Joint Action on Increasing Capacities of National Focal Points

NFP4Health

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Info Day – Health Cluster Horizon Europe
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The new Multiannual Financial Framework 2021-2027 offers a vital opportunity to reinforce the EU budget contribution to the European recovery and better preparedness through the strengthening of healthcare systems through the following actions:

- Boost EU’s preparedness for major cross border health threats.
- Strengthen health systems.
- Make medicines and medical devices available and affordable, advocate the prudent and efficient use of antimicrobials as well as promote medical and pharmaceutical innovation and greener manufacturing.

This complex and changing situation make it even more necessary to have a network of experts to boost the European Cooperation to facilitate and support the smart implementation of EU4Health will work in synergy with the Horizon Europe Health Cluster namely by ensuring that the R&I developed under the Health Cluster is taken up by the health systems and has a direct benefit for patients and citizens.
What can your National Focal Point (NFP) do for you?

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**PROMOTE**
- the EU4Health programme opportunities
- Advice and assist applicants on the application process
- Contribute to reporting and evaluation of the programme implementation

**COMMUNICATE**
- Help you better understand the EU4Health programme
- Offer guidance in identifying relevant topics

**DISSEMINATE**
- Results and impact of the HP at national level
- Organise information events on EU Health Programmes & calls in your region or institution
- **BUILD SYNERGIES** with other health-related EU programmes such as HE
NFP4Health: Increasing the capacity of NFPs in a nutshell

2020 Work Programme Topic

Duration: 36 months

Budget: Total Cost: 2.5 M€ EU Contrib: 2 M€

27 Participant Countries

21 Beneficiaries (Competent Authorities)

6 Collaborating Partners

6 WPs

WP1 COORDINATION

WP2 DISSEMINATION & COMMUNICATION

WP3 EVALUATION

WP4 SUSTAINABILITY AND INTEGRATION IN NATIONAL POLICIES

WP5 SUPPORT SYNERGIES WITH OTHER HEALTH-RELATED FUND AND PROGRAMME

WP6 CAPACITY BUILDING for NFPs

Status: Grant Agreement under preparation

Estimated Kick-off: Autumn 2021

Under Grant Agreement Preparation phase

First time that the NFPs network is going to be supported by a Joint Action (or equivalent). It can lead to creation of a new paradigm of the role and impact of the NFP, as catalysts of all the information.
What is the EU4Health programme?

- Renewed and more ambitious general objectives due to lessons learnt from pandemic as compared with previous Health Programmes
- Consequently more funding than ever; 5.1 billion
- The first annual work programme of EU4Health adopted on the 18th of June
- will provide €312 million for 2021.

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Where can you apply?

- EU4Health is executed by HADEA: https://hadea.ec.europa.eu/programmes/4th-eu-health-programme_en

Where can I find my NFP in my country?

Expected Impacts

• The establishment of a sustainable network of NFPs based on a minimum common standards agreed defining the role of National Focal Point.

• Successful implementation of the EU4Health Programme in all participant countries.

• Set shared long-term goals and sustainable strategy.

• Establishment of a structured synergy among NFPs and NCPs

• Better trained NFPs on both EU4Health Programme and other related initiatives

• Better use of the new areas and instruments of the EU4Health Programme.
Thank you to

Collaborating partners