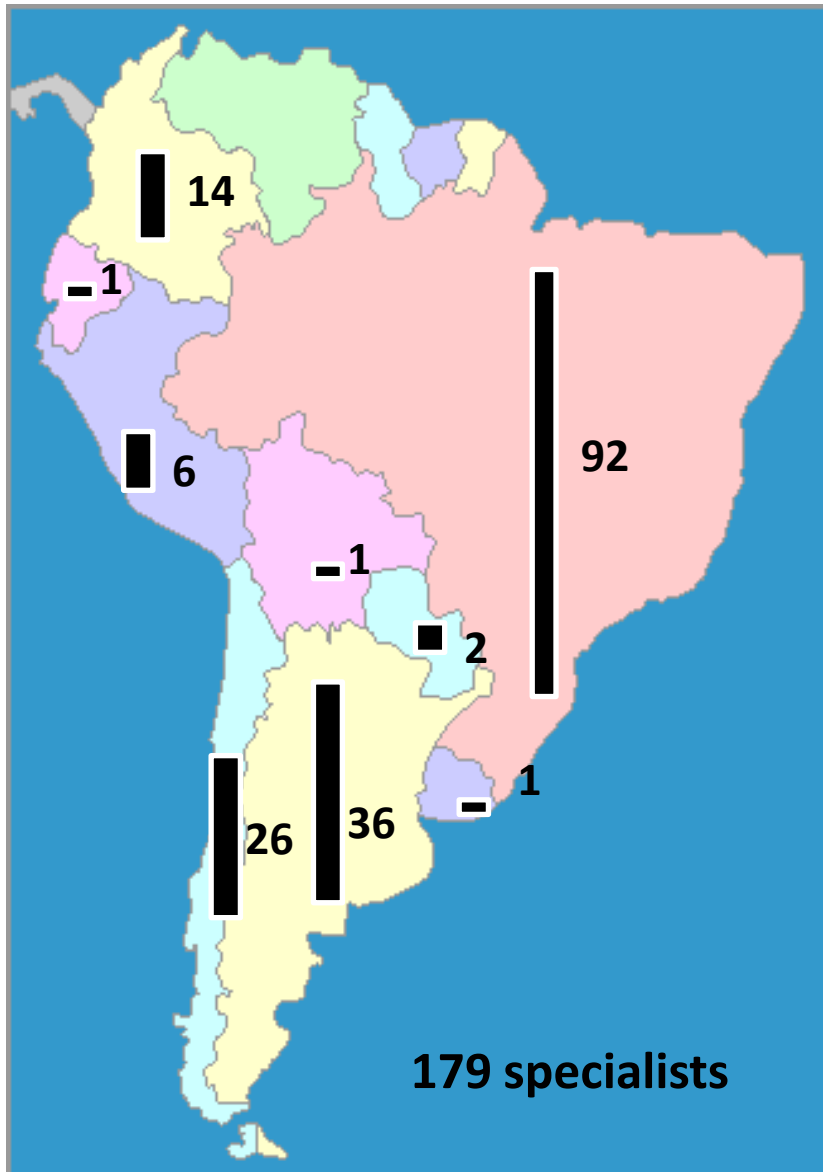
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1 Pediatric Rheumatologist per 300,000 to 500,000 children
US- 237 Board Certified Pediatric Rheumatologists (2007)

Spencer CH (Editorial) Why should pediatric rheumatology be recognised as a separate subspecialty: an open letter to medical councils and governing agencies. *Pediatric Rheumatology* 2007, 5: 1-3.

