



Country News GA 2020

Please use the following form to send us information from your country for the GA. This will help us all to prepare for the GA, and it will also enable those countries whose representatives cannot attend to let us know what is happening there in the field of music therapy. Your answers do not have to be long, but just to the point.

We would ask you to send the completed form to the core board by May 1, 2020.

Thanks in advance for your support!

Esa, Alice and Melanie

Name of Country: Turkey

Name of Delegate: Özgür Salur

Topic	News
1. Professional development:	
2. Training:	University courses led by MÜZTED president Burçin Uçaner Çifdalöz and Özgür Salur have been shifted to online teaching because of the COVID-19 restrictions.
3. Research:	<p>MÜZTED president Burçin Uçaner Çifdalöz has been leading the Turkish part of the MIDDEL research project. Music Interventions for Dementia and Depression in Elderly care (MIDDEL) is an international cluster-randomised trial project and have partners in Norway, Netherlands, Italy, Germany, UK and Turkey.</p> <p>“Eclectic Music Therapy: Examples from Theory and Practice” article, written by Burçin Uçaner Çifdalöz and Özgür Salur in Turkish has been published in Türkiye Klinikleri Dergisi.</p> <p>“Music Therapy And Music Based Interventions For Dementia And End Of Life Care In Turkey” written by Burçin Uçaner Çifdalöz in English has been published in The Journal of International Social Research.</p> <p>“Psycho-social Support with Refugees: Dance / Movement Therapy and Music Therapy” article, written by Sevin Seda Güney, Danny S. Lundmark and Nurhan Eren in Turkish has been published in Türkiye Klinikleri Dergisi.</p>
4. Role of music therapy in society/health care etc.	EMTD and WMTD have been celebrated across the country. Presentations and workshops have been conducted by MÜZTED members across the country,
5. Questions/Requests for Core Board/Board or GA:	Thank you for your support and we're looking forward to future collaborations.