

IASSID COUNCIL MEETING

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REPORT FROM THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

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I apologise that I will be unable to attend the Council meeting in Taipei. I have set out below the main Terms of Reference of this Committee and have listed the proposed publications that have been reviewed under the new protocols that have been established.

Terms of Reference

These were discussed at Council in September 2002.

The Publications committee is responsible for:

1. Receiving and arranging for independent reviews of submissions to IASSID for books or other research or practice based documents to be published using the IASSID name;
2. Communicating to the IASSID Executive Ctte results of such submissions;
3. Assisting in the publication of IASSID sponsored documents
4. Reporting annually to council

Publications reviewed

The only submissions received have been for books to be published using the IASSID name. These have been as follows:

1. Proposal by Dalton and Wallace on the health of people with Down's syndrome. Reviews undertaken. Accepted
2. Proposal by Holland and colleagues 'The Cambridge Textbook on Intellectual Disability' Reviews undertaken (organised by Glynis Murphy) Accepted.
3. Proposal by Sturmey and colleagues. Mental health of people with intellectual disabilities. Reviews undertaken. Accepted

4. Proposal by Vee Prasher and colleagues on Dementia in people with Down syndrome. Under review

Tony Holland

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