Starting a New Year supposes to accept new challenges, to invest in new opportunities, or at least, do not repeat the errors of the last year. To loose overweight, to start a program of physical activities, to update the pending papers, or even the reading list, to decrease the rhythm, to be with family for more time... well the New Year is full of good intentions.

2007 could not be different!

For the Revista Brasileira de Enfermagem there are many expectations.

The evaluation of Scientific Journals related to SciELO collection remains and is the great the expectation because Nursing area needs more inclusions to make nursing journals more visible regarding what is done in Nursing area. There is many research do be disseminated.

The Revista Brasileira de Enfermagem (REBEn) is destinatting its efforts to be included in SciELO Collection. However, it is not an easy task, taking into consideration financial restrictions. The Brazilian Nursing Association through subscriptions and membership payments maintains the REBEn. No kind of support from financial organizations was obtained during the current administration. To maintain every issue updated, a fundamental requirement in SciELO’s perspective, has been a challenge reached through a hard work. May this work to be recognized and may our REBEn make part of SciELO collection. It would be the best gif in 2007!

To fight for the amplification of funds distribution for the maintenance of scientific journals, as well as for a better categorization in QUALIS, must be taken as priority in this New Year.

Another challenge for this year is the change in the direction of ABEn. It is a year in which elections will occur for sectional and national directories. Representations must be subscribed, with colleagues from different locals that like their mates also believe it is possible to do something for Brazilian Nursing through ABEn.

The REBEn will have a new editor that in consonance with the current politics will head the period of 2007/2010, viewing opportunities and fighting for improvement.

The ABEn and REBEn are the result of what the category wants and ask for, that is why your participation is important. Invite your colleagues and compose a representation to concur in your sectional elections. Or accept the challenge of participating in a group to work in a national scope. It does not matter where, what matters is that you participate. Without your participation, all of us will be loosing.

Try, experience and make 2007 a different year!