

## **Curriculum vitae**

### **Prof. Rita CAUWELS**

Rita Cauwels graduated in 1980 and ran a general practice focusing on paediatric dentistry.

In 1997 she received her MSc in Paediatric Dentistry and Special Care from the Ghent University.

For many years she contributed regularly to the congresses of IADH, IAPD and EAPD.

Dr Cauwels is actual council member of IAPD for Belgium.

Since 2002 she has been working as a full-time clinical assistant at the department of Paediatric Dentistry focussed on special care at the University Hospital Ghent and is a member of the PaeCaMed research group. She is preparing a PhD thesis on dental traumatology in collaboration with the University of Turku (Finland). One of her clinical interests includes laser treatment in paediatric dentistry and Low Level Laser therapy in oncology patients.