

# *EU4Health*

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# EU4Health – The Programme

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*EU4Health is a clear message that public health is a priority for Europe and it is the instrument to pave the way to a European Health Union*

- **RESPONSE TO COVID-19** - supporting the fight against cross-border health threats and boosting the preparedness and capability to respond effectively to future health crises, including through the European Health Emergency preparedness and Response Authority (HERA)
- **AMBITIOUS VISION** – will go beyond crisis response to support and complement national health policies for strengthening and modernising health systems, reducing inequalities and overcome shared challenges
- **THE LARGEST EVER EU INVESTMENT IN HEALTH** - over €5.3 bn (current prices) invested in health during the next 7 years (2021-27)



# EU4Health – Regulation

## Regulation (EU) 2021/522 – EU4Health Programme

- Regulation (EU) 2021/522 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 March 2021 establishing a Programme for the Union's action in the field of health ('EU4Health Programme') for the period 2021-2027, and repealing Regulation (EU) No 282/2014



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# EU4Health – 4 General objectives

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### IMPROVE & FOSTER HEALTH

Improve & foster health in the Union to reduce the burden of communicable and non-communicable diseases, by:

- supporting health promotion and disease prevention,
- reducing health inequalities,
- fostering healthy lifestyles
- promoting access to healthcare



### PROTECT PEOPLE

Protect people in the Union from serious cross-border threats to health and strengthening the responsiveness of health systems and coordination among the MS in order to cope with serious cross-border threats to health



### ACCESS TO MEDICINAL PRODUCTS & MEDICAL DEVICES

Improve the availability, accessibility and affordability of medicinal products and medical devices, and crisis-relevant products in the Union, and supporting innovation regarding such products



### STRENGTHEN HEALTH SYSTEMS

Strengthen the national health systems by improving their resilience and resource efficiency through:

- supporting integrated and coordinated work between MS;
- promoting the implementation of best practices & promoting data sharing;
- reinforcing the healthcare workforce;
- tackling the implications of demographic challenges;
- advancing digital transformation

# EU4Health – 10 Specific objectives

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*Health is an investment: the EU4Health programme will provide financial support for delivering on the EU Health policy along ten key areas of intervention*

### IMPROVE & FOSTER HEALTH



- Health promotion and disease prevention; cancer
- International health initiatives & cooperation

### PROTECT PEOPLE



- Prevention, preparedness & response to cross-border health threats
- Complementing national stockpiling of essential crisis-relevant products
- Establishing a reserve of medical, healthcare & support staff

### ACCESS TO MEDICINAL PRODUCTS & MEDICAL DEVICES



- Enhancement of availability, accessibility & affordability of medicinal products, medical devices and crisis-relevant products

