



The Contribution of Family Medicine to Improving Health Systems: A Guidebook from the World Organization of Family Doctors

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Taylor Francis Ltd, United Kingdom, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 2nd Revised ed.. 244 x 172 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. This guidebook systematically analyses the contribution of family medicine to highquality primary health care in addressing the challenges faced by current health systems, and provides options for moving forward. It serves as a pragmatic guide to potential strategies for putting in place family care teams which effectively contribute to health sector development within a variety of contexts. From the Foreword by Dr Margaret Chan, Director-General, World Health Organization .the quest to maintain and improve the health and well-being of people throughout the world is enriching. It adds substantial meaning to the lives of those who contribute to a process that joins the human family in a common undertaking based on intrinsic respect for the dignity of each individual. The roots of this process run as deep as humanity s oldest efforts to alleviate suffering, yet they are nourished by the approaches described in the following pages that draw on current developments in education and patient care, recent epidemiological research, and ongoing examples of successful implementation among diverse communities throughout the world. From the Executive Summary The much...



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