

EU4H-2024-PJ-03-7 Call for proposal: action grants to contribute to the organisations of conference and events (0A-g-24-79)

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Background and policy context

 The work programme supports the organisation of conference and events during 2024 or 2025 which will mee the objectives of Regulation (EU) 2021/522

There is a need to

- (i) timely <u>identify upcoming health challenges and priorities</u> and <u>involve all interested parties</u>, in finding <u>possible solutions</u> and <u>alternative ways</u> to address such challenges;
- (ii) <u>provide information to individuals</u> for preventing and responding to diseases
- (iii) join efforts with the beneficiaries of the EU funds to inform and <u>communicate about the actions</u> implementing the EU4Health Programme and the results obtained;



Objectives

- to support the organisation of <u>not-for-profit</u>, <u>Union-wide</u> <u>high-level</u> <u>science-policy-society events</u> that <u>bring together all interested parties such as</u> citizens, patients, practitioners, scientists, policy makers from local, regional, and Union level.
- the events will cover important health topics that are related to the Union's health priorities, and thereby contribute to the development and implementation of the European Health Union.

• Oher useful details:

- A discussion on <u>how to work better together at Union level</u> on one or more health-related topics.
- Involve Member States', third countries associated to the EU4Health Programme authorities and relevant stakeholders to exchange information and good practices on relevant topics in the field of public health.
- Events that correspond to the general or specific objectives and the priorities of the EU4Health Programme and which have a Union-wide dimension.



Strand

- cover one or more strands of the annual work programme and have clearly defined specific objectives
- the thematic areas and sub-areas to be covered may include <u>one or more</u> of the below mentioned topics:
 - (i) health care systems and workforce including in relation to demographic changes;
 - (ii) One health approach;
 - (iii) pharmaceuticals;
 - (iv) digital transition across health challenges;
- (!) Priority will be given to proposals covering several types of the above topics in several Member States, and beyond the EU where necessary.



Activities that can be funded

The proposals should include at least one of following activities:

- a) effective mobilisation of a broad audience with participation of policy makers (EU, national, regional and where necessary global levels), academia, industry, civil society including patients' organisations and other relevant representative);
- b) provide a platform for a sounding board to explain EU health initiatives and health societal challenges;
- c) sustainable outreach activities beyond the event with multiplier effect including on social media;
- d) facilitate high-level policy dialogues attracting relevant health actors from different relevant sectors;
- e) the use of innovative approaches in running the event are a plus.
- (!) Priority will be given to proposals covering several of the above activities.
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Specific mandatory deliverables and/or milestones

- dedicated pages on the existing website of the organisation; dedicated sessions to Commission policy priorities; etc
- relevant online, electronic and <u>limited printed</u> materials during and post event
- comprehensive and impartial event report based on contribution from a broad audience participating on-site and online to the event
- streaming live services (at least for some parts of the event e.g. plenary sessions), recordings (in line with GDPR)
- relevant social media activity such as Twitter, LinkedIn, and other relevant social media.

(!) In addition, the event/conferences must have <u>a wide European Union dimension</u>, with <u>as many</u> <u>participants as possible from EU Member States and associated countries to the EU4Health</u> <u>Programme</u>;



Expected impact and indicators

Expected impact

- To have a Union-wide dimension.
- **To focus on current cross-cutting Union policy issues.** The events will not focus on a specific condition or disease.
- To promote the European Health Union and its different initiatives.
- involve public or private entities with expertise on organising events in public health domain topics.
- include high level speakers and a representative number of stakeholders

Indicators:

- Total number of participants (onsite and online)
- Number of participants by sector, organisation and type of expertise, Member State, and level of
 responsibility of the participant
- The duration of the social media dissemination post event



Check list

- Applicants must clearly describe the dissemination strategy;
- Applicants must clearly describe the methodology, tools, timetable and milestones, deliverables, nature and distribution of tasks;
- Applicants must clearly describe the management structure, competence of staff, responsibilities, decision-making, monitoring and supervision;
- Applicants must ensure that the budget is relevant, appropriate, balanced, and consistent in itself and in relation to the objective/s of the conference.

Specific mandatory annexes

- Website addresses for the previous conferences. If the conference website is not online, a summary report of each of the conferences should be provided;
- Draft programme of the conference to be held;
- Statutes of the applicant(s);
- Declaration of absence of conflict of interest from industry (free format).

Eligible entities: Public or non-profit entities with expertise on organising events in public health domain.

Duration: Maximum of 12 months and organised in 2024 and/or 2024. Duration of the event up to 5 calendar days

Not funded: Conferences held by the date on which the grant application is submitted and Presidencies conf.

Thank you

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