### STRENGTHEN HEALTH SYSTEMS



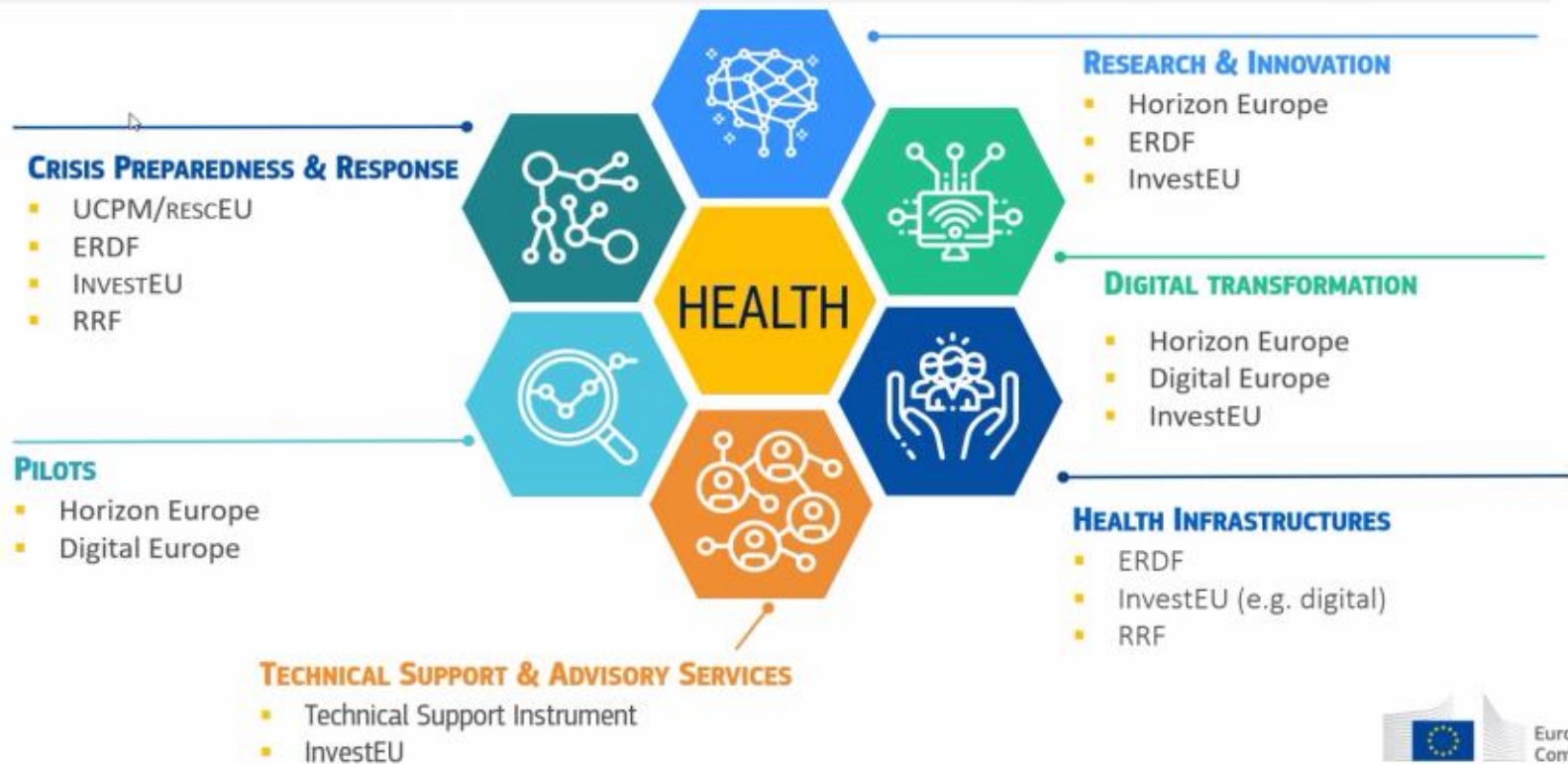
- Strengthening health data, digital tools & services, digital transformation of healthcare
- Enhancing access to healthcare
- Developing and implementing EU health legislation and evidence-based decision making
- Integrated work among MS health systems



# EU4Health – Synergies

## EU4Health – Synergies & complementarities with other EU Programmes

An approach by policy area; many instruments contributing to the same objective: health



# EU4Health – Financial envelope

## EU4Health – financial envelope

*The financial envelope for the implementation of the Programme for the period 2021 - 2027 shall be:*



**EUR 5.3 billion in current prices**



- Min. 20 % reserved for health promotion and disease prevention actions
- Max. 12,5 % reserved for procurement complementing national stockpiling of essential crisis-relevant products at Union level
- Max. 12,5 % reserved for supporting global commitments and health initiatives
- Max. 8 % reserved for covering administrative expenses



## ELIGIBILITY, SELECTION AND AWARD CRITERIA

### Grants:

- specified in the **calls (open) or invitations for proposals (direct)**
- **Selection criteria** (financial capacity; operational capacity)
- **Award criteria:**
  - **relevance to the priorities** of the call for proposals
  - **quality of the proposed action**
  - **impact of the proposed action**

### Procurement:

- specified in the **calls for tenders**
- **eTendering:** calls for tenders published by EU institutions, agencies and other bodies
- **eNotices: public procurement notices are published**
- **TED website:** public procurement notices are published



# EU4Health – eligibility criteria

## Grants – eligibility criteria

**Type of organisation:** legally established entity, i.e. private or public bodies, (non-)governmental organisations, research and (public)health institutions, universities and higher education establishments, etc.

**EU4Health participating countries:**

- **EU Member States + EEA countries (Iceland & Norway)**
- **Third countries** in accordance with Article 6 of Regulation 2021/522 establishing the EU4Health Programme. Those countries which have a bilateral agreement with the European Union

**Minimum Number of legal entities and geographical coverage:** at least 3 participating entities (independent from each other) from **at least three countries** participating in the EU4Health Programme.

