

Dear New Angels Member,

Together with the ESO and WSO we welcome you on your Angels journey.

Every 30 minutes a stroke patient who could have been saved, **dies or is permanently disabled**, not just because of the stroke, but because they are treated in the wrong hospital.

The Angels Initiative has been designed to empower you to change this. We are creating a global community of more and improved stroke centers and stroke-ready hospitals that should see 43 million stroke patients receive evidence-based care in Angels hospitals by 2030.

The mission is simple.

We will help you implement evidence-based medicine in everyday clinical practice to ensure your stroke patients are given the best chance to survive their stroke with minimal or no disability.

The Angels consultancy process consists of the following steps:

- **Enrolment phase**
- **Discovery phase**
- **Improvement phase**
- **Implementation phase**
- **Feedback loop**

Your dedicated Angels Consultant will be available to support you as you strive to achieve or maintain excellence in treating stroke.

We look forward to working with you as we build this community. Together we will aspire to leave a legacy of improved stroke care for every stroke patient now and into the future.

GIVING *life* A CHANCE.



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