

HEALTH WORKING GROUP

ANNUAL PLAN 2020

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OBJECTIVES

The ERRIN Health Working Group aims to support WG members with early intelligence, regular updates, about EU level health policy-related issues, funding opportunities for them to function as project facilitators towards their regional stakeholders. The Health working group works as a means to create collaboration between the members in order to develop common EU projects. WG is also a vehicle for profile raising and promotion of good practices, projects within the regions. Members are invited to put forward their relevant proposals and use each meeting to share their partner searches for their on-going/upcoming initiatives with their peers.

CONTEXT

What are the key EU level priorities, strategies, and events that the Working Group aims to follow up in 2020?

- Horizon Europe
- Health Programme/ESF +
- Digital Europe Programme
- Digital transformation of health and care

Which funding programmes are important for the Working Group and how does the WG aim to facilitate project development?

Three out of the five meeting in 2020 will have a clear project orientation.

ACTIVITIES

Project opportunities for Regions after 2020 and Work Plan for 2020

16 January 2020

The main topic is on health-related project opportunities for regions after 2020. The agenda includes overview about the Horizon Europe health cluster, the cancer mission and the health partnership. We discussed about the Digital Europe Programme. The WG will revisit these topics later in the year when more information will be available in the planning process. The meeting is also an occasion to plan the 2020 activities of the Health WG.

Tackling diseases & reduce disease burden: promotion, prevention and cure

1 April 2020

In line with the Horizon Europe “Global Challenges and Their Drivers”, the meeting will focus on tackling diseases and reduce disease burden: promotion, prevention and cure. Communicable and non-communicable diseases cause the greatest amounts of premature death and disability in the EU and worldwide. The ERRIN Health WG meeting will explore strategies and concrete measures on how to implement effective prevention next to treatments, thus reduce the burden on health and care systems and empower patients.

New tools, technologies and digital solutions

June/July 2020

The meeting (possibly co-organised with the ICT WG) will focus on:

- Telemedicine
- Community care
- Digital Europe Programme

Horizon Europe: mission on cancer

TBC

In line with the EU health-related priorities, the Health WG will have a meeting on:

- EU-wide public consultation on Europe's Beating Cancer Plan launched by the European Commission
- the Horizon Europe Mission on Cancer.

Information on the first round of calls in Horizon Europe (after the shadow meeting)

TBC

As one of the Health working group aims is to create collaboration between the members in order to create innovation and develop common EU projects, the last 2020 meeting will focus on the first round of calls in Horizon Europe.