

Appendix II. List of PRM societies and selected related institutions worldwide (Table 3)

Country by WHO-
region

Name (alphabetic)

URL or e-mail

PRM Society

Related Institution

WHO African Region

West African Regional Office of the African Rehabilitation Institute (ROARI)
Community Based Rehabilitation Africa Network (CAN)

Angola	<i>Angolan League for rehabilitation of physically disabled (LARDEF),</i>	
Algeria	Algerian Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	
Benin	none	
Botswana	none	
Burkina Faso	none	
Burundi	none	
Cameroon	none	
Cape Verde Islands	none	
Central African Republic	none	
Chad	none	
Comoros	none	
Congo	<i>The African Physical Handicapped Initiative Development</i>	http://www.taphid.org/
Congo DR	<i>The African Physical Handicapped Initiative Development</i>	http://www.taphid.org/
Côte d'Ivoire	none	
Djibouti	none	
Equatorial Guinea	none	
Eritrea	none	
Ethiopia	<i>Dessie orthopedic center</i>	
Gabon	none	
Gambia	<i>The Gambia Health Care Association</i>	http://www.gambiahealth.org/

Ghana	<p>Ghana Medical Rehabilitation Group (GMRG) <i>Accra rehabilitation centre</i></p> <p><i>Rehabilitation international Ghana</i> <i>Edwenase rehabilitation centre</i> <i>GhanaMD - Ghanaian Health Professionals</i></p>	<p>http://www.ghanaweb.com/GhanaHomePage/diaspora/artikel.php?ID=117025 na http://www.freewebs.com/rehabghana/projectachievements.htm http://www.ghanamd.com/</p>
Guinea	<p>none</p>	<p>http://www.icbl.org/lm/2005/guinea_bissau.html#Heading218 http://www.icbl.org/lm/2005/guinea_bissau.html#Heading218</p>
Guinea-Bissau	<p><i>National Association for Health Development (ANDES)</i></p>	<p>http://www.icbl.org/lm/2005/guinea_bissau.html#Heading218 http://www.icbl.org/lm/2005/guinea_bissau.html#Heading218</p>
Kenya	<p><i>Casa Amiga dos Deficientes Center</i> <i>The Nairobi Hospital Physical Medicine Centre</i></p>	<p>http://www.nairobihospital.org/ http://www.kenyanparaplegic.org/rehab_center.php</p>
Lesotho	<p><i>Kenyan Paraplegic Organization</i> <i>The Independent Living Centre - Lesotho (ILC Lesotho)</i> <i>National Association of Physically Disabled Persons</i> <i>Ithuseng Vocational Rehabilitation Centre (IVRC)</i></p>	
Liberia	<p><i>Benedict Menin Rehabilitation Center (BMRC)</i> <i>Univerisity of Michigan, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, J. Haig: Collaboration with Mercy Ships and the office of the Liberian Vice President to build a plan for a national rehabilitation program in Liberia.</i></p>	
	<p><i>Monrovia Rehabilitation Center (MRC);</i> <i>International Orthopedic Rehabilitation Organization for Isolated Disabled People (IORO)</i></p>	<p>http://www.icbl.org/lm/2008/countries/liberia.php www.ioro.org</p>
Madagascar	<p>none</p>	
Malawi	<p><i>Physiotherapy Association of Malawi</i> <i>Kachere Rehab Centre</i></p>	
Mali	<p><i>Centre National d'Appareillage Orthopédique du Mali</i></p>	
Mauritania	<p><i>Centre National d'Orthopédie et de Réadaptation Fonctionnelle (CNORF)</i></p>	
Mauritius	<p><i>National Council for Rehabilitation of Disabled Persons (NCRD)</i></p>	
Mozambique	<p><i>Jaipur Orthopedic Center (COJ)</i></p>	
Namibia	<p>none</p>	

