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# STATISTICAL PACKAGE FOR FORMS OF CANCER IN CYPRUS (SPFCC)

## 1. INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Introducing the system

The purpose of this system is to create a computerized information system for the cancer data maintenance and reporting activities of the Ministry of Health. The existing system, which is a mixture of manual and computerized handling of information was found very drudgery and in some cases inefficient. For this reason, the design, coding, implementation and installation of a Computerized System to handle all this time consuming manual activities is prepared.

The SPFCC is a complete system, supported by a powerful database running under Windows 95, Microsoft Access 97, which handles all the activities of the Department of Cancer in the Ministry of Health. It fulfills all the needs of the department there in terms of forms, reports, statistics and graphs. At any moment the user has the availability to retrieve all the information recorded to the System until now.

The system operates in a user-friendly environment providing the user with extra security and presentability.

Moreover many useful utilities are offered such as Backup, Restore, password maintenance, convert to ASCII that are very easy to use.

The Statistical package for forms of Cancer in Cyprus system, is a very simple to use system if you have a basic knowledge on Windows 95 operations. It's friendly menus and messages guide you throughout the system, in order to be able to perform the required operations.

After reading section **1.3 System Requirements** and the successful installation of the system on the hard disk, following instructions in section **1.4 System Installation**, you will be able to start the execution of the system by following the steps described in section **1.5.1 Loading the system**.