

## **6<sup>th</sup> Cuban Congress of Sexuality Education, Guidance and Therapy**

**Sexuality Education in the Process of Social Change  
January 20 to 24, 2012 – “Palacio de Convenciones” of Havana, Cuba**

The National Center for Sexuality Education (CENESEX) and the Cuban Multidisciplinary Society for the Study of Sexuality (SOCUMES) announce the VI Cuban Congress of Sexuality Education, Guidance and Therapy, to be held in Havana, from January 24 to 27, 2012. It will session under the slogan “Sexuality education in the process of social change”, at its usual venue, the International Conference Center “Palacio de Convenciones”.

The II Conference on Trans-Identity, Gender and Culture; the IV Methodological Workshop of the Sexology and Sexuality Education Study Units; the II Symposium on Clinical Sexology, and the I Consensus of Chronic Diseases and Sexual Dysfunctions, will session in parallel with the Congress.

We are unified by a multidisciplinary approach to the study of human sexuality in the context of today’s scientific discourse and practice, as an expression of the complex and singular integration of the social, psychological, spiritual and biological features of the sexes.

The production of meanings about human sexuality change in each concrete social, historical and cultural moment, even if they have been predominantly used to establish a discriminatory normative order, legitimized and imposed by the dissimilar linkages of the sciences, religions and politics.

The teaching of sexuality, stemming from paradigms of emancipation, entails a commitment of social transformation based on humanistic values of solidarity, equality and social equality, in the face of the prevailing models of domination.

These encounters have the purpose of facilitating the dialogue and systematization of the best experiences, as well as the linking of institutional, regional and international alliances to contribute to the making and implementation of strategies of sexuality education and of sexual health, integrated to the processes of social transformation.

We count on your valuable participation.

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Chairperson