Niger	none	
Nigeria	none	
Rwanda	none	
Sao Tome e Principe	none	
Senegal	none	
Seychelles	none	
Sierra Leone	none	
Somalia	none	
South Africa	<i>South African Orthotic & Prosthetic Association (SAOPA)</i>	http://www.saopa.co.za/
	<i>Southern African Neurological Rehabilitation Association (SANRA)</i>	
Sudan	<i>National Authority for Prosthetics and Orthotics</i>	
Swaziland	none	
Tanzania	<i>Tanzania Training Centre for Orthopaedic Technologies (TATCOT)</i>	
	<i>Comprehensive Community Based Rehabilitation in Tanzania</i>	http://www.ccbrrt.or.tz/
Togo		
Uganda	<i>Great Lakes Rehabilitation Center</i>	
	<i>Kumi Hospital Rehabilitation Center in the town of Kume</i>	
Zambia	none	
Zimbabwe	none	

WHO Regions of the Americas

Anguilla		
Antigua and Barbuda		
Argentina	Sociedad Argentina de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación (SAMFYR)	www.samfyr.org
Aruba	none	
Bahamas	none	
Barbados	none	
Belize	none	
Bermuda	none	
Bolivia	Sociedad Boliviana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	tigre_medrano@hotmail.com
Brazil	Associação Brasileira de Medicina Física e Reabilitação (ABMFR)	http://www.fisiatria.org.br
	Sociedade Paulista de Medicina Física e Reabilitação	http://www.spmfr.org.br
	Academia Brasileira de Medicina Física e Reabilitação	
	Sociedade Gaucha de Medicina Física e Reabilitação	
	Sociedade de Medicina de Reabilitação do Rio de Janeiro	

	Sociedade Alagoana de Medicina Física e Reabilitação	
British Virgin Islands	None	
Canada	Canadian Association of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	http://www.campr.ca http://www.fmsq.org/e/specialites/associations/physiatrie.html http://www.schmfyr.cl http://ascmfr.homestead.com frajobre@gmail.com http://www.sld.cu/sitios/rehabilitacion/index.php
	Quebec Physiatrist Association	
Chile	Sociedad Chilena de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	
Colombia	Asociación Colombiana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación (ASCMFR)	
Costa Rica	Asociación Costarricense de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	
	Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	
Cuba	none	
Dominica	Sociedad Dominicana de Fisiatría	www.fisiatriard.com
Dominican Republic	Sociedad Ecuatoriana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación (SEMEFIR)	www.semfir.com www.medicodeelsalvador.com/asociacion/asmer
Ecuador	Asociación Salvadoreña de Medicina de Rehabilitación (ASMER)	
El Salvador	none	
Grenada	Asociacion Guatemalteca de Rehabilitacion	na
Guatemala	none	
Guyana	Sociedad Hondureña de de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	gerardorivera2001@hotmail.com
Haiti	<i>Jamaican Orthopaedic Association</i>	na
Honduras	Sociedad Mexicana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación (SMMFYR)	www.smmfyr.com.mx
Jamaica	none	
Mexico	Asociación Nicaragüense de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	ariadna@ibw.com.ni socmedrehab_pa@hotmail.com solmas(a)mmail.com.py http://somefirep.es.tl
Montserrat	Sociedad Panameña de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	
Netherlands Antilles	Sociedad Paraguaya de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	
Nicaragua	Sociedad de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación de Perú (SOMEFIREP)	
Panama	Puerto Rico Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Asociación Médica de Puerto Rico - Sección de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	maricruzmd@hotmail.com
Paraguay	none	
Peru	none	
Puerto Rico	none	
St. Kitts and Nevis	none	
St. Lucia	none	
St. Vincent / Grenadines	none	
Suriname	none	
Trinidad and Tobago	none	