Pediatric Rheumatology Practice Survey



Specialist Certification and Training Programs

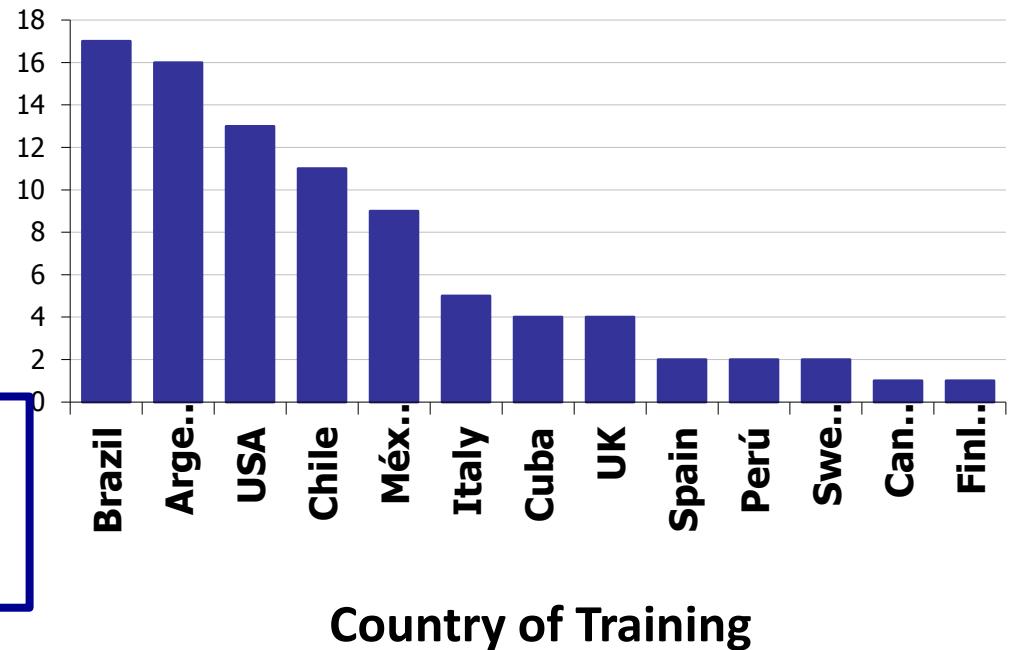


Specialist Profile

Rheumatology Society Directory

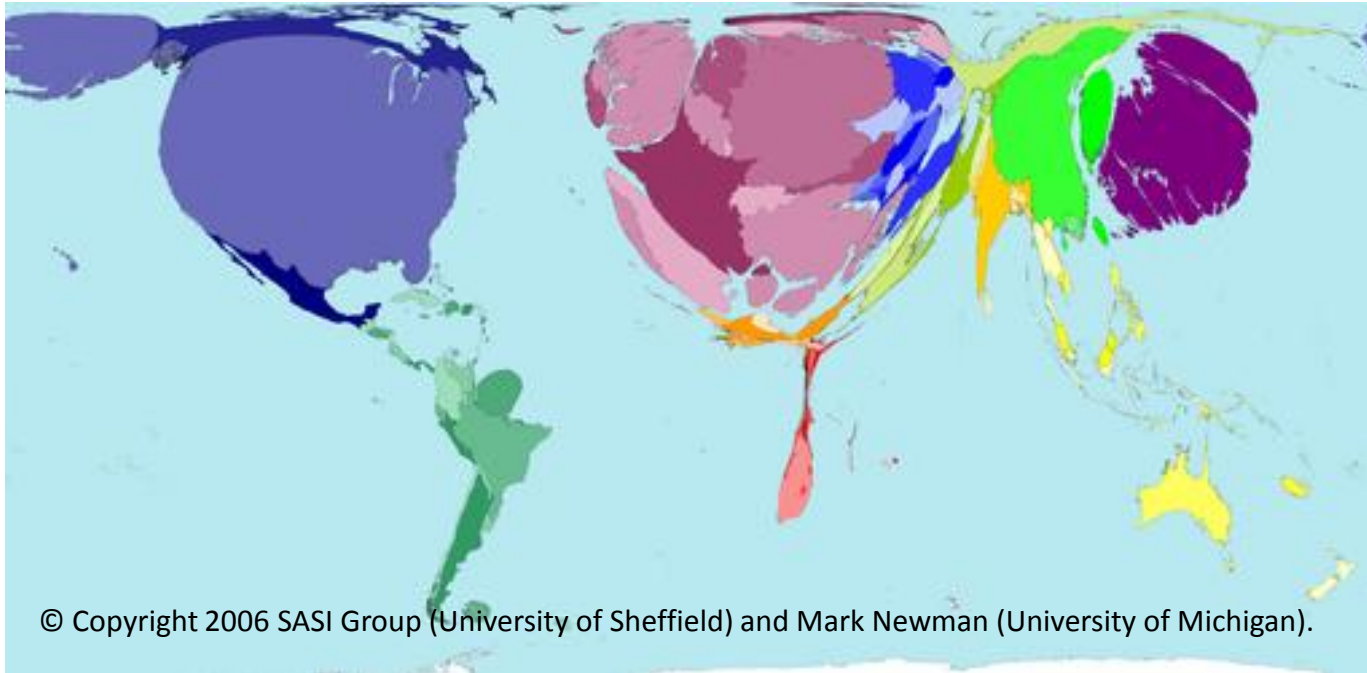
179 Responders

- 71% female
- 44 y median age
- 82% pediatric background
- 93% formal training
- 67% certification
- 27% >3 years of training
- 42% 2-3 years of training
- 22% 1-2 years
- 9% < 1 year



