Activities of the German Cochrane Centre

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Structure of the Cochrane Collaboration
German Cochrane Centre

• founded in 1998 in Freiburg im Breisgau
• financed by the Federal Ministry of Health, Federal Ministry of Education and Research and the German Research Foundation
• 23 staff members: patient information, statistic, surgery, urology, paediatrics, alternative medicine, ophthalmology, nursing

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• Establishment of Review Groups and Branches
• Support of the German Network for Evidence Based Medicine
• Workshops twice a year: Systematic reviews, systematic literature search, GRADE
• Hand searching in german journals

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• Support of Cochrane authors
• theory and practice connection
• DFG-Project: Selective reporting
• Analysis of publication practice
• Cochrane Reviews (10)
• involved in new review methodology