JOIN THE WORLD DATABASE!

Mission

As part of the mission of the World Society for Pediatric and Congenital Heart Surgery, the World Database for Pediatric and Congenital Heart Surgery has been developed and will be maintained for the purposes of furthering knowledge concerning the global practice and outcomes of pediatric and congenital heart surgery; fostering an environment of quality improvement in participating hospitals, without geographic constraints regarding eligibility for participation; and promoting scientific investigation and publication based on analyses of this world database, with collaboration among a wide array of international colleagues.

Surgeries Entered Per Quarter and Cumulative Hospital Enrollment

61 hospitals participating from 20 countries
9,972 Tier 1 Surgeries Entered
7,575 Tier 2 Surgeries Entered
17,547 Total Surgeries Entered

Tier 1 Surgeries
Index surgeries with expanded data collection including 1 year follow-up

Tier 2 Surgeries
All other surgeries with minimal data collection

How can I enroll my hospital?

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