Panel III. Frugal Innovation: Learning from Around the World

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Since 1988, Brazil has been developing a dynamic, complex health system based on the principles of health as a citizen’s right and state’s duty.

It strives to provide comprehensive, universal, preventive and curative care through decentralized management and provision of health services and promotion of community participation at all levels.
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Primary Health Care Model

- Polyarchical model of care
- Primary Health Care (PHC) system would be responsible for coordinating the care
- Concept: territorialization
- Network: integrated health care system

Patients are linked to the territory where they live and a specific health team is in charge of that territory
The Family Health Clinic (FHC)

Family Health Care Team:
- Physician (General Practitioner)
- Nurse
- Nurse technician
- Six Community Health Workers
- Health Surveillance Agent

- 2,500 – 3,500 people
- Coordination of the care: provide general health care and maintain the follow-up care of the patients who require access to other levels of health care
SETTING THE CLIENT POPULATION
Precise definition of the territory of operation

TERRITORIALIZATION
Mapping the area, including a specific population set

POPULATION HEALTH STATUS DIAGNOSTIC
Registration of families and individuals, generating data to enable the analysis of the health situation of the territory

PLANNING BASED ON LOCAL REALITY
Programming of activities according to health risk criteria, giving priority to solving the problems
Primary Health Care Principles

First contact

Longitudinality

Integrality

Coordination of care
Rocinha 2011: 100% Coverage of the Family Health Strategy
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