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- Project Goals: Enhance medical education and capacity building in Georgia.
- Key Focus Areas: Simulation-based training, regulatory improvements, and residency program development.
- Partners: Collaboration between Paula Stradiņš Clinical University Hospital, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University, Latvian Association of Young Doctors and healthcare experts.
- Project Funding and Support: Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Latvia
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## SIMULATION-BASED TRAINING

Establish a Simulation Center at TSU to:

- Integrate VR and advanced simulators for skill-building.
- Create realistic training scenarios (e.g., emergency responses, childbirth).
- Develop specialized instructor programs.

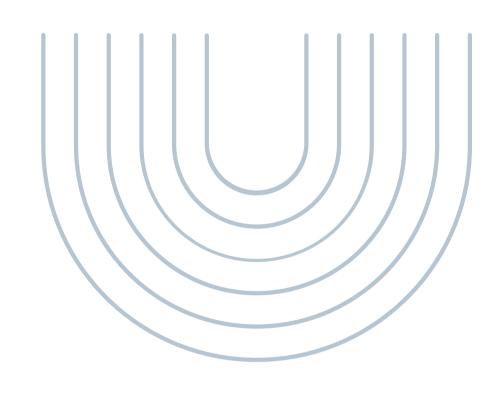
Benefits: Safe, hands-on learning environment for students, residents, and healthcare professionals.





#### **Residency Program Enhancements:**

- Align programs with international standards.
- Address shortages in high-risk specialties like emergency medicine.





### **Continuing Education:**

- Shift certification responsibilities to professional associations.
- Incorporate simulation-based content and align with EU standards.

# RESIDENCY AND CONTINUING EDUCATION IMPROVEMENTS

## NURSING PROFESSION DEVELOPMENT

- Elevate the prestige of nursing through advocacy and collaboration with healthcare institutions.
- Transition nursing education from vocational to higher education.
- Establish unified certification and regulatory systems for nurses.



## REGIONAL AND SYSTEMIC ACCESSIBILITY

Develop regional training centers to ensure education access outside urban areas.

Engage with stakeholders to address healthcare system risks affecting professional training.



Support NGOs in advocating for healthcare education policies.



## COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS

Promote cross-border collaborations to:

• Implement standardized programs for allied health professionals (e.g., masseurs, lab technicians).

 Develop EU-aligned continuing education programs. Strengthen partnerships with private, public, and international organizations for sustainable development.

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#### Commitment to Excellence:

- Together, we are building a stronger, more sustainable medical education system.
- Your engagement and dedication inspire meaningful progress for healthcare professionals and patients alike.



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