**However, each call has specific requirements which may differ. Always check the Call Document criteria**

# EU4Health – Access information

## Grants - how to access information? 1/2

- Templates EU4Health Programme (EU4H): [Reference Documents \(europa.eu\)](#)
- General Model Grant Agreement: [mga\\_eu4h\\_en.pdf \(europa.eu\)](#)
- Annotated Model Grant Agreement (AGA): [aga\\_en.pdf \(europa.eu\)](#)
- Projects & results EU4Health Programme (EU4H): [Projects & Results \(europa.eu\)](#)
  
- Email contact: [HaDEA-HP-JA@ec.europa.eu](mailto:HaDEA-HP-JA@ec.europa.eu)

# EU4Health – Access information

## Grants - how to access information? 2/2

- HaDEA webpage: [https://hadea.ec.europa.eu/index\\_en](https://hadea.ec.europa.eu/index_en)
- DG SANTE webpage: [EU4Health programme 2021-2027 – a vision for a healthier European Union \(europa.eu\)](https://ec.europa.eu/eu4health/programme/2021-2027)
- Funding and Tender Opportunities Portal (SEDIA):  
<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home>

# EU4Health – Tools



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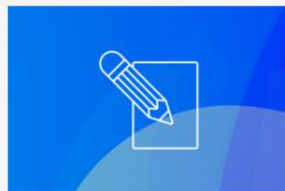
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### EU4Health

EU4Health, with a budget of €5.3 billion, is the fourth and largest of the EU health programmes since their launch in 2003.



### Opportunities



**Calls for proposals**



**Calls for tenders**



**Experts**

# EU4Health – Publications of calls



## Funding & tender opportunities Single Electronic Data Interchange Area (SEDIA)

- HOME
- SEARCH FUNDING & TENDERS
- HOW TO PARTICIPATE
- PROJECTS & RESULTS
- WORK AS AN EXPERT
- SUPPORT

### Search funding & tenders

#### Search

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#### Type

Grants (1)

Tenders

#### Submission status

Forthcoming

Open for submission (1)

Closed

#### Programming period

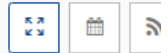
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#### Programme / Programme group

EU4Health Programme (EU4H)

#### Call

1 item(s) found



Programme EU4Health Programme (EU4H)

**Call for proposals for operating grants to non-governmental organisations: financial contribution to the functioning of health non-g...**

EU4H-2024-OG Call for proposal

EU4Health Programme (EU4H)

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# EU4Health – Search tools

The screenshot shows the ISCIII website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the following items: INICIO, QUÉ HACEMOS, QUIÉNES SOMOS, TRABAJAR EN EL ISCIII, and INFORMACIÓN CIUDADANA. Below this, there is a main content area with a search bar and several featured articles. A dropdown menu is open, showing a list of search results. The search results include: Proyectos de Colaboración Internacional, Infraestructuras Biomédicas, Salud Global, Horizonte Europa, Programa EU4Health, Convocatorias Internacionales de Investigación, Noticias y Eventos, Boletín: Oportunidades de financiación internacional, and Proyectos. At the bottom of the page, there are five icons representing different areas: FINANCIACIÓN Y ACREDITACIÓN, SERVICIOS, ÁREAS DE INVESTIGACIÓN, ESCUELAS NACIONALES, and INTERNACIONAL.

## Boletín: Oportunidades de financiación internacional



Si quieres recibir información sobre oportunidades de financiación internacional y suscribirte a estos boletines, puedes hacerlo a través de la lista de distribución [FUND4Health](#).

Para ello, deberás rellenar el siguiente formulario.

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- [Boletín oportunidades financiación nº 1 diciembre 2022.pdf](#)
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# EU4Health – Work Programme Time line

## EU4Health – financial envelope & work programmes

*Health is an investment and the EU4Health Programme is the main financial instrument to fund the Union health initiatives*



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# EU4Health – 4 strands of action + cancer

## EU4Health work programmes – 4 strands of action + cancer

*EU4Health supports a broad range of actions under four overarching “strands” with a cross-cutting focus on cancer*

### POSSIBLE ELIGIBLE ACTIONS

CANCER 



#### CRISIS PREPAREDNESS

- Protect citizens from serious cross-border health threats
- Strengthen health systems response
- Enhance coordination among Member States to cope with serious cross-border threats to health



#### HEALTH PROMOTION & DISEASE PREVENTION

- Improve and foster health in the EU
- Reduce the burden of communicable and non-communicable diseases
- Support health promotion and disease prevention
- Reduce health inequalities
- Foster healthy lifestyles



