

THCS webinar, March 12, 2024

406 Attendees, record of the webinar can be found on the website.

General

Agenda

- **More about the THCS Partnership**
Federico Bastarolo -THCS Coordinating team
- **Explanation of the Call text**
Jostein Holmgren- THCS call development team
- **Call procedures and criteria**
Rik Wisselink - THCS call secretariat team
- **Explanation on partner search tool**
Marcin Chmielewski - THCS call secretariat team
- **Q&A**
Rik Wisselink - THCS call secretariat team



We encourage you to visit [PartFinder \(ncbr.gov.pl\)](http://PartFinder(ncbr.gov.pl)), I will show details of this tool during the Webinar.

Patient organisations and companies can be added as additional partners, either on their own funds or by applying for funding from the respective funding organisations.

Possible Partner

- Hello , Should you look for a partner from Poland, feel free to contact Indutry Contact Point MedTech

&Health (icphealth@port.lukasiewicz.gov.pl) or

monika.slezak@port.lukasiewicz.gov.pl)

- If you need a biomedical - Clinical partner totally elegible and agil from Spain (south), feel free to contact me: aitor.rando@ibima.eu .We work at the public health system of Malaga
- ADEMED Romania - NGO active in youth and education, also in Health Horizon and Erasmus experience. Feel free to write:
florin.alexandru.ro@gmail.com
- Feel free to reach us out:
patientadvocacy@humanizedsolutions.com , SME based in Portugal, specialized in patient and public involvement
- Patient education French plateform
<https://www.chu-poitiers.fr/specialites/vie-la-sante/>
- Faculty of Medicine, University of Coimbra - Portugal. We are available and interested in participating in this call. If you need a clinical/research partner contact:
ines.costa@fmed.uc.pt
- [10:49 AM] Dorina ARDELEANU If you are looking for a Swiss partner, specialized in digital health and participative approaches with end beneficiaries, including vulnerable groups, contact us at
dorina.ardeleanu@tdh.org

- [10:51 AM] KOROGOD Natalya If you work in pain in young children and newborns please contact natalya.korogod@hesav.ch, we are searching for one more country to participate
- Fondazione G.B Bietti
lucia.tanga@fondazionebietti.it
- At Faculty of Sciences of University of Lison we are interested in projects related with breast cancer screening. Please contact us if you are looking for a partner on this topic nmatela@fc.ul.pt
- ophthalmolgy research
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- we're are interested in involving patients organization in a project focussed on cardiac rehabilitation. Please, if you're interested contact nmorici@dognocchi.it
- alessandra. fierabracci@opbg.net available as partner in autoimmunity
- [10:55 AM] Bian Yang If you have any concern on security and privacy issues and solutions for health data and AI models, contact bian.yang@ntnu.no at <https://www.ntnu.edu/iik/ehws> from the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU). eHealth and Welfare Security - NTNU
- Post Covid-19 Treatment via Tele-Reha: if interested get in touch with martin.morandell@fhg-

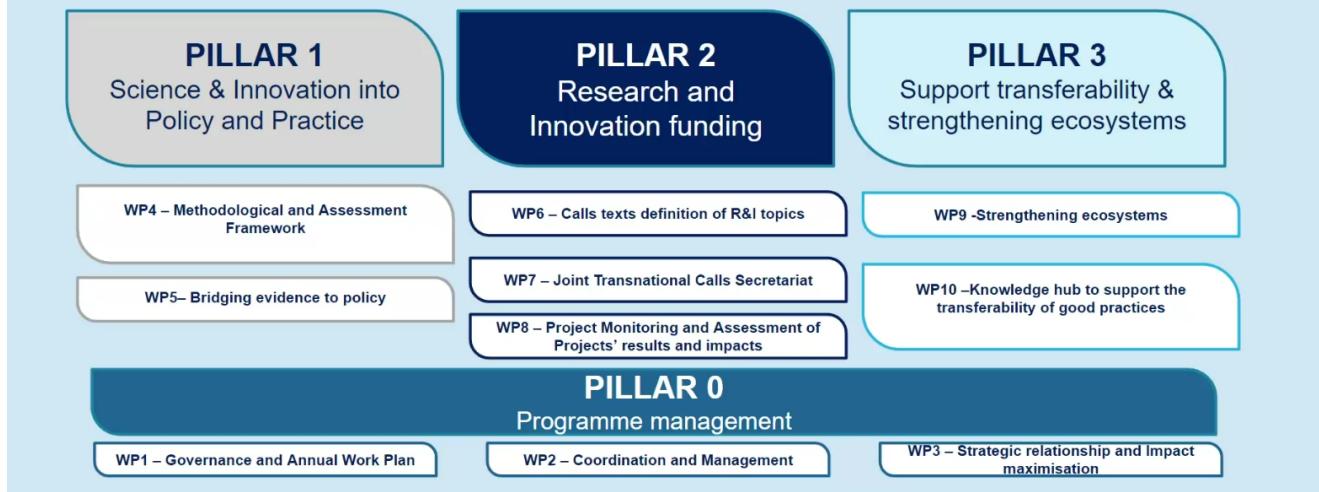
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- Dear all, if you are looking for a clinical partner to work on physical activity promotion and/or respiratory monitoring/pulmonary rehabilitation, please contact: joana.cruz@ipleiria.pt (Portugal). Thank you
- Klaipeda University - We are available as partner in topics about lifestyle (physical activity) in adolescents or elderly. Please contact: rafaela.santo@ku.lt
- [10:59 AM] Godfrey Mugurusi Our department of industry economics and technology management at Gjøvik (Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Norway) is interested to participate and contribute on the following themes in healthcare: i.e. innovation processes, human-technology interaction, procurement/purchasing, patient logistics and healthcare supply chains, circular business models and sustainability. Please contact me if you are looking for a partner on these themes: godfrey.mugurusi@ntnu.no
- If you are looking for a partner in topics of women's health, PCOS or other gynecological conditions, please contact me: leyla@ovulai.com
- [11:00 AM] Roberta Ferrara SI4Life (Italy) - specialized in Welfare and social policies, Health

