

The EU health information system - new developments

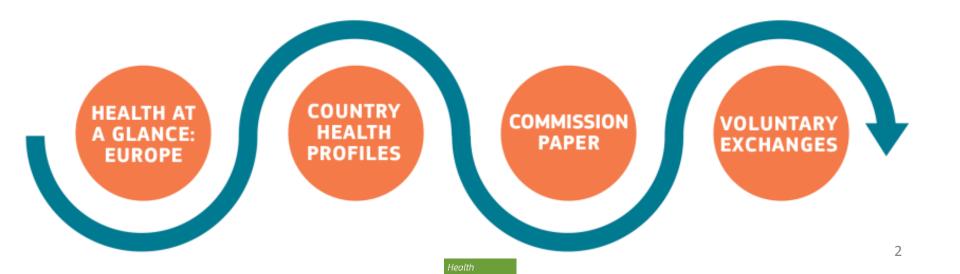
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State of Health in the EU

POOLING EXPERTISE, STRENGTHENING KNOWLEDGE





"Joint Action on Health Information towards a sustainable EU health information system that supports country knowledge, health research and policy-making"

The Joint Action on Health Information is approved in the 2017 Health Programme Annual Work Programme with a budget of 4 million Euros over a period of 3 years.

26 EU Member States and 4 EFTA/Candidate countries have submitted an official nomination of a 'competent authority' for the Joint Action by the 11th May deadline.



Internal Commission consultation platform on health information

- Inter-service forum with different SANTE units (B1, B3, C2), as well as DG CNECT, DG ESTAT, DG RTD, and DG JRC.
- Help coordinate Commission initiatives related to health information and to identify the best possible mechanism to support Member State cooperation in the area of health information.



Commission-OECD-WHO consultation on health information

- Forum with relevant international organisations (such as WHO-Europe and OECD) to discuss longterm strategy and closer collaboration
- The objectives are to reduce the data collection burden on Member States and to improve the policy-relevance of the collected health indicators at the European level.



Key expected achievements

Joint Action/EGHI

Setting priorities

ERIC/Sustainable structure

Cooperation EC/WHO/OECD

Joint data collections

Decreasing reporting burden (MS)

State of Health

Better data analyses

Support policy making



Policy-driven health indicator development cycle