#### HEALTH SYSTEMS & HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE

- Improve availability, accessibility and affordability of medicinal products and medical devices, support their innovation
- Strengthen resilience and sustainability of health systems
- Reinforce healthcare workforce



#### DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

- Advance digital transformation of health systems
- Strengthen primary & secondary use of health data



# EU4Health – 2024 Work Programme

**adopted 5 december 2023 !**



**The work programme 2024<sup>1</sup> will contribute towards further development of a European Health Union. It will particularly address:**

- ▶ Europe's Beating Cancer Plan
- ▶ Cross-border health threats
- ▶ Health-related urgencies due to Russia's war against Ukraine
- ▶ Digital health transition
- ▶ Pharmaceutical Strategy for Europe
- ▶ Health promotion and disease prevention including mental health
- ▶ Health systems and healthcare workforce
- ▶ Global Health and international initiatives

**EUR 281.6million dedicated to major actions supporting SANTE key priorities**

For more information: [https://health.ec.europa.eu/publications/2024-eu4health-work-programme\\_en](https://health.ec.europa.eu/publications/2024-eu4health-work-programme_en)

# WP2024 – Overview of funding by procedure

<b>FUNDING</b>	<b>2024 Budget (in million EUR)</b>
<b>Direct management</b>	<b>677.7</b>
of which grants	355.9
of which procurement	318.4
of which for other expenditure	3.4
<b>Indirect management (contribution agreements)</b>	<b>74.7</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>752.4<sup>20</sup></b>

# WP2024 – Strands and areas of actions

STRANDS AND AREAS OF ACTION	2024 budget (in EUR)
<b>1. CRISIS PREPAREDNESS (CP)</b>	<b>485 517 000</b>
HEALTH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE AUTHORITY (HERA)	470 817 000
TACKLING ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE <sup>21</sup>	1 600 000
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REGULATION ON SERIOUS CROSS BORDER THREATS TO HEALTH	12 600 000
STERILE INSECT TECHNIQUE AS A TOOL TO ELLIMINATE THE YELLOW FEVER MOSQUITO (AEDES AEGYPTI ON CYPRUS)	500 000
<b>2. HEALTH PROMOTION AND DISEASE PREVENTION (DP)</b>	<b>70 900 000</b>
TOBACCO CONTROL POLICY	2 500 000
NON-COMMUNICABLE AND COMMUNICABLE DISEASES <sup>22</sup>	45 000 000
MENTAL HEALTH CHALLENGES <sup>23</sup>	10 000 000
EUROPEAN ENVIRONMENT AGENCY	400 000
OPERATING GRANTS FOR HEALTH NGOs	9 000 000
EU4HEALTH NATIONAL FOCAL POINTS	2 000 000
SUPPORTING LONG-COVID PATIENTS: INSIGHTS AND ACTION	2 000 000

<b>3. CANCER (CR)</b>	<b>117 600 000</b>
STRENGTHENING DIGITAL CAPABILITIES	20 000 000
PERSONALISED CANCER MEDICINE <sup>24</sup>	30 900 000
PAEDIATRIC PALLIATIVE CARE	14 500 000
INTEGRATION OF CANCER IMAGES INTO THE FEDERATED PAN-EUROPEAN INFRASTRUCTURE TO FOSTER SCREENING PROGRAMMES	8 000 000
EUROPEAN GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE SCHEME FOR GASTRIC CANCER SCREENING AND CARE	6 500 000
HEALTH LITERACY FOR CANCER PREVENTION AND CARE.	5 000 000
CANCER REGISTRY DATA FEEDING INTO THE EUROPEAN CANCER INFORMATION SYSTEM	13 000 000
RADIATION SAFETY AND QUALITY OF COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY IMAGING OF CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS	3 000 000
PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT AND REHABILITATION FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES IN PAEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY CLINICS IN MEMBER STATES AND COUNTRIES ASSOCIATED TO THE EU4HEALTH PROGRAMME	7 400 000
EU NETWORK OF YOUTH CANCER SURVIVORS	5 000 000
PROVISION OF CARE FOR ADOLESCENT AND YOUNG ADULT CANCER PATIENTS	1 000 000
SUPPORT FOR THE SUBGROUP ON CANCER UNDER THE EXPERT GROUP ON PUBLIC HEALTH	500 000
BOOSTING CANCER PREVENTION THROUGH MAINTENANCE OF THE EU CANCER APP.	1 800 000
SUPPORT SETTING UP NEW NETWORKS OF EXPERTISE ON CANCER AND CANCER CONDITIONS	1 000 000

