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Several lectures presented during Polish and international conferences. The selected ones are:

2. K. Jahnz-Różyk: The third forum on innovation and availability of drugs. Warsaw, 30.06. 2009. Active participation in the panel: "Economic evaluation to generate the highest value for the society"
6. J. Lis: "Costs of diseases treatment in EU and Poland". Lecture given during UW Conference, April 2009

Cooperation with the Polish Academy of Science:

Several Publications – the most important ones are:


Accomplishments for 2009:

1. Educational standards of the Polish Society of Pharmacoeconomics set
2. PTFe guidelines for conducting pharmacoeconomical analyses, updated by Dr E. Orlewska
3. Preparation of the Polish version and publication of "ISPOR Book of Terms". edited by J. Lis, K. Jahnz-Rozyk, M. Czech, T. Hermanowski.
4. Nomination to Joanna Lis to co-chair the Issue Panel Review Committee at Central & Eastern Europe 13th Annual European Congress held from 6-9 November 2010
5. Endorsement of the conference "Role of generics in optimization of costs of health care" (endorsement by the Israel Embassy in Poland, TEVA Pharmaceuticals and Polish Society of Pharmacoeconomics).

Upcoming Activities for 2010
- Cooperation with ISPOR, particularly developing close contacts with Central and Eastern Europe Chapters
- Introduction of educational standards of the Polish Society of Pharmacoeconomics to medical professionals and health care system
- Effective utilization of the ISPOR Book of Terms in Poland.