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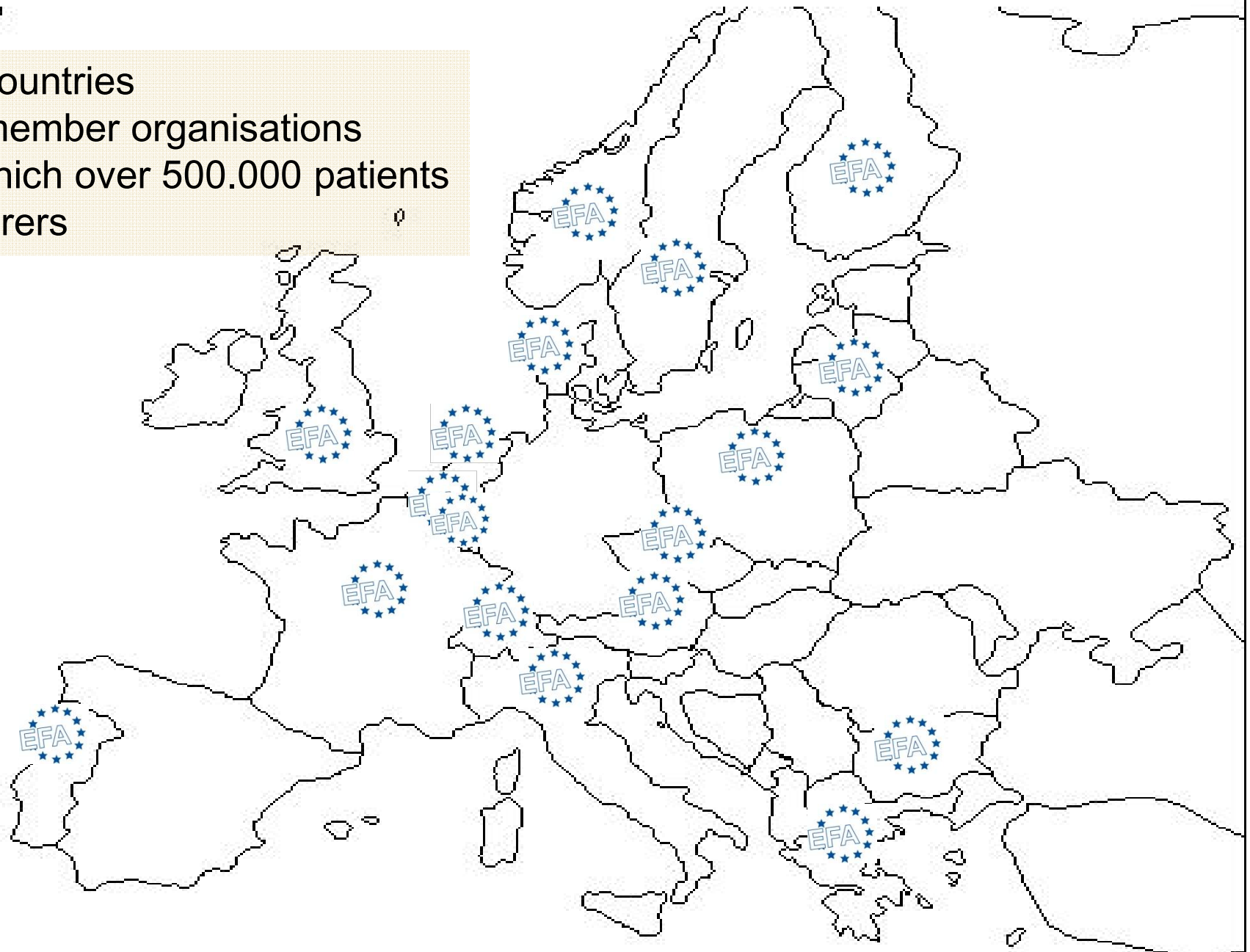
EFA's new challenge

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20 countries
32 member organisations
in which over 500.000 patients
& carers





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What is happening to the rest of the world

- Exploring different countries/cultures
 - Dealing with AAC
 - Exchange of info
 - Lessons to be learned
 - Advice to share
- Shifting of populations
 - Wars
 - Climate change
 - Multinational societies



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EFA and global COPD

COPD uncovered

The aim of the COPD Uncovered project is to quantify the economic and human burden on COPD patients in active and productive patients (45-67) from epidemiological; health economic; and patient/family/carer social and emotional perspective.