# WP2024 – Strands and areas of actions

<b>4. HEALTH SYSTEMS AND HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE (HS)</b>	<b>41 404 000</b>
REFORMING AND STRENGTHENING HEALTH SYSTEMS <sup>25</sup>	2 000 000
PREPARATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE HEALTH TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT REGULATION	650 000
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PHARMACEUTICAL LEGISLATION AND STRATEGY <sup>26</sup>	8 516 000
STRENGTHENING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LEGISLATION ON BLOOD, TISSUES AND CELLS AND ORGANS <sup>27</sup>	15 278 000
CROSS BORDER HEALTHCARE	200 000
IMPLEMENTATION OF REGULATIONS ON MEDICAL DEVICES AND IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL DEVICES	13 950 000
HEALTH POLICY TRAINING	810 000

<b>5. DIGITAL (DI)</b>	<b>25 750 000</b>
COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION ACTIVITIES FOR THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN HEALTH DATA SPACE	1 600 000
PRIMARY USES OF HEALTH DATA IN THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN HEALTH DATA SPACE	11 500 000
SECONDARY USES OF HEALTH DATA IN THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN HEALTH DATA SPACE	2 650 000
COMPLIANCE CHECKS FOR EHDS INFRASTRUCTURES	1 500 000
PROMOTING AND DEVELOPING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL	4 000 000
PROMOTING THE UPTAKE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN HEALTH	4 500 000

<b>6. OTHER ACTIONS</b>	<b>11 278 856</b>
CONFERENCE – PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPEAN UNION	200 000
ORGANISATION OF CONFERENCE AND EVENTS	450 000
SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES	710 000
HEALTH POLICY PLATFORM	500 000
COMMUNICATION ACTIVITIES	3 370 500
STUDIES	708 356
TRANSLATION SERVICES	120 000
IT RECURRENT ACTIVITIES	4 150 000
JOINT AUDIT ASSESSMENT <sup>28</sup>	170 000
EUROPEAN HEALTH AND DIGITAL EXECUTIVE AGENCY (HaDEA) EXPERT EVALUATORS	400 000
HERA IMPACT ASSESSMENTS	500 000

# WP2024 – Open Calls



CALL FOR PROPOSALS  
for operating grants  
to non-governmental  
organisations

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## Organizaciones no gubernamentales (ONGs)

Apertura de convocatoria: 12 de diciembre de 2023

Cierre de convocatoria: 31 de enero de 2024



CALL FOR TENDERS  
Supporting training  
on medical  
countermeasures and  
cross border health  
emergencies

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## Apoyo a la formación sobre contramedidas médicas y emergencias sanitarias transfronterizas

Apertura convocatoria: 7 de diciembre de 2023

Cierre de convocatoria: 2 de febrero de 2024



CALL FOR TENDERS  
Capacity-building to  
support the uptake  
of biosimilars in a  
multi-stakeholder  
approach

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## Desarrollo de capacidades para apoyar la implantación de biosimilares con una aproximación multiparticipativa

Apertura de convocatoria: 11 de diciembre de 2023

Cierre de convocatoria: 9 de febrero de 2024

# EU4Health - National Focal Point (NFP)



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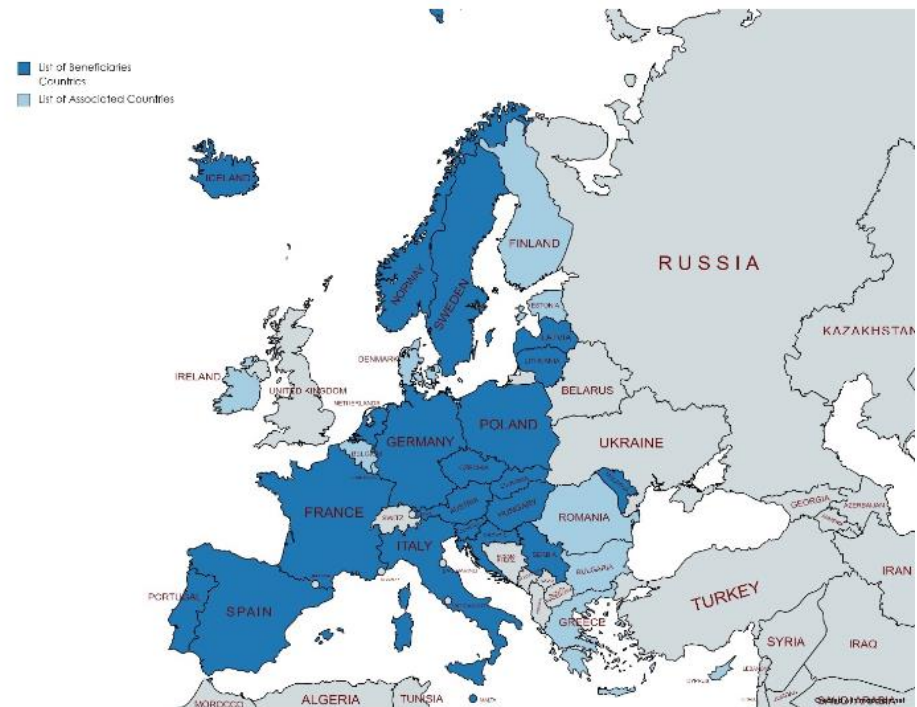
The Joint Action NFP4Health aims at creating and maintaining an innovative ecosystem to facilitate and support European countries in achieving the priorities of the health objectives set for the period 2021-2027.

