



German Association for Health Sciences and Public Health

In 2007 the German Association for Health Sciences and Public Health (Deutscher Verband für Gesundheitswissenschaften und Public Health – DVGPH e. V.) was involved in the organisation of the 2nd German National Conference on Prevention and the 6th German Congress for Health Care Sciences that took place from 24th to 27th October 2007 in Dresden, Germany. The conference provided a platform for public health scientists and practitioners to explore and discuss methods to improve the transfer and implementation of scientific results into public health policy and society. For further information see our website: <http://www.dvgph.de> or <http://www.public-health.tu-dresden.de>. Looking forward to 2008 we would like to draw your attention to a workshop on „International Health Curricula in Various European Schools“ that will be held in Dresden on 17th October 2008.

Furthermore, please pay particular attention to the “Journal of Public Health”, Springer Verlag Heidelberg. The “Journal of Public Health” is an interdisciplinary publication for the discussion and debate of international public health issues, with a focus on European affairs. Contributions from the fields of epidemiology, health economics, environmental health, management, social sciences, ethics and law are welcome. The Editorial office is in Dresden (contact: Public.Health@mailbox.tu-dresden.de).

The German Association for Health Sciences and Public Health cooperates with the Working Party on Information on Lifestyle and Specific Subpopulations, European Commission, DG SANCO, Luxembourg, of which Professor Kirch is chairman. For further information see the Newsletters of the Working Party on the website: <http://www.public-health.tu-dresden.de/eu/>