



The ERIC on Health Information

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EGHI Drafting Group

- Teleconference 13 September
- Face-to-face meeting 4 October
- Teleconference 14 November

Current work focusses on Technical and Scientific Description of ERIC on Health Information



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Challenges in health information

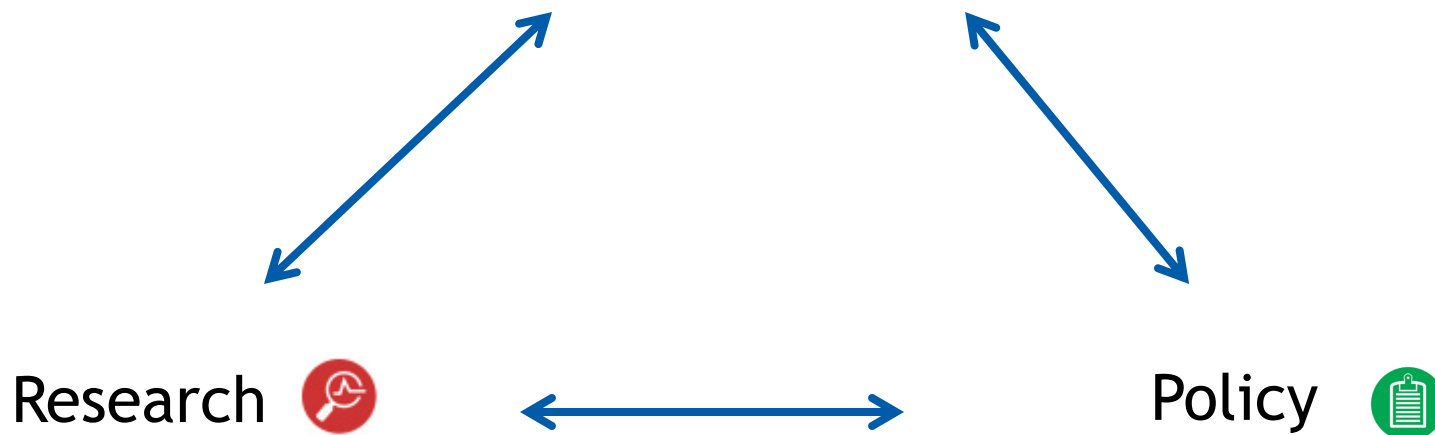
1. Dispersed, incomplete and difficult to access
2. Differences in quality and comparability
3. Lack of sustainability



→ Need for health information governance

What?

A European Research Infrastructure Consortium on Health Information



Comparable and policy-relevant health information on population health and health system performance

Core activities:

- Generate knowledge
- Manage knowledge
- Exchange knowledge
- Translate knowledge