Russo R, Borzutsky A - EULAR Annual Meeting 2013

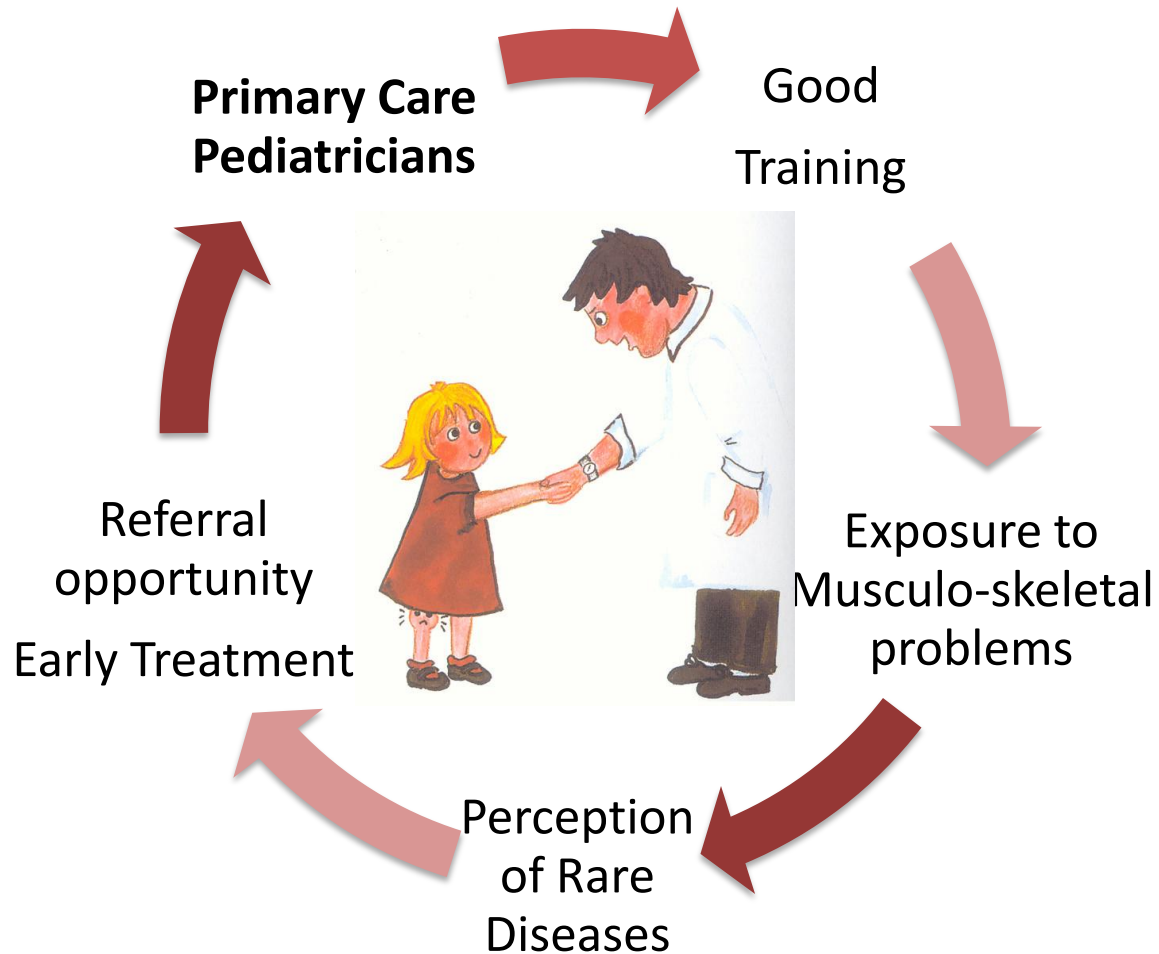
