



# NCDs: EU4HEALTH Grants

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# **EU4HEALTH AWP 2023: Understanding the main structure and types of grant**

# The EU4Health Annual Work Programme - Structure



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on the financing of the Programme for the Union's action in the field of health ('EU4Health Programme') and the adoption of the work programme for 2023

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## A. Grants

ACTIONS WITH A COST OF EUR 20 000 000 OR MORE  
ACTIONS WITH A COST BELOW EUR 20 000 000

## B. Procurement

ACTIONS WITH A COST OF EUR 20 000 000 OR MORE  
ACTIONS WITH A COST BELOW EUR 20 000 000

## C. Other activities

## D. Actions implemented in indirect management

ACTIONS WITH A COST OF EUR 20 000 000 OR MORE  
ACTIONS WITH A COST BELOW EUR 20 000 000

# Grants

Grants are financial contributions from the European Union budget awarded by way of a donation to a third-party (= the beneficiary) engaged in activities that serve Union policies.

Grants fall into two broad categories:

- **grants for actions**, intended to help achieving objectives that are part of a Union policy;
- **operating grants**, that finance the functioning of a body whose objectives are part of a Union policy. These are based on a work programme.

The successful applicant for a grant becomes the "**beneficiary**". We can have **mono-beneficiary** and **multi-beneficiary**.

A grant is a donation to finance

An action



The functioning of a body



# EU4Health Annual Work Programmes: 6 types of Grants



- Operating Grants
- Action Grants
- Joint Actions with Member States Authorities
- Direct Grants to Member States Authorities (other than Joint Actions)
- Direct Grants to International Organisations
- Direct Grants to specific beneficiaries – i.e., European Reference Networks (ERNs)

# Action Grants

- **Open Calls** for proposals
- An **action** intended to help achieve a Union policy objective
- **Type of organisations:** legally established entity, i.e., private or public bodies, (non)governmental organisations, research and (public)health institutions, universities and higher education establishments, etc.
- Minimum Number of legal entities and geographical coverage: **at least 3 participating entities** (independent from each other) from at least three countries participating in the EU4Health Programme.

## Selection criteria

- **Financial capacity:** Applicants must guarantee stable and sufficient sources of funding to maintain their activity throughout the activity period and to participate the co-financing\*.
- **Operational capacity:** Applicants must provide professional resources, competences and qualifications required to complete the proposed action

# Joint Actions

Joint Action grants are awarded without calls for proposals

A Joint Action is a direct grant consisting in collaborative action among Member States and Associated Countries participating in the EU4Health Programme → **Creation of a single consortium**

Each country participating in the EU4Health Programme is invited to nominate **one competent authority**, which will become the grant beneficiary and be responsible for the implementation of the action on its behalf.

The nominated competent authority may involve in the grant under its responsibility other participants, such as **affiliated entities**

**For Joint Actions, affiliated entities cover:**

The different levels of the administrative structure in case of decentralised administration (e.g., national, regional or local administrations), or/and Public sector bodies (e.g., national institutes or schools for public health or national research centres) which and are (at least in part) publicly funded to deliver a public or government service or are in situation of control by a state organization/other public body.

