The EFP asks its affiliated national societies to give their formal endorsement of the *Perio Focus green paper*, which was issued in January by an international group of leading experts in periodontology.

At the same time, it encourages the national societies and their individual members to comment on the green paper and to suggest changes. The deadline for responses is Friday, April 1.


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Responses should state clearly the paragraph and line number where additions, amendments, or
deletions are proposed. Contributions should be sent to greenpaper@efp.org, indicating the name and country of the contributing person or national perio society.

All comments will be considered and carefully assessed by the paper’s primary authors, who will decide upon their inclusion in the final document. An appendix will be published online which will include all approved submissions.

The final draft will be shared with the EFP, the AAP, the APSP, and the Ibero-Panamerican Federation of Periodontics (FIPP), and then submitted for publication in the *Journal of Clinical Periodontology*.