Turks and Caicos Islands	none	
Uruguay	Sociedad Uruguaya de Médicos Fisiatras	http://www.surmefi.org.uy
US Virgin Islands	none	
USA	Association of Academic Physiatrists American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (AAPM&R) American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine	http://www.physiatry.org/ http://www.aapmr.org/ http://www.acrm.org/
Venezuela	Sociedad Venezolana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación	http://www.svmfyr.com
WHO South-East Asia Region		
Bangladesh	Bangladesh Association of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	na
Bhutan	none	
India	Indian Association of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	http://www.iapmr.com
Indonesia	Indonesian Society of Rehabilitation Medicine	
Korea DPR	none	
Laos	none	
Maldives	none	
Myanmar	none	
Nepal	none	
Sri Lanka	none	
Thailand	Thai Rehabilitation Medicine Association Royal College of Physiatrists of Thailand	http://rehabmed.or.th http://rehabmed.or.th/royal/rc_thai/index.php
Timor-Leste	none	
WHO Europe Region		
Albania	<i>Kukes Hospital Rehabilitation Centre</i>	http://www.amae.org.al/news.htm
Andorra	none	
Armenia	none	
Austria	Österreichische Gesellschaft für Physikalische Medizin und Rehabilitation Der Berufsverband der Österreichischen Fachärzte für Physikalische Medizin und Rehabilitation (BÖPMR)	http://www.oegpmr.at http://www.boepmr.at/html/aerzte/indexarzt.html

Azerbaijan	none	
Belarus	none	
Belgium	Royal Belgian Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine	
Bosnia-Herzegovina	none	
Bulgaria	Bulgarian Society for Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation	na
Croatia	Croatian Society for Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	na
Cyprus	Cyprus Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	
Czech Republic	Czech Society of Rehabilitation and Physical Medicine	
Denmark	Danish Society of Rehabilitation	
	Danske Reumatologers og Fysurgers Organisation (DRFO)	http://www.drfo.dk/
England	The British Society of Rehabilitation Medicine	http://www.bsrm.co.uk/
	Royal Association for Disability and Rehabilitation	http://www.radar.org.uk/
Estonia	none	
Faroe Islands	none	
Finland	<i>Rehabilitation International Finnish Committee</i>	http://www.rifi.fi
France	Union of French Specialists in Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine	http://www.symer.org
	Société Française de médecine physique et de réadaptation (SOFMER)	http://www.somfer.com
FYR Macedonia	none	
Georgia	<i>Georgian Medical Association</i>	http://www.gma.ge
Germany	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Physikalische Medizin und Rehabilitation	http://www.dgpmr.de
Greece	Hellenic Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicines (EEFIAP)	http://www.eefiap.gr
Hungary	<i>Association of Hungarian Medical Societies</i>	http://www.motesz.hu
Iceland	<i>Icelandic Orthopaedic Society</i>	http://www.iceort.org/IceEn/iceen.htm
Italy	Italian Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine (SIMFER)	http://www.simfer.it
Kazakhstan	none	
Kyrgyzstan	none	
Latvia	Latvijas Fizikālās Medicīnas asociācija	http://www.lfma.pee.lv/
Liechtenstein	none	
Lithuania	<i>The Centre of Rehabilitation and Physiotherapy Vilnius</i>	http://www.santa.lt/index.php?-681911171
	Fizinè medicina ir reabilitacija	http://reabilitacija.wordpress.com/nau-dingos-nuorodos/
Luxembourg	none	
Malta	none	
Moldova	none	

Montenegro	Society for Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation of Serbia & Montenegro	na
Netherlands	Nederlandse Vereniging van Revalidatieartsen (VRA) Netherlands Society of Rehabilitation Physicians	http://www.vra.
Northern Ireland	see UK	
Norway	Norsk Forening for Fysikalsk- og Rehabiliteringsmedisin (NFFR)	http://www.legeforeningen.no/id/14177
Poland	Polish Rehabilitation Society	http://www.ptreh.home.pl/
Portugal	Sociedade Portuguesa de Medicina Física e de Reabilitação (SPMFR)	http://www.spmfr.org/links/?imr=18
Republic of Ireland	<i>National Rehabilitation Board (Ireland)</i>	na
Romania	Societatea Medicină Fizică și de Recuperare (SRFMR)	http://www.srmfr.ro/?idpag=1
Russia	<i>Ortos Neuro-Orthopedic Center</i>	http://www.ortos.ru/
San Marino	none	
Scotland	Scottish Society of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine	
Serbia	Society for Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation of Serbia & Montenegro Serbian Association of Physiatrists	na http://www.fizijatri.org
Slovakia	none	
Slovenia	Society for Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine of Slovenian Medical Association	http://ir-rs.si
Spain	Sociedad Española de Rehabilitación y Medicina Física	http://www.sermed.es
Sweden	Swedish Medical Association Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Physikalische Medizin und Rehabilitation (SGPMR)	http://www.slf.se
Switzerland		http://www.reha-schweiz.ch/reha/
Tajikistan	none	
Turkey	Turkish Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Specialists (TSPRMS)	na
Turkmenistan	none	
Ukraine	none	
United Kingdom	British Society of Rehabilitation Medicine <i>Society for Research in Rehabilitation</i>	http://bsrm.co.uk http://www.srr.org.uk
Uzbekistan	none	

