



European
Commission

Europe's Beating Cancer Plan



Quality of life

Start date – end date
01/09/2022 – 31/08/2024

Countries
Austria, Belgium, Ireland,
Lithuania, Netherlands,
Romania, Spain

Overall budget
EUR 6 249 225

**EU contribution under
EU4Health programme**
EUR 4 999 380



EU-CAYAS-NET – The European Network of Youth Cancer Survivors

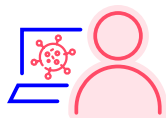
Europe's Beating Cancer Plan matters so much, because it gives us, as a community, opportunities to change things for the better in Europe for young cancer patients and survivors.

Led by patient advocates, EU-CAYAS-NET aims to:



- Build a European Network of Youth Cancer Survivors;
- Create a knowledge centre and interactive platform for social networking;
- Empower cancer survivors to advocate for their rights and needs.

The platform is an interactive, virtual hub where young people with lived experience of cancer can:

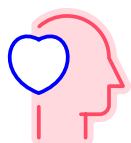


- Find reliable information and get answers to questions;
- Network and share experiences with like-minded people;
- Have fun.

It is a safe place to share, learn and grow.

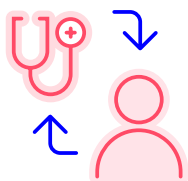
The platform welcomes everyone dealing with childhood, adolescent and young adult cancer, including cancer patients, survivors and their caregivers, as well as people from healthcare, research and policy.

The focus will be on three themes identified by young survivors throughout Europe as the most important for equitable, lifelong care:



- Quality of Life;
- Adolescent and Young Adult care;
- Equality, Diversity and Inclusion.

Other project outcomes include:



- A position paper on standards for specialist AYA care units;
- Improved equality, diversity and inclusion (EDI) along the whole treatment and survivorship trajectory, including an EDI train-the-trainer programme;
- Broad visibility and increased awareness about the Network and our Network activities;
- Psychosocial Follow-up Care Standard and Transition Guidelines.

For more info





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 **YOUTH CANCER
SURVIVORS**

Europe's Beating Cancer Plan makes use of the whole range of Commission funding instruments with a total of €4 billion being earmarked for actions addressing cancer. €1.25 billion from the EU4Health programme is being used to support actions and initiatives outlined in the Cancer Plan.

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