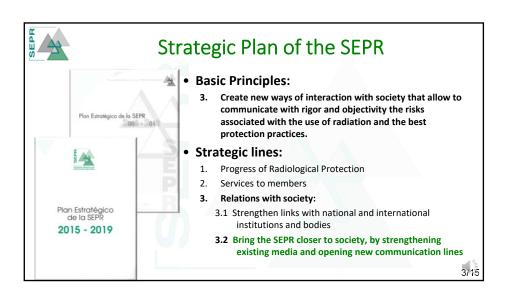
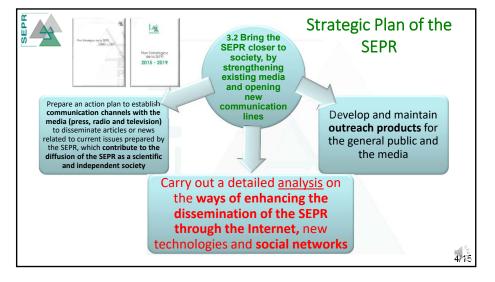
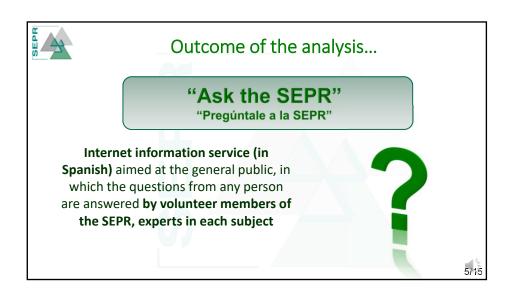


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## "Ask the SEPR"

"Preguntale a la SEPR"

- Launched in 2013 to respond to the doubts and concerns of those who visit the website of the SEPR
- The consultations are answered by volunteer experts, members of the SEPR
- Questions are classified according to a few main topics
- The section also includes small introductory documents to each thematic area





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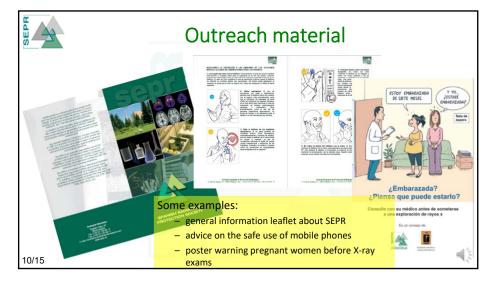
## Topics, subtopics and number of questions replied (more than 200 in total)

- General information on radiation and its effects (16)
- Radiation of natural origin (including radon and NORM) (4)
- Use of radiation in medicine (general) (9)
  - RP of patients (4)
    - Diagnosis (67)
    - Therapy (6)
  - RP of health workers (30)

- RP in nuclear energy (1)
- RP of the public and the environment (5)
- Other radioactive sources and Management of radioactive waste (6)
- Non-ionizing radiation (general) (16)
  - Mobile telephony and antennas (21)
  - Domestic appliances (microwaves, induction, etc.) (17)
  - NIR use in medicine and other fields (5)

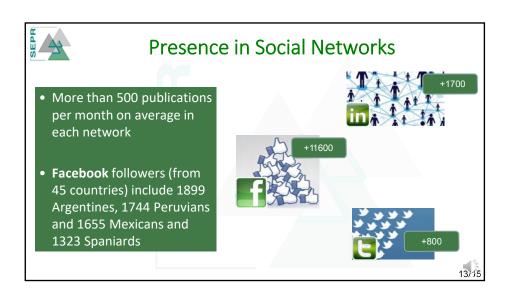














## **CONCLUSIONS**

- Communication of radiation risk and protection issues is an essential part of SEPR and IRPA mission:
  - Members should take advantage of opportunities to increase public understanding of radiation protection and of the aims and objectives of IRPA and their own Society [IRPA Code of Ethics]
- With the "Ask the SEPR" initiative, an interactive service is available for the Spanish-speaking community through which to answer the public's doubts about our profession
- Other ways to reach the public (website, social media, permanent exhibition, outreach material) are also used by the SEPR and under continuous improvement