Core activities of ERIC

Generate knowledge

health data and indicators

1. Definitions and standards
2. Methodology
3. Collection
4. Analysis

Core activities of ERIC

Manage knowledge

1. Centralised virtual documentation
2. Access
3. Data protection and privacy

Core activities of ERIC

Exchange knowledge

1. Best practices
2. Capacity building
3. Networks and communities

Core activities of ERIC

Translate knowledge





1. Tailored
2. Research outcomes
3. Expert advice

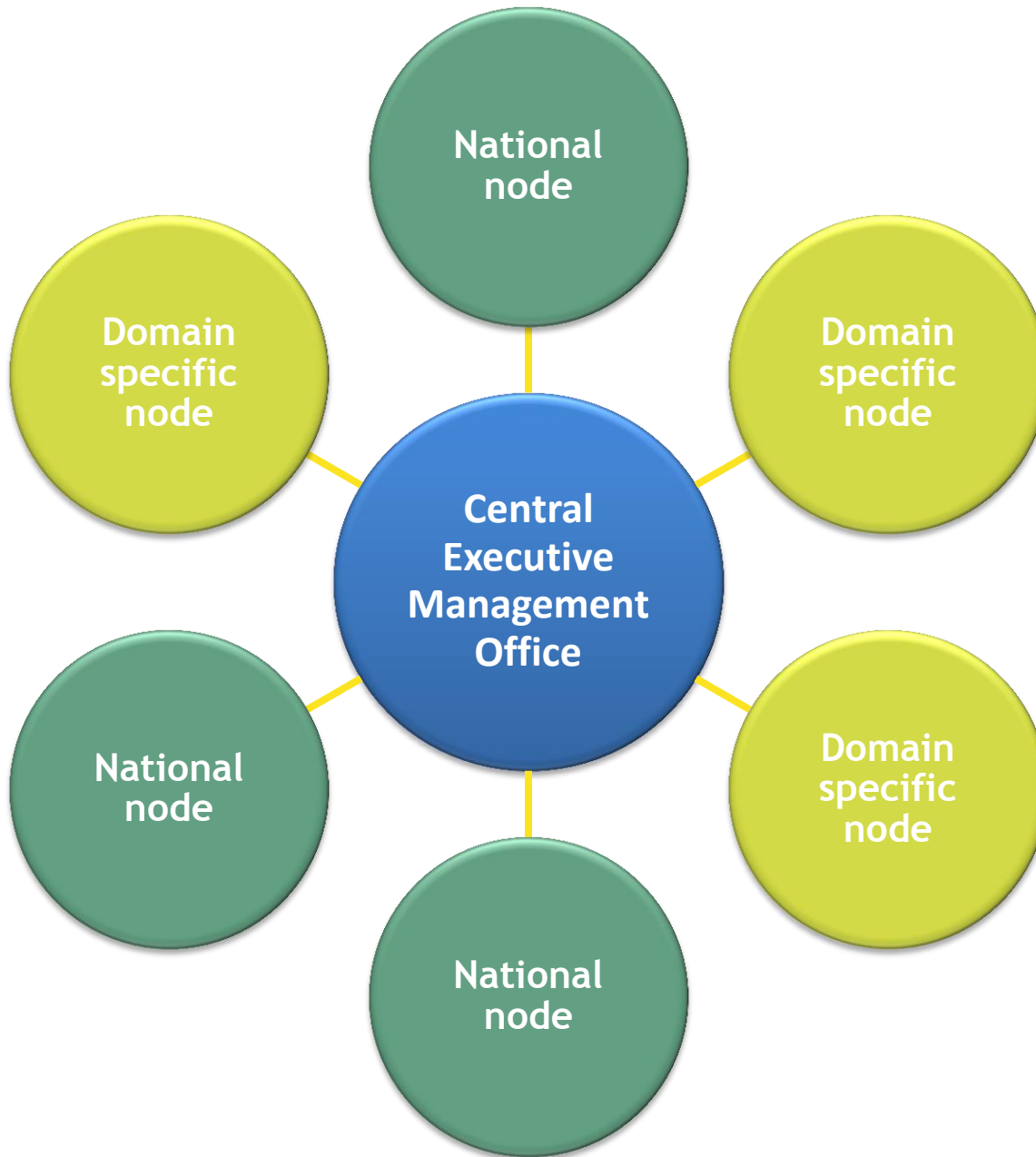
Stepwise approach

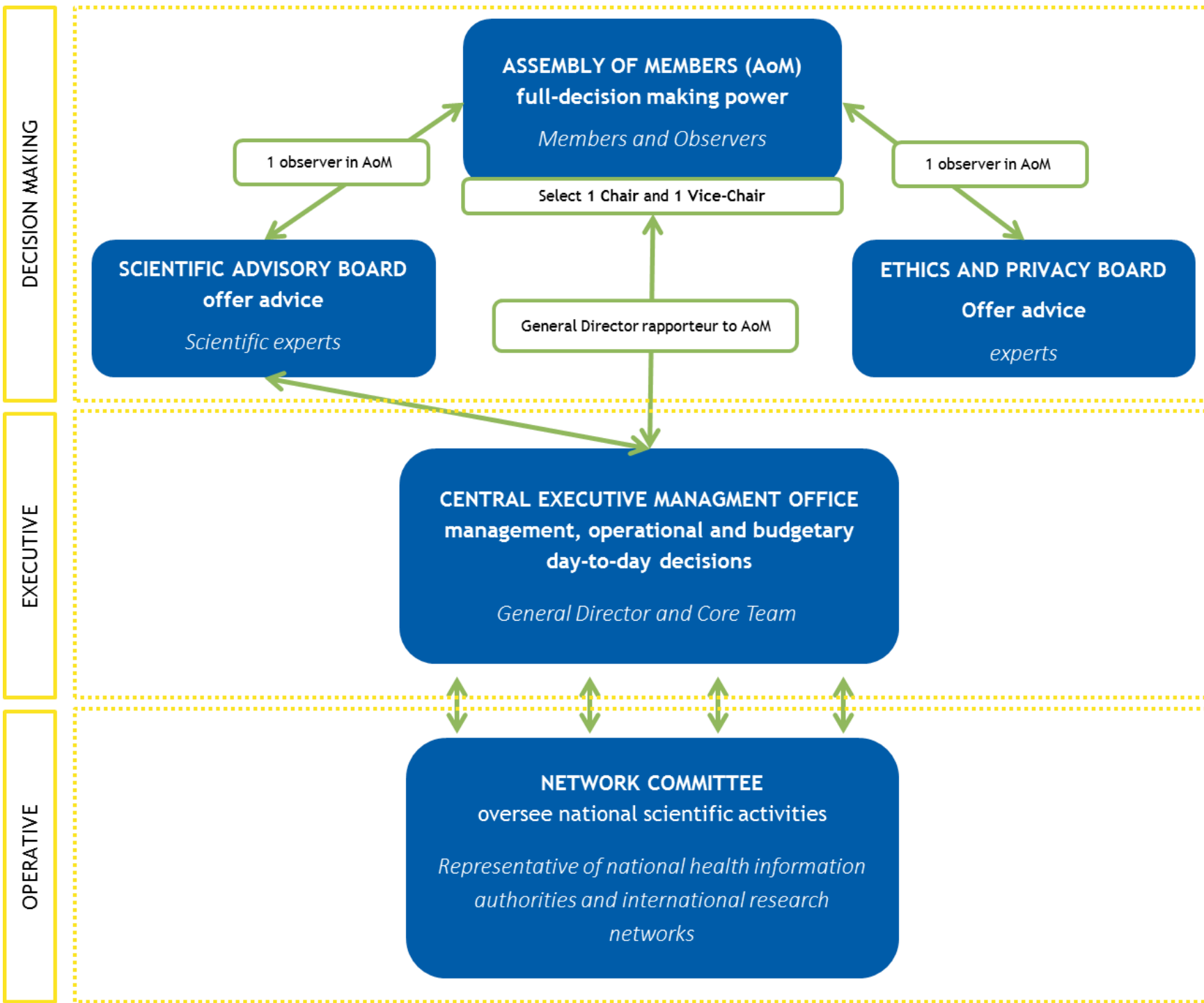


Initial phase:

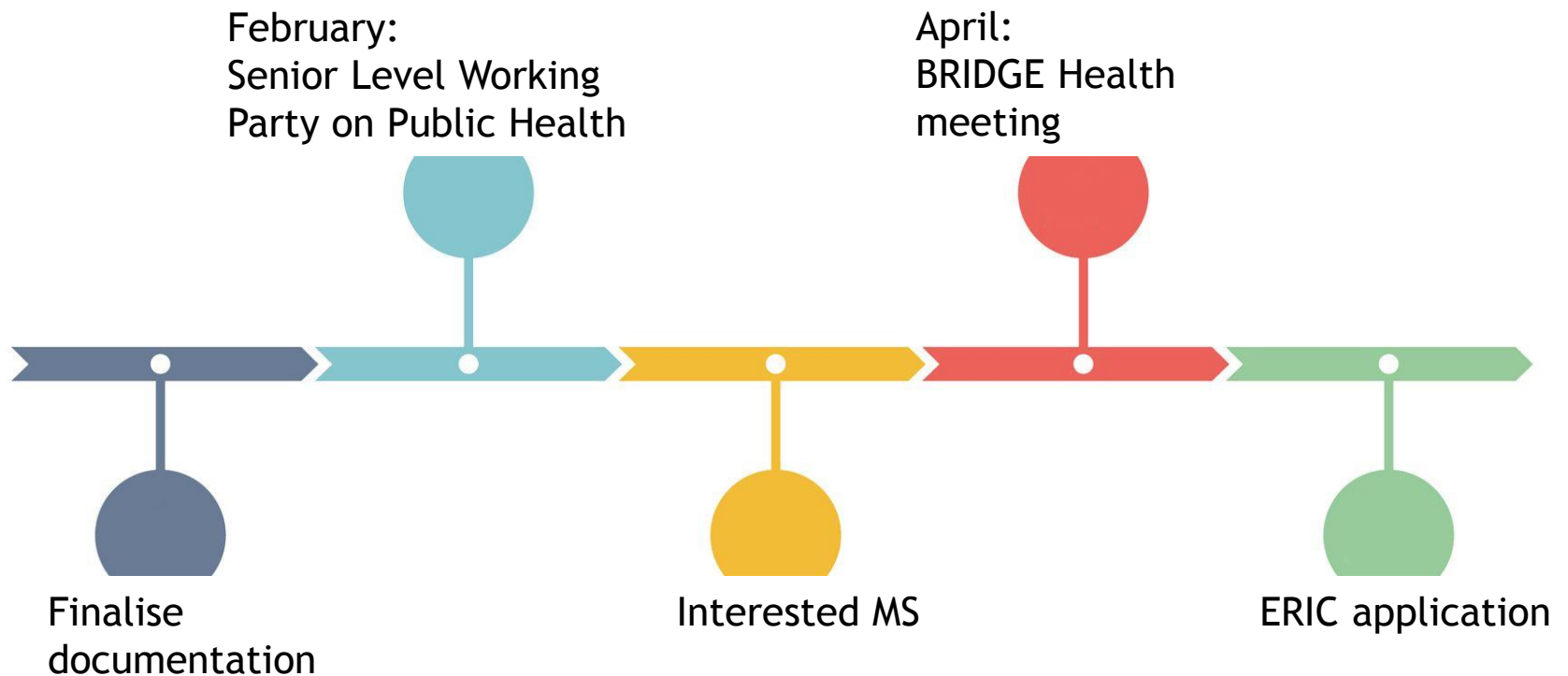
- Health indicators
- Capacity building
- Set up the governance structures

-  Operates under strict **Member State governance**
-  At the **core of health information in the EU**
-  Benefit from relevant **EU funding opportunities** at a relatively low cost to its members
-  Functions as a **network of networks**
 - Member States = national node
 - Research = domain specific node





Timeline



Senior Level Working Party on Public Health

3rd February 2016



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ERIC on Health Information as a Tool

20 April 2017, Brussels.

Register at: <http://www.bridge-health.eu/registration>



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Questions for the Expert Group on Health Information

1. How would you envisage an ERIC on Health Information in which you would partake?
2. What services should the ERIC on health Information provide to you and your country?
 - Policy support
 - Research
3. Which tasks should the ERIC on Health Information prioritise in its initial stage?