



## ICD-11-PC-Linearization -a strange story goes on

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# The making of ICD-11

- Foundation layer
- Linearizations
- Joint Linearization for Morbidity and Mortality Statistics (JLMMS); huge financial effort, no PC-TAG
- PC-Linearization; no financial effort;



# WHO-FIC-Meeting 2012 Brasilia:

- Berdihan Üstün asked for support of a PC-Linearization
- „It`s like a play list in your i-pod. You just pick what you need...
- Then they came up with something we should agree with



# WHO-FIC-Meeting 2014 Barcelona:

- Richard Madden: Bring it to the WHO-FIC council
- Formation of an informal PC-Group
- Plan to draft a MoU



# Work on PC-Linearization

- Foundation of a „formal“ PC-group led by Kees and Martti
- Work on a preliminary list based on ICPC-2 + on something Robert had produced
- Then nothing happened anymore
- Seoul 2018: „40 years Alma Ata“  
No mention of PC in the work plan



# A new PC-Group of the FDC

- Again without PC-physicians
- We were included only after protest
- Addressed by a neurologist to contribute...
- Letter by Wonca leadership to Robert: *„...We have received numerous promises and undertakings, and yet nothing has come of them. It thus appears that you, as a representative of WHO, are making promises and deals with us but then failing to follow through on them.“*





# Let's see what comes next

