4th meeting Munich Phoenix GmbH

November 5th – 7th, 2014.

Topic: "Adapt"

All partner organisations represented.

The fourth time we met in Munich in the Phoenix Conductive Centre.

On Wednesday after welcoming and introducing new participants, we started with the presentation of the homework. Each institution presented practical experience with one specific measure and if its items are represented in the ICF CE Core Set:

NICE: ICF CE Core Set and GMFM, QOL

Joriel: ICF CE Core Set and GMFM, QOL

Petö Budapest: ICF CE Core Set and Kidscreen

Percy Hedley: ICF CE Core Set and PEDI

Phoenix: ICF CE Core Set and DTVP 2

Vienna: ICF CE Core Set and Classifications

Inkendaal: ICF CE Core Set and Assessments of cognition

After the presentations, we discussed for each test whether it could be useful to produce evidence of outcome measures suitable for working in a CE setting.

On Tuesday Dr. Leif Johannsen of the Technical University of Munich, Chair of Human Movement Science, gave a talk on a research project, he had conducted at the Phoenix Conductive Center, and a general introduction in developing scientific studies.

The rest of the time was dedicated to discuss and plan the further procedure.

Four tests seemed to be mostly useful for our project:

- the Gross Motor Function Measure (GMFM) to evaluate the gross motor function of the children with cerebral palsy
- the PEDI-CAT to assess the abilities in the functional domains of Daily Activities, Mobility, Social/Cognitive and Responsibility
- CPQOL or the KIDDY-KINDL to assess the quality of life.

To evaluate the suitability for our institutions and clients we decided to run some case studies first as homework for the next meeting. Each partner organization agreed to test 2-3 students with the three tests, to evaluate how the data collected match their knowledge of the child and to further feedback to the EVIBACE group about strengths and weaknesses of the outcome measures, about difficulties in using the measures and anything which is missing.