

5<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Evidence-Based Health Care Teachers & Developers **Models of Practice in Hospital and Primary Care** *Taormina (Italy), 28<sup>th</sup> October - 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2009* 



# Our feedback report

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## Outline

The goods
 The bads
 Special thanks
 The next one

## 1. The goods

- The high quality of plenary sessions and workshop
- The attendance of many EBHC world leaders, with their "pearls"
- The adherence to the conference schedule
- Your confirmation of appreciation and thanks
- Your warmth, affection and kindness
- The availability of hotel and restaurants staff to satisfy all needs and necessities
- The wonderful weather (after 40 raining days...)

### 2. The bads

• Problems in obtaining the VISA and/or extra-funds for 10 registered conference attendees:

- 2 from Benin
- 4 from Ghana
- 2 from Nigeria
- 1 from Sierra Leone

• One "last-minute" lost attendee with free registration offered by GIMBE to developing countries

#### Special thanks to...

# GIMBE staff: Marco, Andrea, Maurizio Annamaria & Paola Angela & Deborah

#### Further thanks to... Caparena Hotel

- Roberto Cardone, general manager
- Nando Caliri, front office chair
- Annamaria Imbimbo, *house keeper*
- Franco Trovato & Gaetano Melita, *maitres*
- Franco Farina & Tonino Puglisi, chef
- Roberto Scimone, barman
- Katja Lo Re, booking office manager
- Giuseppe Cifali, administrative office manager

#### Every other staff member not mentioned

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#### Is it time to reinvent the wheel?

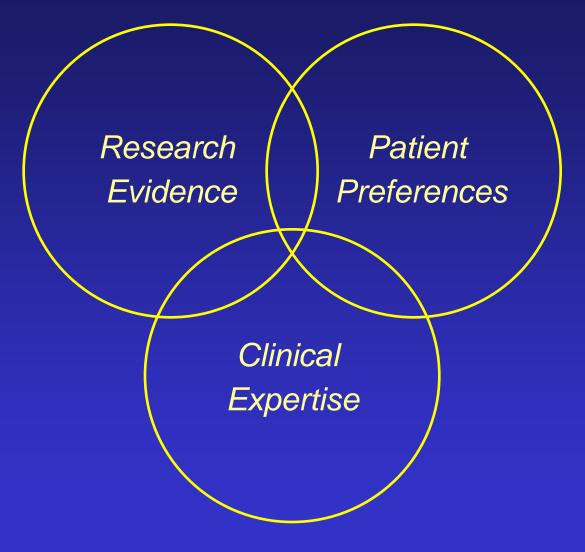


- Basic vs advanced vs mixed program?
- Larger audience for the Conference (200-300 people)?
- Separate registration and accommodation fees?
- Reduced fees for students?
- Another venue with an international airport (Rome, Milan)?

As requested, we will ask your feedback through an online survey in the next weeks

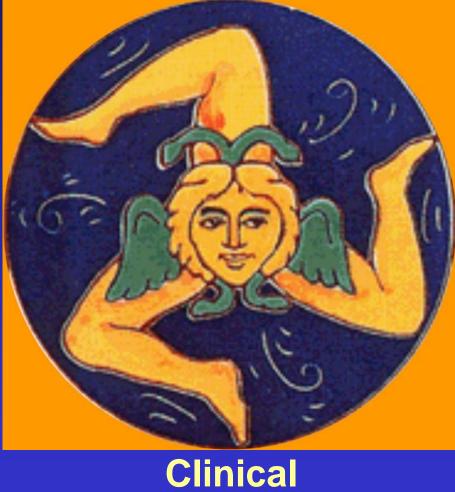
• **GIMBE** is able to organize the Conference everywhere in Italy...and perhaps also abroad!

• But, as suggested by someone of you...



Sackett et al. BMJ 1996

#### Research Evidence



**Expertise** 

#### Patient Preferences

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So... if you are able to find another suitable "triangular" region/country, we will move the conference, otherwise...

## SAVE THE DATE

## Looking forward to the 6<sup>th</sup> EBHC International Conference...

# **Sicily** October, 26<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>, 2011







#### Gentlemen...

## THANK YOU