

## EASO Collaborating Centres for Obesity Management (COMs) Paediatric Section

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We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for submitting an application for your centre to become an EASO accredited Collaborating Paediatric Centre for Obesity Management.

Under the EASO COM scheme, paediatric obesity management centres (including university and public clinics) are accredited against a set of carefully developed criteria and in accordance with accepted European and academic guidelines, with applying centres assessed by the EASO Childhood Obesity Task Force (COTF). The COTF has completed its assessment of your centre and we are pleased to confirm that your application was successful – your centre has thus been granted EASO COM status for the three year period 1st July 2019 to 30th June 2022.

Your centre will therefore be recognised by EASO as a leading paediatric obesity management centre in Europe throughout that period. The EASO COM network brings together accredited centres from across Europe and as a member of this network, you (and your centre) will have the opportunity to contribute to a number of important EASO projects. One of the main goals of the COM network is to develop consensus guidelines on a number of management issues, with consensus achieved via the exchange of expertise during specially convened 'Paediatric COM Summit Meetings'.

We will send further information in due course and look forward to working with you to develop the EASO Paediatric COM network and its important actions in the coming years.

With kind regards Yours sincerely

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President, EASO

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Executive Director, EASO

On behalf of the EASO COTF and Executive Committee.