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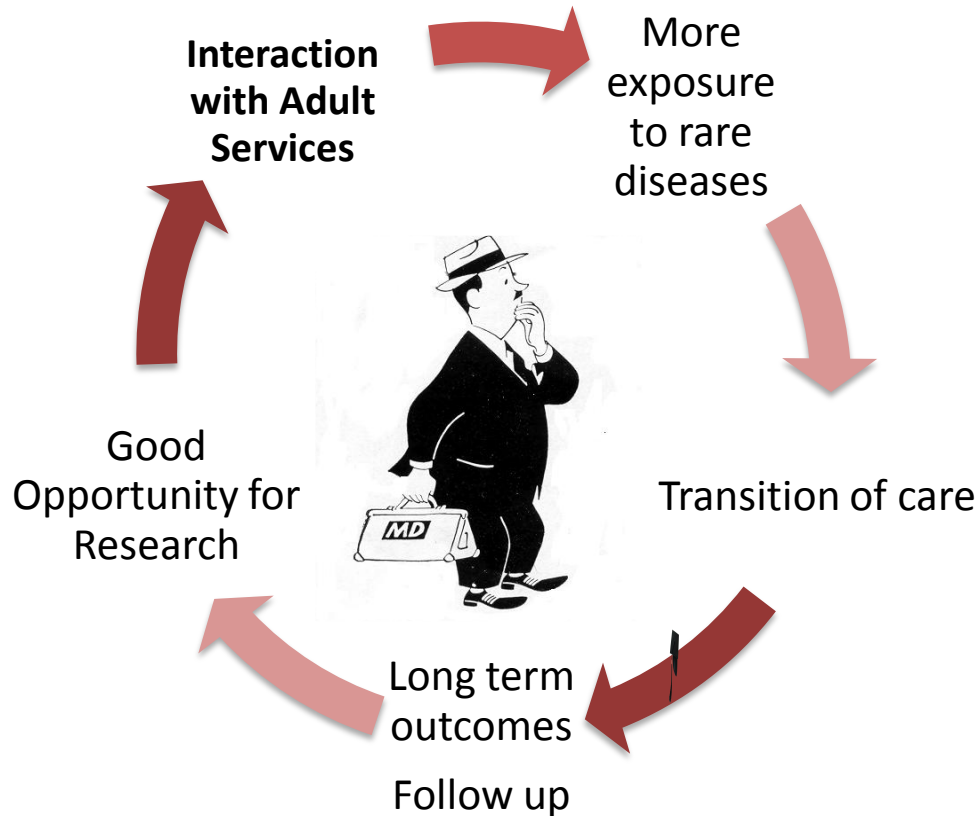
Pediatric Rheumatic Disease Standard Care

