

Pedagogical practices with the use of Informatics resources for people with Hemophilia



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Introduction:

This work presents the implementation of a pioneer educational project – the use of informatics as a resource and learning tool for social insert, which was established in 2008.

Center of Hemophiliacs in the State of São Paulo – CHESP is a non-governmental organization – NGO, on behalf of the health of people who have Hemophilia and Von Willebrand Disease.

It is located in São Paulo – Brazil. This service seeks to reduce the difficulties faced by people who live with hemophilia associated with problems resulting from the low social and economical levels, which is characteristic to developing countries.

Objective:

Aiming at the well being and improvement of the quality of life, CHESP offers a differentiated care in the educational area, using informatics as a tool and introducing a pedagogue in the multiprofessional team.



Methods:

The work proposal is divided in two areas:

1. Pedagogical follow-up for children in basic education period;
2. Professional education for youngsters and adults, also including family/companions;

In order to participate in the course, the student is submitted to an evaluation of the knowledge about informatics, which will determine the appropriate level for him.

Results:

Introduce the technical informatics and pedagogical informatics is to provide hemophilic participants an opportunity of professional, educational and personal growth, because the knowledge obtained will be as much valid for their participation in society as for their family life, using computers in a conscious and safe way at home, school or work.

At each step or level attained, students become capable of developing quality and creativity in their work, stirring up not only their cognitive but also their affective capacity as for the effort and dedication invested in learning will be valuable for the various aspects of their lives.



Conclusions:

The work with pedagogical informatics at CHESP is still in development and improvement process, always looking for new sources, researches and methodologies in order to enable these students to use new technologies.

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