CALL FOR PAPERS

Prevention of Disability (POD)

Disability is one of the most obvious and lasting results of leprosy, and fear of this often prevents people from seeking early treatment. With many governments seeking to integrate the treatment of leprosy into their general health services, there is a concern that picking up those with potentially damaging complications might be missed, and specialist services will need to be provided for many years to come.

Self-care groups are in operation in many parts of the world, but in others this valuable asset is not available.

For a special issue on ‘Prevention of Disability’, which will be Guest Edited by Hugh Cross, PhD, contributions are invited covering any aspects of leprosy in relation to disability and after-care. Full length scientific papers, systematic reviews, commentaries, case histories, letters or short communications will be considered.

Manuscripts should be submitted online via the manuscript submission and tracking site, www.edmgr.com/leprosyreview. Full instructions for submission are available directly from this site as you submit your paper. Please contact the Assistant Editor, Irene Allen on irenea@lepra.org.uk, if you have any queries.

The deadline for these papers is June 2015.