

SIOOT International: A call to unity All ozone practitioners belong to the same scientific space, worldwide

SIOOT International's aim is to consolidate the scientific dignity of oxygen-ozone therapy. This can happen when ozone-therapy practitioners throughout the world share common protocols that are effectively proven and validated.

In doing so, patients around the world will be able to receive, according to the illness, the same treatment with the same effectiveness.

Unfortunately, we know of people who put into practice various procedures for administering oxygen ozone, in a manner that is absolutely arbitrary, with practices lacking scientific validity, and with a high risk of ineffectiveness and discredit.

We will achieve scientific dignity if we are able to propagate true and correct know-how on the administration of oxygen ozone and on its effective production.

This is the only way in which we can avoid the risks and ambiguities fueled by *ozone practitioners* who are inadequately trained and who do not follow the protocols.

There is the risk of unprofessionalism and ineffective of devices also due to improvised retailers who, for purposes of sheer economic gain, sell off improbable equipment of scant quality and functionality, lacking in particular a real photometer, the only element that can guarantee the production and measurement of ozone.

Furthermore, there exist associations of self-referential character which draft guidelines replete with carelessness and that

indicate incorrect practices that increase the risk of danger for the health of doctors and patients.

SIOOT International has for 40 years been studying and implementing this treatment and has earned the respect of the scientific community, so much so that today there are two universities in Italy that, in collaboration with SIOOT, offer a second-level Master's program.

Furthermore, SIOOT has collaborated with the Higher Institute of Health (*Istituto Superiore di Sanità*) of the Italian Ministry of Health to draw up a Consensus Conference on the treatment of discal hernia. SIOOT carries out intense training activity through the organization of dozens of officially recognized congresses and courses.

Our appeal to ozone practitioners is to unite internationally from North to South, from East to West, to renew and improve the scientific societies of reference for the purpose of shared participation in scientific knowledge and in medical practice according to shared protocols.

If you would like a copy of the *Rome Declaration* and our Guidelines, we will be sure to send them to you at no charge and with no obligation.

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