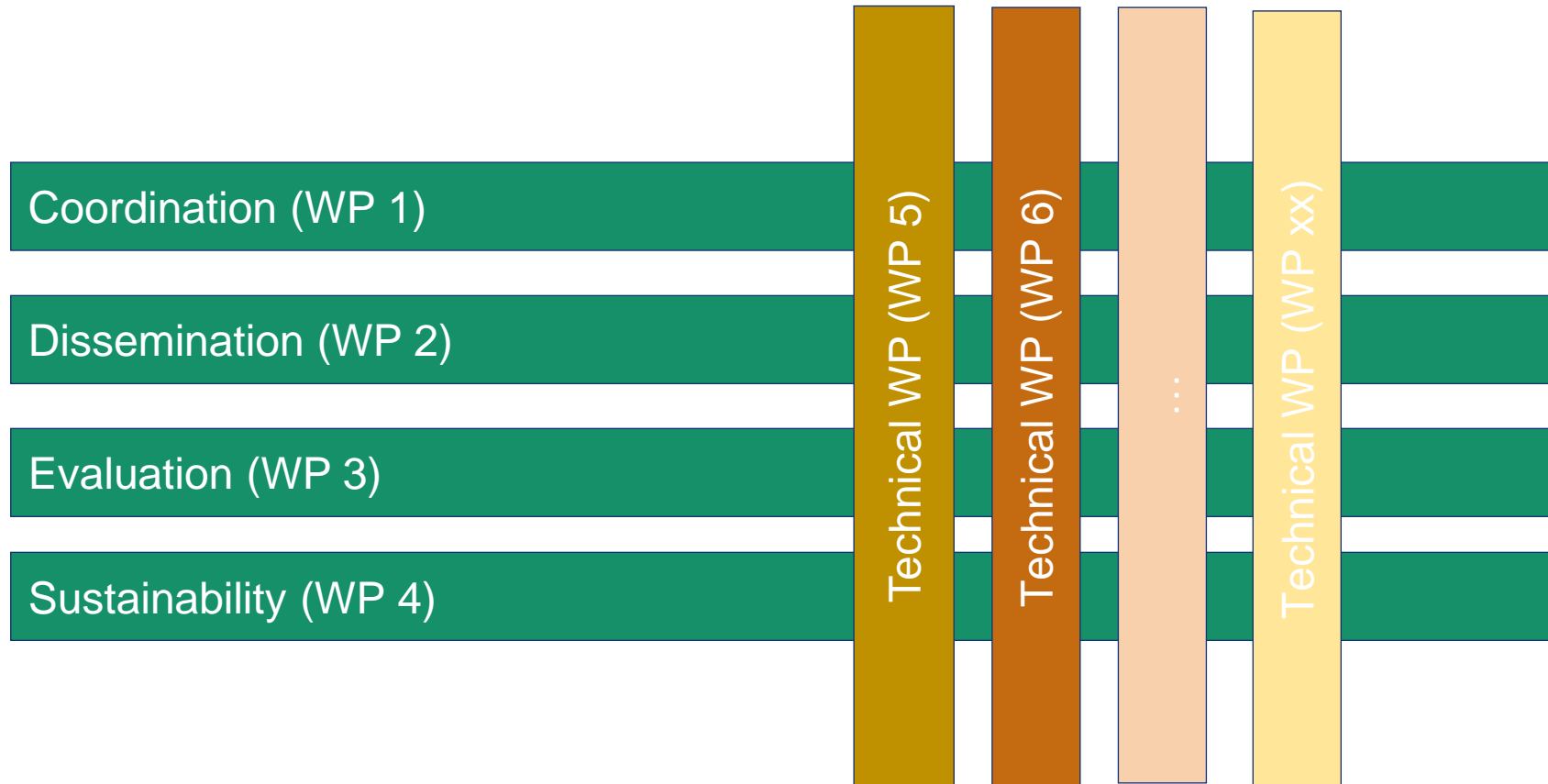
**What is not an affiliated entity?**

Entities that have entered into a (procurement) contract or subcontract with the competent authority (beneficiary), or who act as concessionaires or delegates for public services for the beneficiary.

Entities that cooperate with the beneficiary on the basis of a memorandum of understanding or share some assets.



# Joint Actions: Main structure



# Funding rate for both Joint Actions and Action Grants

EU Co-funding: **max 60 % of eligible costs**. It can be increased to max **80%** for actions with a clear EU added value which satisfy the following **exceptional utility criteria**, *inter alia* when

- (a) at least **30 %** of the budget of the proposed action is allocated to Member States whose GNI per inhabitant is less than **90 %** of the Union average;
- (b) bodies from at least **14** participating Member States participate in the action, of which at least four are Member States whose GNI per inhabitant is less than **90 %** of the Union average.