- Pediatric Rheumatic Diseases are rare (orphan) diseases.
- Late diagnosis and referral
- Difficult follow up
- Struggling basic healthcare service
- Complicated by high infectious burden

Training Pediatricians



Adult-Pediatric Collaboration in Rheumatology



Hashkes P J A call for increasing adult-pediatric collaboration in rheumatology *Curr Opin Rheumatol* 2008, 20: 587-8.

Brazilian Pediatric Rheumatology Practice and Education

- Most specialists based in academic practice
- Nearly all in metropolitan areas
- Referral Hospitals
- Lack of community based programs
- Still large areas/population uncovered
- Pediatric Rheumatology for undergraduates is still in its first steps



Residence Training: Pediatrics or Rheumatology Background

- Residence training available and funded in academic hospitals
- Residence certification issued by National Committee of Medical Residence, now 2 years of funded training – Residence Scholarship (2011)
- Rotating Pediatric Rheumatology for General Pediatrics Residence
- Rotating Pediatric Rheumatology is required for Internist Rheumatologists
- Pediatric Rheumatology Specialist certification for Internist Rheumatologist and Pediatrician
- Good opportunity for research career



PRINTO Network Training



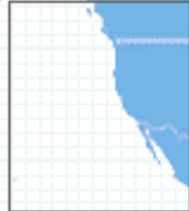
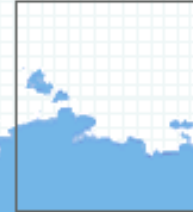
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WELCOME

Welcome to the home page of the "Paediatric Rheumatology International Trials Organisation"
PRINTO is an international network aimed to foster, facilitate and conduct high quality research in the field of paediatric rheumatology. The main function of the PRINTO group is to facilitate and coordinate the standardisation, development, conduct, analysis and reporting of controlled clinical trials.



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Latin America Academic Training

Results <http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/projects/alfa>

