

“Bogota : a city with no Pain ”

General Policy



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PURPOSE

To guarantee the right of the patients with pain to have a comprehensive care and treatment , by the development of general strategies to be applied in the different Hospitals in Bogota and by the creation of specialized Units of Pain Management to improve health and quality of life of the population.



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General Objectives

To guarantee the comprehensive care and treatment of patients with pain as a right by the creation of Units of Pain to improve the practices on promotion, prevention, diagnoses, proper treatment and rehabilitation in order to improve health and quality of life of Bogota's population



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Specific Objectives

- To obtain from the General System of Social Security on Health the acknowledgment of the right of the patients to have a proper care of pain by:
 1. Inclusion in the National Plan of Health of all procedures and practices of pain care. (Codification)
 2. Inclusion of all Pain Units in the National System of Guarantee of Quality of Helthcare .
- To define the different protocols for the comprehensive treatment of patients with acute and chronic pain via interdisciplinary and collaborative teams that allow to *strengthen* the Public and Private Net of hospitals and Clinics In Bogota.



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Specific Objectives

- To obtain the inclusion of Pain care as a determinant of Policies related to research, information, epidemiological data and cost-effectiveness studies
- To strengthen competences of Health care providers related to the comprehensive care of the patients with pain in the different t Pain Units in Bogota.



CENTRAL PRINCIPLES

