

## The Pearl of Wisdom®

The Pearl of Wisdom is the symbol of the Cervical Cancer Prevention Campaign. For any health campaign to succeed, people must be able to easily recognise it among all the other things that are competing for their attention. The Pearl of Wisdom was designed to be a distinctive symbol that:

- Is uniquely associated with the Cervical Cancer Prevention Campaign,
- Can be used to capture the attention of the public and enhance our ability to communicate with this audience.



Since the launch of the Pearl of Wisdom in 2008, more than 1 million pins have been distributed across Europe. During the Cervical Cancer Prevention Week 2012, numerous patient groups, cancer societies, medical associations, etc. included the Pearl of Wisdom in the events they ran to capture people's attention and to help them communicate effectively. In Ireland, Ms Mo Foley, Coordinator of the West Limerick Primary Health Care Project said, "The Pearl of Wisdom pins were lovely and well-received by all



the women. It is very helpful to give something tangible like the Pearl of Wisdom when you are giving information to people as it helps people to remember."

For some examples of the Pearl in use:

http://www.ecca.info/en/campaigns/the-pearl-of-wisdom-campaign/the-pearl-in-practice.html

## The Pearl of Wisdom in Action





## The Pearl of Wisdom in the Media



