

SIG/Committee Name: Chinese PRO SIG
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Mission: This SIG focuses on promoting research and education of PROs for the Chinese population by connecting with international efforts related to research and application of PROs. We facilitate networking for Chinese researchers by supporting emerging researchers online, through collaborations, and at ISOQOL events.

Project/Working Group/ Initiative Title	Actions/Deliverables	Description	Project Chair(s)	Project Members	Date Executed/ Estimated Timeline
1. A Joint Conference by ISOQOL China SIG and China Anti-Cancer Association	1.Presentation sessions by renowned experts in the fields of quality of life research and cancer care 2.Interactive workshops focusing on innovative approaches to improve quality of life in cancer patients	The joint conference between the ISOQOL China SIG and the China Anti-Cancer Association (CACA) brings together two leading organizations dedicated to advancing quality of life outcomes in cancer care. This collaborative event will showcase the latest research and innovations in the field, offering attendees a unique opportunity to learn from experts, participate in hands-on workshops, and engage in discussions on the role of quality of life measures in cancer treatment and survivorship.	Qiuling Shi	Wenjie Duan, Daniel Fong, Jiqian Fang	Oct. 2024
2. An In-Depth Analysis of FDA' s New Guidance	A Comprehensive commentary article in Chinese discussing the implications and importance of the FDA' s new guidance on PRO	This activity aims to educate and inform the Chinese healthcare community about the significance of the FDA' s recent guidance on analyzing PRO data. Through in-depth commentary article, our team will delve into the nuances of the guidance, its potential impact on research and drug development, and best practices for incorporating PRO data into clinical trials.	Qiuling Shi	Jiqian Fang, Wenjie Duan, Daniel Fong, and the China SIG	Nov 2024
3. Training course for the use of PRO in Clinical trials	Development of training course for researchers and clinical coordinators in utilizing PRO tools in clinical trials	This project focuses on creating a series of courses tailored for researchers and clinical coordinators intending to integrate PROs into their clinical trials. The training will cover essential topics such as introducing commonly used PRO instruments in clinical trials, effective strategies for data collection using PRO tools through various mediums including paper-and-pencil, telephone, or web-based devices, as well as identifying and addressing potential pitfalls in PRO data collection.	Qiuling Shi	Jiqian Fang, Wenjie Duan, Daniel Fong, and the China SIG	July 2024

Concerns/Questions/Comments:



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We have identified several concerns regarding the performance of ISOQOL communication:

1. The Teamwork platform used for global members is not commonly utilized by Chinese members.
2. The webinars for members are currently not accessible to non-members who are keen to utilize Patient-Reported Outcomes (PRO) tools but lack instructions on how to do so.
3. Collaboration between ISOQOL China SIG and local academic societies is impeded by the lengthy approval procedures required from both sides.