

# WFN EDUCATION PROGRAMS

The WFN currently supports several educational programs consistent with this mission. These include:



## BOOK SHARING PROGRAM

This newest WFN program supports contributions of textbooks from resource-rich neurology departments to those of disadvantaged countries.



## "WHERE THERE IS NO NEUROLOGIST"

Developed by Dr. Gretchen Birbeck in Zambia and since successfully applied to Malawi, this program offers a valuable model for neurological service support in countries with an absence or shortage of neurologists.



## NEUROLOGY TRAINING CERTIFICATION

Applying the results of a successful model developed at National Autonomous University in Honduras, this program provides an evaluation of residency training programs by a qualified team of international neurologists. Residency program evaluation and approval certificates have been granted as a result in Guatemala. Evaluations can be arranged for any WFN member society upon request.

## PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

Argentina	Egypt	Lithuania	Slovenia
Bangladesh	Guatemala	Macedonia	Sri Lanka
Bulgaria	Honduras	Mexico	Syria
Cameroon	Hungary	Nigeria	Tunisia
Chile	India	Panama	Turkey
Colombia	Iraq	Peru	Uganda
Croatia	Jordan	Romania	Uruguay
Cuba	Kenya	Russia	Venezuela
Cyprus	Lebanon	Serbia	Vietnam
Czech Republic			Zambia



## CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION FOR NEUROLOGISTS (CME)

The CME program provides continuing medical education to neurologists in 37 developing countries. Each of the 37 programs is coordinated, implemented, and evaluated by a local neurologist serving as Education Coordinator in their respective country. The CME initiative addresses the dire need for updated educational material in countries where disorders of the brain including stroke, epilepsy, depression, and developmental disorders account for a significant proportion of the disease burden.