- Approved Projects - 5th Selection Round

(2003-2006) Postgraduates Mobility Grants for research training

6 months scholarship plus language improvement courses

23 LA fellows to France, Italy, Netherlands, Sweden, UK

5 EU fellows to Argentina, Mexico and Brazil

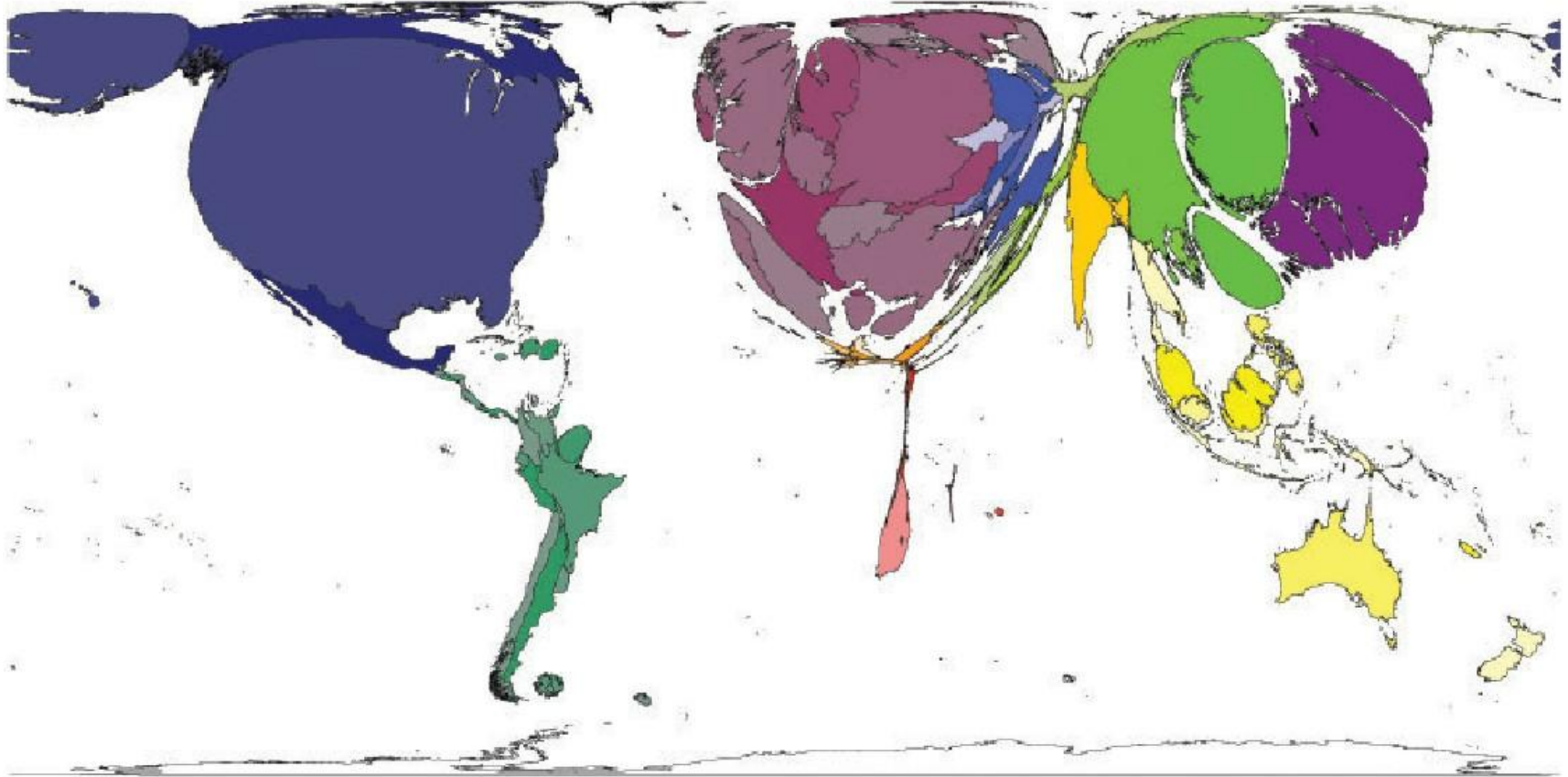
Research Collaboration PRINTO Network

The image shows a screenshot of the PRINTO website. At the top left is the PRINTO logo, and at the top right is the PRS logo (paediatric rheumatology european society). Below the PRS logo is the text 'SUPPORTED BY THE EUROPEAN UNION' with the European Union flag. The main content area features a grid of 48 national flags, each with its corresponding country name in its native language. To the left of the grid, the word 'select' is written in multiple languages: 'Избирате', 'בחר', 'choisissez', 'select', 'اختار', 'seleziona', 'selecciona', 'weile', '选择', and 'Επιλέξετε'. Below the grid, there is a section titled 'Information on paediatric rheumatic diseases' with an image of three children. At the bottom, there are three links: 'To be listed on this website please download the SURVEY', 'For any inaccuracy CONTACT us', and 'LINKS to related websites'. At the very bottom, there is a small text: 'This site is developed for 1024x768 view with IE 5 or higher. Powered by L.Villa & M.Pezce for PRINTO, all rights reserved.'

Ruperto et al. PRINTO-PRES international web-site for families of children with rheumatic diseases: www.pediatric-rheumatology.printo.it Ann Rheum Dis 2005, 64: 101-6.

