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**Welcome and activity presentation from Nurses and Midwives
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- 533 hospital beds available for pediatric patients
- 461 pediatricians working in the field of pediatrics



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Number of employer in health system in Slovenia



- **21,892 live births** corded in 2024.
- 2019 - **6,812 physicians, 7,996 nurses, and 13,468 healthcare technicians.**



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Transforming Pediatric Nursing Through Research and Practice

- Focus on preserving and enhancing foundational knowledge
- new insights, practical skills, and techniques
- collaborative and advisory organization addressing current trends and challenges
- Support accessibility, continuous improvement, and innovation
- Promote research activities and assist in the implementation into practical applications.



Conducted events during the year

- **Online professional meeting:** Vaccination, Breastfeeding, Palliative Care, Respiratory Infections
- **Two-day seminar** titled “Collaboration, Empowerment, and Care – The Key to Safe Pediatric Nursing,”
- **proceedings of a professional conference**





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Mental health

- (RN) in pediatric mental health centers; Advocacy for Staffing Equity
- Active Participation in Programs
- Focus on Mental Health Services



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- Active participation in the **Strategic Council** of the National Institute of Public Health.
- Contributing expertise to guide public health strategies and initiatives.



Advancing Specialized Knowledge in Pediatric Nursing

- Initiated activities to develop **specialized knowledge** for nurses in the pediatric field.
- Emphasis on the **necessity of advanced competencies** for professional and safe pediatric care.
- Aimed at enhancing expertise and promoting excellence in specialized nursing practices.



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children and adolescents with **special needs** and **behavioral challenges**.

- first pilot project dedicated to children and adolescents with intellectual disabilities, as well as emotional and behavioral challenges in two training centers.





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Recognition of Excellence in Pediatric Nursing

- The President and Vice President of the section received the **Golden Emblem from the Nursing and Midwives association**, the highest recognition for professional achievements in the field.
- 2025 - 50 years of professional work of Section in pediatric nursing
- For the future: big challenges in the education field for pediatric nursing