**21 COUNTRIES**

**Duration: 40 months**

**Deadline: 31.01.2025**

**Budget: 1,9 M€**



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- Definition of a **common minimum standard** that defines the role of the NFP
- **Implementation** of the EU4Health programme at national level
- **Establishment of a sustainable strategy** and shared long-term objectives
- Creating a structured **synergy** between NFPs
- Increased **sustainability** of health systems
- **Better use** of the new areas and instruments of the EU4Health programme

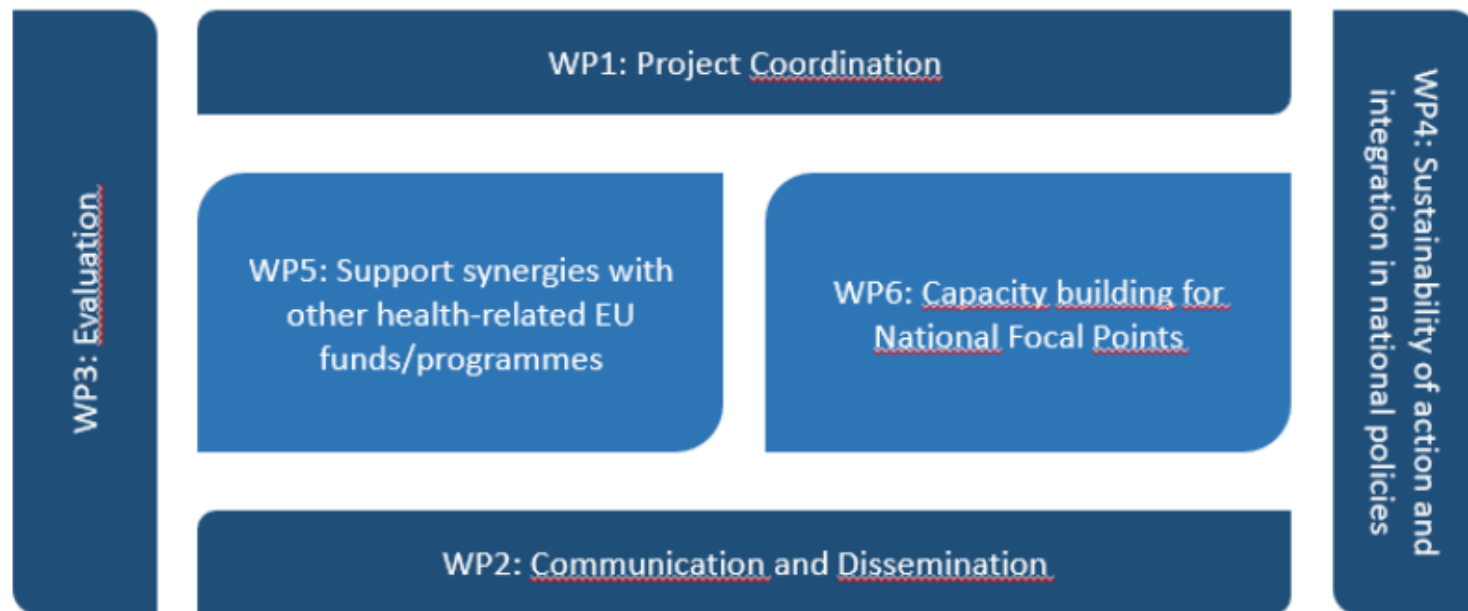


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