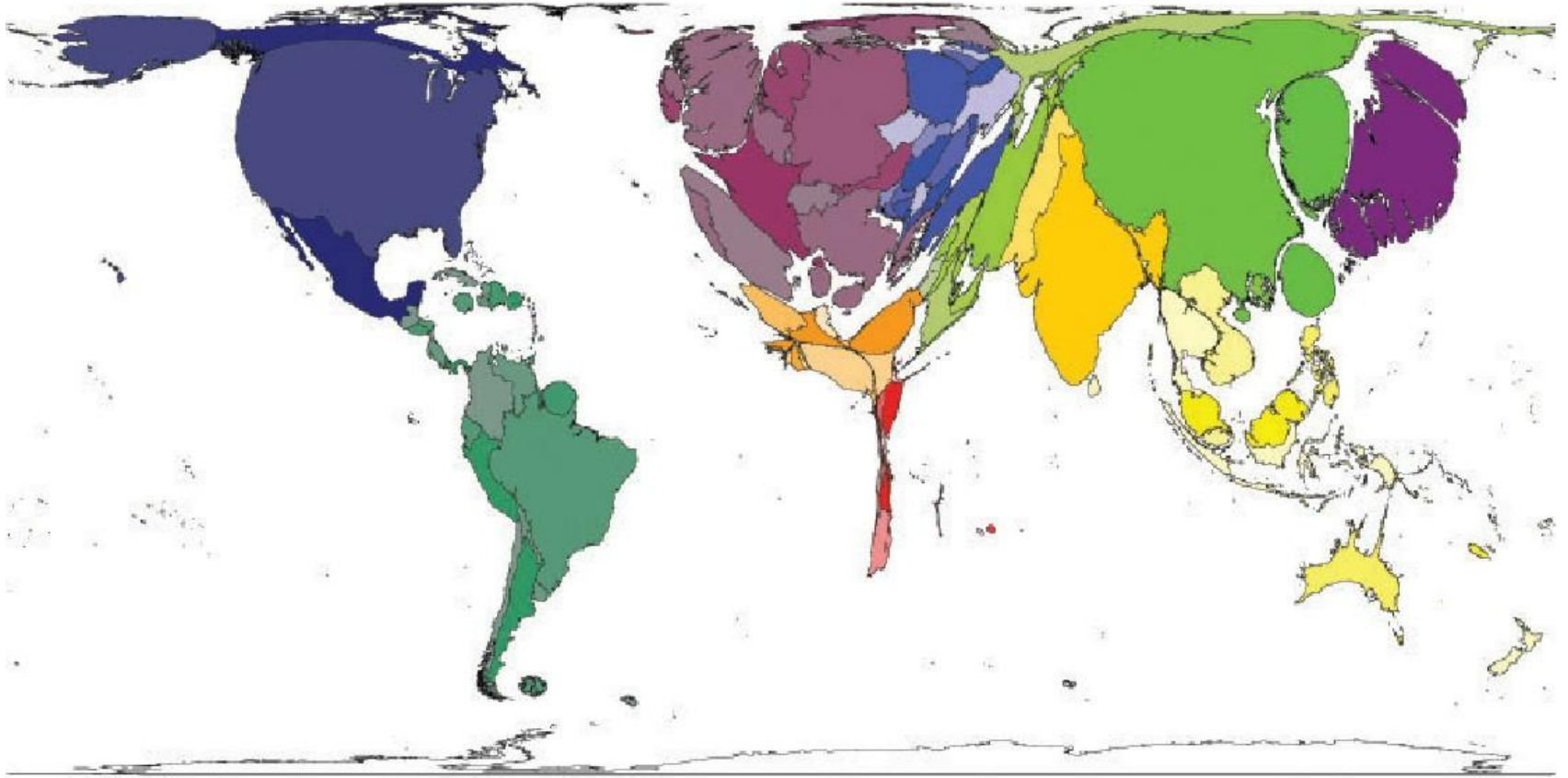
The PRINTO/PRES website provides a well defined set of information about PRD, with appropriate multiple translated versions and easy webnavigational direction.

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Internet Users Year 2000

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Internet Users Year 2007