



Acronym	EPMyn
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We recently launched the European Paediatric Mycology Network (EPMyn) aimed at a **better understanding and improved management of invasive fungal infections in neonates and children.**

The objectives of EPMyn are threefold:

- To investigate the clinical epidemiology of invasive fungal infections in neonates and children
- To create a forum for educating and training colleagues in the field of paediatric mycology
- To investigate new diagnostic and treatment modalities in specific paediatric patient groups

As a starting point, a survey will be performed to obtain the necessary information about the current management of invasive fungal infections in children and neonates from a large number of European centres. This information will be used to define specific areas of future research and will emphasize difficulties encountered in our daily practice which need to be addressed. A post-graduate course in Paediatric Mycology will be organized on October 12-13, 2015 in Lisbon, Portugal (just after the Trends In Medical Mycology 2015).

We would welcome interested collaborators from hospital offering high-level neonatal or paediatric intensive care, those with haemato-oncological departments or centers for primary immunodeficiencies