



ACTIVITY REPORT
of the Romanian OI Association "Fragile People"
for the year 2017

I. DEPLOYED ACTIVITIES

§1. Firstly, **granting non-reimbursible financial allowances for some families**, in order to reimburse partially/fully direct or indirect expenses, such as drugs' price, recovery bills, medical devices' cost, transportation etc. incurred by OI treatment.

This year the grand total of such allowances was 32.800 lei. This figure is almost twice the corresponding figure in 2016. Six persons (one adult, 5 children) benefitted from these sums. It is worth noting that for the first time in seven years, one allowance partially covered the price of a state-of-the-art wheelchair and its accessories, for one adult.

§2. Secondly, **we sent sums as Christmas gifts for all known OI persons in our national database (both members and non-members)**, on the occasion of Christmas 2017!

All in all 37 families, comprising 39 persons, were recipients of these gifts, that totalled 4.300 lei. As the largest share of our efforts was directed towards non-reimbursible allowances, we had to restrict ourselves to a much smaller amount than in 2016 (see paragraph 1 above). Nevertheless, we are very glad we maintained this good habit, as in all past years!

§3. **Our association bought the remarkable book "Osteogenesis imperfecta"**, (578 pages, editor Jay Shapiro). This work is a remarkable, updated volume on all OI medical

aspects, and it was made available to all interested individuals, as xerocopy. The price of the book was 800 de lei.

§4. We also **periodically updated our website** www.oirom.ro, with news and other useful information.

5. Last, but not least, **we collected funds through: fiscal form 230, getting donations** etc. Special thanks to all those who helped us in getting the money needed to our functioning!

II. FINANCING SOURCES

1. Excedent form 2016: **34.900 lei**
2. **Sums via fiscal form 230**, received from fiscal authorities: **23.500 de lei**
4. Annual **membership fees: 300 de lei**
5. **Unique donation: 1.000 de lei**

III. EXCEDENT

As of 31 December 2017, our association posted **an excedent of 21.000 lei**, which shall be used in the next year, 2018.

This is not quite a sum, but we hope that we bring much more money into our bank account in the near future!