

XClinical support SIOP with €10,000 donation

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SIOP are delighted to announce today that The International Society of Paediatric Oncology (SIOP) received a €10,000 donation from XClinical as part of XClinical's "MARVIN 4 KIDS" initiative.

XClinical are suppliers of Electronic Data Capture (EDC) software that supports the clinical development of drugs and medical products.

Over the course of 2011-12 XClinical will attend several major medical meetings and at each meeting XClinical will make donations to SIOP on behalf of visitors to the XClinical stand. XClinical have made an initial commitment of €10,000 to launch the initiative. The first meeting will be the Drug Information Association (DIA) Europe [meeting](#) in Geneva March 28-30, 2011.

SIOP has a vision that no child should die of cancer. To achieve this mission SIOP is committed to ensuring that each child and young adult with cancer has access to state of the art treatment and care. Each year, more than 160,000 children worldwide are diagnosed with cancer while an estimated 90,000 die from the disease.

SIOP President Gabriele Calaminus notes "targeted scientific research and universal access to care and support for children and young adults with cancer must be made public health priorities in all countries, and now."

"SIOP are grateful for XClinical's commitment to both support SIOP financially but also that it will help raise awareness that through SIOP doctors and researchers can make a real difference to the life of tomorrow's child" says SIOP President Gabriele Calaminus.