**WHO Eastern
Mediterranean
Region**

Afghanistan none

Bahrain	none	
Egypt	Egyptian Society for Rheumatology and Rehabilitation	http://rheuma.netfirms.com/
Iran	Iranian Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	http://www.ispmr.ir/
Iraq	none	
Israel	Israel Association of Physical and Rehabilitation Medicine	http://www.medrehab.org.il/
Jordan	none	
		http://www.isprm.org/?CategoryID=208&ArticleID=125&sng=1
Kuwait	Kuwait Physical medicine & Rehabilitation Society	
Lebanon	The Lebanese Society For Physical Medicine And Rehabilitation	
Libya	none	
Morocco	none	
Oman	none	
Pakistan	<i>Pakistan Society for the Rehabilitation of the Disabled</i>	http://www.psrdr.org.pk/
Palestine	none	
Qatar	none	
		http://www.isprm.org/?CategoryID=208&ArticleID=125&sng=1
Saudi Arabia	Saudi Arabian Society for Physical & Rehabilitation Medicine	
Syria	none	
	Societe Tunisienne de Medicine Physique, de Reeducation et de Readaption Fonctionelles	http://www.isprm.org/?CategoryID=208&ArticleID=125&sng=1
Tunisia	Fonctionelles	
United Arab Emirates	Medical Physics Society	http://www.ema.ae/en/societies.asp
Yemen	none	
WHO Western Pacific Region		
Australia	Australasian Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine (AFRM)	http://afmr.racp.edu.au/
Brunei Darussalam	none	
Cambodia	none	
China PR	Chinese Association of Rehabilitation Medicine Chinese Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation <i>China Association of Rehabilitation of Disabled Persons</i>	http://www.carm.org.cn/index.do http://www.capmr.org/index.aspx na
		http://www.pmr.org.tw/old_pmr/index.asp
Chinese Taipei	Taiwan Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	
Fiji	none	

Guam	none	
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Association of Rehabilitation Medicine	http://www.hkarm.org/
	<i>Hong Kong Society for Rehabilitation</i>	http://www.rehabsociety.org.hk/english.html
Japan	Japanese Association of Rehabilitation Medicine	http://wwwsoc.nii.ac.jp/jarm/english/english.html
	Japanese Society for Physical Medicine	na
Korea Republic	Korean Academy of rehabilitation medicine	http://www.karm.or.kr/eng/
Macau	none	
Malaysia	<i>MALAYSIAN REHABILITATION COUNCIL</i>	http://www.mma.org.my/Portals/0/MALAYSIAN%20REHABILITATION%20COUNCIL.pdf
	<i>Malaysian Medical Association</i>	http://www.mma.org.my/
Mongolia	Mongolian Association of Rehabilitation Medicine	na
New Zealand	Australasian Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine (AFRM)	http://afrm.racp.edu.au/
	<i>The New Zealand Rehabilitation Association (NZRA)</i>	http://www.rehabilitation.org.nz/
Papua New Guinea	<i>PNG Rehabilitation Centre Inc</i>	http://www.apcdproject.org/link/search_org.php?countrycode=046
Philippines	Philippine Academy of Rehabilitation Medicine	http://www.eparm.org/
Samoa	none	
Singapore	Singaporean Society of Rehabilitation Medicine	na
Solomon Islands	none	
Tonga	none	
Vanuatu	none	
Vietnam	<i>Vietnam Rehabilitation Association (VINAREHA)</i>	http://dieutridau.com/lylieuphcn/index.htm
American Samoa	none	
Cook Islands	none	
New Caledonia	none	
Tahiti	none	