

Information session on the 2026 topics in the Health Cluster WP 2026-2027

10 February 2026

PROGRAMME

This infoday consists of several Q&A sessions. Before participating, you are encouraged to watch the presentations available on this webpage.

09:00 - 09:30 Welcome & Opening

09:35 - 10:35 Cross-cutting issues

About this session:

International cooperation, clinical studies template, lump sum funding, SSH integration, financial aspects, INCO, NCP presentation.

10:40 – 11:00 Destination 1 – Staying healthy in a rapidly changing society

About this session:

- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-STAYHLTH-02: Behavioural interventions as primary prevention for Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) among young people
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-STAYHLTH-03: Building public trust and outreach in the life sciences

11:10 – 11:40 Destination 2 – Living and working in a health-promoting environment

About this session:

- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-ENVHLTH-01: Towards a better understanding and anticipation of the impacts of climate change on health
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-ENVHLTH-04: Towards climate resilient, prepared and carbon neutral populations and healthcare systems
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-ENVHLTH-05: Support for a multilateral initiative on climate change and health research

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12:40 - 13:40 Destination 3 –Tackling diseases and reducing disease burden

About this session:

- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-DISEASE-02: Innovative interventions to prevent the harmful effects of using digital technologies on the mental health of children and young adults
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-DISEASE-03: Advancing research on the prevention, diagnosis, and management of post-infection long-term conditions
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-DISEASE-04: Development of novel vaccines for viral pathogens with epidemic potential
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-DISEASE-09: Multisectoral approach to tackle chronic non-communicable diseases: implementation research maximising collaboration and coordination with sectors and in settings beyond the healthcare system (GACD)
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-DISEASE-11: Understanding of sex and/or gender-specific mechanisms of cardiovascular diseases: determinants, risk factors and pathways
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-DISEASE-15: Scaling up innovation in cardiovascular health

13:50 - 14:10 Destination 4 – Ensuring access to innovative, sustainable and high-quality health care

About this session:

- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-CARE-01: Public procurement of innovative solutions for improving citizens' access to healthcare through integrated or personalised approaches
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-CARE-03: Identifying and addressing low-value care in health and care systems

14:20 - 15:00 Destination 5 – Unlocking the full potential of new tools, technologies and digital solutions for a healthy society

About this session:

- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-TOOL-03: Integrating New Approach Methodologies (NAMs) to advance biomedical research and regulatory testing
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-TOOL-05: Pilot actions for follow-on funding: Leveraging EU-funded collaborative research in regenerative medicine
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-TOOL-06: Support to European Research Area (ERA) action on accelerating New Approach Methodologies (NAMs) to advance biomedical research and testing of medicinal products and medical devices
- HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-TOOL-07: Establishing a European network of Centres of Excellence (CoEs) for Advanced Therapies Medicinal Products (ATMPs)

15:10 - 15:30 Destination 6 – Maintaining an innovative, sustainable and globally competitive health-related industry

About this session:

- **HORIZON-HLTH-2026-01-IND-03: Regulatory science to support translational development of patient-centred health technologies**

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