



Experts Group on Health Information

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Overview

- **General**
- **SILC, EHIS, HLY**
- **Disability**
- **Health and accidents at work**
- **Causes of death**
- **Health care non-expenditure**
- **Health care expenditure**
- **Morbidity**

General – website and current indicators work

- **Revised dedicated section and database tree/presentation**

<http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/health/introduction>

- **Current indicators work**
 - Joint Assessment Framework on Health
 - EU-SILC 3 yearly health module (20 variables)

General - meetings

- **Meetings planned for 2014**

- Working Group Public Health - Dec 2013
- Workshop on Morbidity Statistics: 11-12 Feb
- Working Group on Occupational Diseases (EODS): 6 May
- Technical Group Health Care: 22-23 May
- Task Force on GALI: 10-11 September
- Working Group on Accidents at work (ESAW): 17 Nov
- Working Group Public Health: 8-9 Dec

Health surveys – SILC

- **Statistics on Income and Living Conditions (EU-SILC)**
 - Dissemination of 2012 data from SILC-health and Healthy Life Years
 - Improved timeliness (December 2013 for health variables)
- **Revision of EU-SILC Guidelines 2014-2015 (health)**
 - Minor changes on Minimum European Health Module (MEHM) (from 2014)
 - Changes of guidelines on unmet needs variables (from 2015)

Health surveys – EHIS, modernisation

- **European Health Interview Survey (EHIS)**
 - Wave 1: access to microdata available
 - Wave 2: microdata for most MS expected by Sep 2015 (for all in Sep 2016), methodological manual (2013)
 - Wave 3: to be implemented in 2019, inclusion of a disability module, preparatory work on a revision of variables to start in 2015
- **Modernisation strategy**
 - Task force on the improvement of GALI
 - Feasibility study for pooling data EHIS-SILC
 - EU-SILC 3-yearly health module

Health surveys – Disability statistics

- **2011 Labour Force Survey (LFS) ad-hoc module on employment of disabled people**
 - Analysis on-going
 - Dissemination of first results (three Excel tables) on Eurostat website
 - Statistics Explained articles: first semester 2014
- **European Health and Social Integration Survey (EHSIS)**
 - Micro-data received, validation finalised
 - Data to be published on Eurostat website 2nd half of 2014
 - No new EHSIS in the future (modernisation strategy, integration into EHIS)

Health surveys – Disability statistics

- **Dissemination of a large number of data sets (GALI breakdown SILC)**
- **Modernisation of health statistics**
 - Disability breakdown via GALI in all surveys?
 - Consultation round with MS: national statistics on disability (DSS)

Health and accidents at work

- **European Statistics on Accidents at Work (ESAW)**
 - Validation of first country data under progress
 - Deadline for receiving all MS data 30 June
- **European Occupational Diseases Statistics (EODS)**
 - Resuming work with the aim of a simplified data collection in the future
 - Cooperation with DG EMPL
- **Labour Force Survey (LFS) ad hoc module on accidents at work and other work related health problems**
 - Microdata received
 - Analysis of results about to start in summer 2014

Causes of Death - COD

- **ICD-11**
 - No answer to the unanimous WGPH statement in December 2013 yet to re-consider and postpone the adoption of ICD-11 foreseen for May 2015; amongst others a consolidated and tested version and means to ensure proper implementation for COD and CARE at national and supra-national level was requested
- **Methods**
 - Methods in view of dissemination of "Years of Life Lost" (YLL) and "Potential Years of Life Lost" (PYLL) by cause of death now under study
- **Data Dissemination**
 - Complete revision of validation and data processing IT tools to include new variables as from implementing regulation 328/2011
 - New tables (reference year 2011) on Eurostat website by Autumn 2014
 - Implementation of satellite lists to follow

Health Care non-expenditure statistics (1)