CAT (COPD ASSESSMENT TOOL)

Simple tool that will be used by everyone with COPD or Carers of COPD



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WAO Conference - BUENOS AIRES

- Allergy and asthma Patient Organizations
 - Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats
- Patient Summit
 - Africa, Asia, Australia, Canada, Europe and South America

Aim:

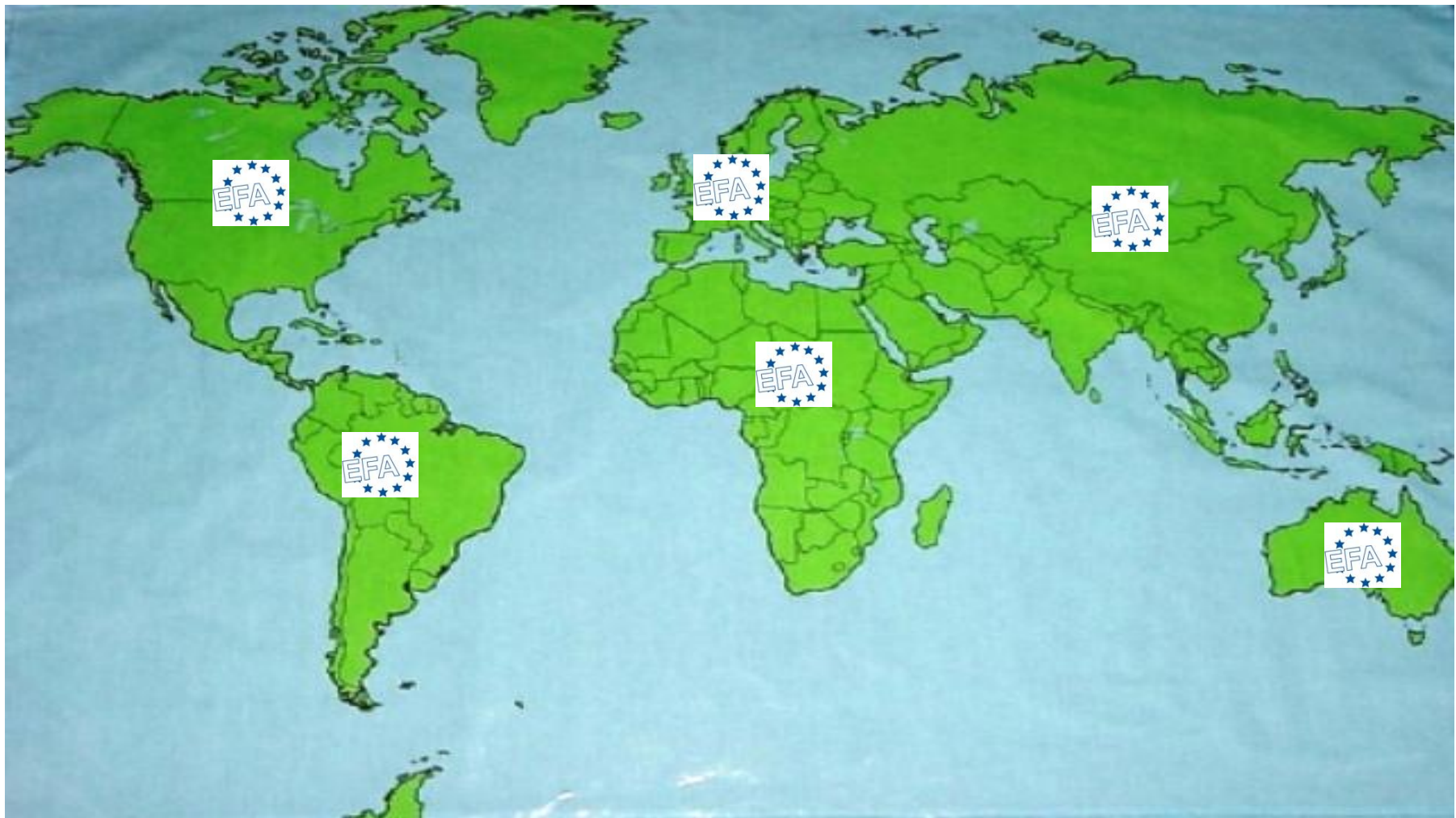
- Get global understanding of the situation of patient organisations in each part of the world
- Check overlap (intersection) of visions, missions and activities for the different patient groups
- Define joint interests
- Define future kind of co-operation



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Future of EFA





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Global movement of allergy & asthma patient groups

Global opportunity



Attack and Win



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*Thank you
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