# **EU4HEALTH AWP 2023: A focus on NCDs**

# EU4Health Annual Work Programme 2023 – Health Promotion & Disease Prevention

## NCDs

<b>2. HEALTH PROMOTION &amp; DISEASE PREVENTION (DP)</b>	<b>33.54</b>
TOBACCO CONTROL POLICIES	4.0
PREVENTION OF NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASES (NCDs) – CHRONIC RESPIRATORY DISEASES, MENTAL HEALTH, DEMENTIA	18.36
OPERATING GRANTS	9.0
SUPPORT TO HEALTH POLICY PLATFORM, SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES, AND EXPERT GROUPS, AND SUPPORT TO EUROPEAN CLIMATE AND HEALTH OBSERVATORY	2.18

### DISEASES



Cardiovascular Disease



Chronic Respiratory Diseases



Diabetes



Mental health and neurological disorders

### HEALTH DETERMINANTS



Unhealthy Diet



Tobacco Use



Harmful Use of Alcohol



Physical Inactivity



Air Pollution

# AWP2023: Prevention of NCDs – 18,3 MIL EUR



- **JA** on Chronic respiratory diseases (CRDs) → **Total budget: 4 MIL EUR**
- **JA** on Mental health → **Total budget: 6 MIL EUR**
- **JA** on Dementia and other neurological disorders → **Total budget: 4 MIL EUR**
- Open Call for Action Grants on CRDs → **Total budget: 1 MIL EUR**
- Open Call for Action Grants on Mental Health (including focus on Ukrainian displaced people) → **Total budget: 2,3 MIL EUR**
- Open Call for Action Grants on Dementia and other neurological disorders → **Total budget: 1 MIL EUR**

# Look for Mental Health topic also under the Cancer Strand

<b>3. CANCER (CR)</b>	<b>187.3</b>
CANCER PREVENTION	1.5
EU NETWORK OF COMPREHENSIVE CANCER INFRASTRUCTURES	130.5
IMPLEMENTATION OF CANCER SCREENING PROGRAMMES	38.5
MENTAL HEALTH AND CANCER	10.0
QUALITY OF LIFE OF CANCER SURVIVORS	1.5
REDUCING CANCER INEQUALITIES <sup>21</sup>	2.5
IMPLEMENTATION OF STRATEGIC AGENDA FOR MEDICAL IONISING RADIATION	2.8



Open Call for Action Grants  
Action on **Mental health**  
**challenges for cancer**  
**patients and survivors** →  
**Total budget: 10 MIL EUR**

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NEWS ARTICLE | 22 November 2022 | European Health and Digital Executive Agency

### The 2023 Work Programme of EU4Health is out



The implementation plan for the AWP 2023 will be published soon: You will find the key dates and deadlines for submission.

# Projects already funded on NCDs under the EU4HEALTH AWPs 2021 & 2022



# AWP 2021 – 11,6 MIL EUR



- **Diabetes**

1 Joint Action (JA) **CARE4DIABETES** → Total budget: 4 MIL EUR

- **Mental Health**

2 Action Grants: **MENTALITY** and **STEP-IN** → Total budget: 1 MIL EUR

- **HealthyLifestyle4All**

1 JA **Health4EUkids** → Total budget: 3 MIL EUR

3 Action Grants: **IHLGiS**, **Schools4Health** and **RYHEALTH** → Total budget: 3,6 MIL EUR

# AWP2022 Grants already signed– 11,1 MIL EUR



- **Mental Health**

2 Action Grants: **IceHearts Europe** and **LetsTalk** → **Total budget: 7 MIL EUR**

- **Mental Health – Ukrainian displaced people**

4 Action Grants: **MESUR**; **Peace of Mind**; **U-RISE** and **Well-U** → **Total budget: 3 MIL EUR**



- **Chronic Kidney Disease**

Action Grant: **PREVENTCKD** → **Total budget: 397 000 EUR**



- **Delivering Food Facts for healthy choices**

1 Operating Grant to the **European Food Information Council (EUFIC)** → **Total budget: 675 000 EUR**

# Legacy Projects on NCDs: Third EU Health Programme

# NCDs – Legacy Projects: 16,2 MIL EUR

## • Nutrition

❑ 1 Joint Action:  
6 MIL EUR



❑ 1 Action grant:  
855 411 EUR



## • Cardiovascular diseases

❑ 2 Action grants:

EUPAP  
1,3 MIL EUR



## • Mental Health

❑ 1 Joint Action:  
5,4 MIL EUR



❑ 1 Action Grant:  
1,5 MIL EUR



# Thank you



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