- **Challenge:** Commission Regulation for implementing Regulation no 1338/2008 concerning health care non-monetary data (IR HCARE) by 2016
- **Basis:** Data collected by the Joint Questionnaire (JQNMHC) with OECD and WHO and the Eurostat additional module
- **Member States nominated a Task Force (TF) with delegates from** Belgium; Germany; Ireland; Italy; Latvia; Luxembourg; Hungary; the Netherlands; Finland, and the United Kingdom
- **Close co-operation with TG CARE will be ensured**
- **TF kick off meeting 4-5 February 2014** - Agreement on Terms of Reference and draft time table
- **WGPH 2014** - Intermediate report on mandatory variables, definitions, inclusion- and exclusion criteria
- **WGPH 2015** – Presentation of a consolidated draft IR HCARE for discussion and conclusions

Health Care non-expenditure statistics (2)

Main goal for IR HCARE: Comparable data for all EU-28

- Concentrate on mandatory variables as subset of JQNMHC
- Ensure availability of that variables for all EU-28
- **TF agreed on step-wise approach**
 1. Assess policy relevance of current data collection
 - Current availability does not necessarily indicate relevance
 - Non-reporting may reflect non-accessibility or missing clarity of definitions
 - First TF assessment will be discussed at the TG CARE 23 May 2014
 2. Assess availability & quality of relevant data at EU level
 - Gaps in data reporting and reasoning behind
 3. Propose improvements – definitions, examples, guides for best estimates

Health Care non-expenditure statistics (3)

Non-monetary health care data collection 2014

- Joint data collection with OECD and WHO on health care resources (human and physical) and health care activities (JQNMHC)
- Separate module on regional data and hospital technical resources (additional Eurostat module)
- Consolidated data collection as compared to 2013
- Major difference:
Pilot to align data collection on psychiatric beds to collection of all other hospital beds by function

All Member States, all EFTA countries and three candidate countries (FYROM, Serbia and Turkey) participated

- Cyprus, Denmark and Greece didn't submit any data yet
- Data validation ongoing
- Changes in technical tools may delay publication on Eurobase website

Health Care expenditure statistics

- **Annual Joint Questionnaire (OECD, ESTAT, WHO)**
- **JHAQ 2013 data collection exercise**
 - 25 MSs + 3 EFTA countries submitted SHA 1.0 data
- **JHAQ 2014 data collection exercise**
 - 18 MSs + 3 EFTA countries have already submitted SHA1.0 data which are now being validated
- **JHAQ 2015 data collection exercise**
 - Only based on SHA 2011

Health Care expenditure statistics

- **Development of a Commission Regulation on health care expenditure & financing data based on SHA 2011**
 - 2013:
 - 1st pilot data collection (Regulation variables) by 6 countries
 - Setup of a Task Force that analysed the results
 - Draft Regulation approved by WG PH in December with few amendments
 - 2014:
 - Draft Regulation approved unanimously by the DSS
 - 2nd pilot data collection by about 15 countries –
 - Task Force in September 2014 to further analyse results
 - Adoption of Regulation
 - 2015: Data transmission under GA (about 25 countries)
 - 2016: Data transmission under new CR

Diagnosis-specific Morbidity Statistics (MORB)

TF MORB report on 16 pilot studies

- Regular MORB statistics are feasible – recommendation to go ahead
- Report published as statistical working paper in April 2014:
http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/product_details/publication?p_product_code=KS-TC-14-003

Eurostat work plan on diagnosis-specific morbidity statistics

WGPH December 2013: OK to follow by a 2-steps approach

- **1st step up to 2016: National inventories by NSI (call for proposals)**
WGPH 2017: Decision on continuation of the process
- **2nd step: ESSC agreement to integrate MORB into the ESS**
2018-2019 MORB pilots at EU level based on gentlemen's agreement
- **2019 – 2020 implementing Commission Regulation on MORB**

Expenditures by Diseases & Conditions - HEDiC

Goal: Methodology for transactions within the health systems in relation to health outcome

Tenderer: Consortium of 9 NSI and 3 research groups with LU as leader, plus 6 observer countries considering to follow the pilots

3 consecutive tasks

1. Inventory on existing HEDiC data collections
2. Manual & guidelines for HEDiC statistics at EU level
3. Pilot data collections on HEDiC based on the manual

3 accompanying workshops

- First workshop: 2-3 June, Stockholm (Discussion of results of the inventories & first draft of the manual)

Report to TG CARE on state of play - 22 May 2014

Thanks for your attention!