

MD, PhD, E.F.E.S.C. VILNIS DZERVE-TALUTS



Vilnis Dzerve has been a Director of Latvian Institute of Cardiology from 1990 to 2008. He is a Fellow of European Society of Cardiology from 1994. He has served as Vice-President of Latvian Society of Cardiology (1991 – 2000) and Latvian Society of Hypertension (1996-2000 and 2006 - 2015), National Coordinator of Latvian – Finnish Project on Prevention of Cardiovascular diseases (1998 – 2001), EUROASPIRE III, IV and V Survey (2006- 2018).

His main research interests are in preventive cardiology, epidemiology of noncommunicable diseases and research in hypertension. He has been a holder of 6 scientific grants and principal investigator of 3 collaborative programs and 2 Latvian State Research Programs in medicine (1991-2018). Additionally, he has been extensively involved in clinical trials. He is an author of Protocols and member of Steering Committees of international clinical trials MILSS I, MILSS II, MI&CI.

Dr Dzerve has published 273 original scientific papers and reviews. He is a frequently invited speaker and has presented numerous papers at meetings in Latvia and abroad.

He is owner of the state decoration of Latvia “*Croix de la reconnaissance* » (2012).