and Active Aging, Research and Innovation,
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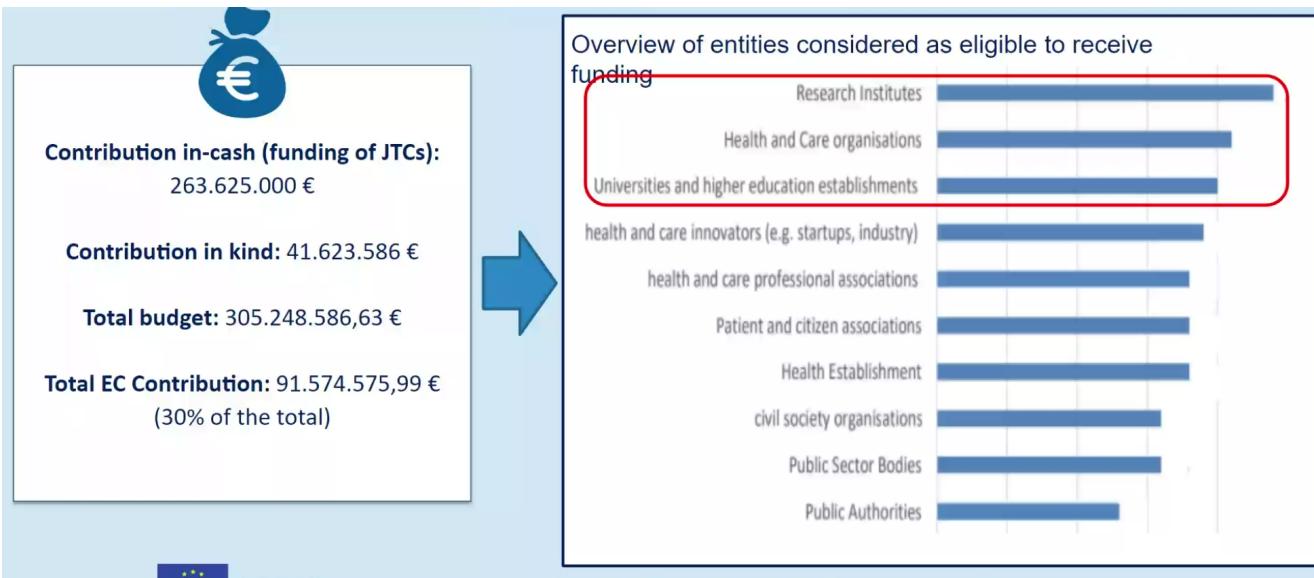
- [11:02 AM] Dalhia AISSAT dear all,, if some of you would like to submit a project related to end-of-life care or palliative care, and are interested to have France as a partner, as a research Platform we could arrange a connection with French researchers. Do not hesitate to contact us :
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THCS Expected outcomes





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Specific Call



THCS Joint Transnational Call for Proposals 2024

Innovate to Prevent: Personalised Prevention in Health and Care Services

Jostein Holmgren, Research Council of Norway (RCN), WP6

Siv Øverås, Research Council of Norway (RCN), WP6

Innovate to Prevent

The second JTC addresses the need to improve the **implementation of personalised prevention strategies** in **health and care services**, also to make them person-centred and better adjusted to people's needs while supporting effective and appropriate use of **existing IT and digital-based technologies** supporting prevention strategies in health and care services.

The ultimate goal is to improve **health and care system** dimensions such as **quality, efficiency, equity, and sustainability**.

Scope of the call

- Actions on primary prevention **will not** be in the scope of this call.
- Actions to **build up, implement and upscale organisational models**, supported by the integration of existing IT and digital technologies, and novel data sources:
 - Secondary prevention
 - Disease prevention: predict, reduce, delay, and avoid the development of diseases
 - Tertiary prevention
 - Disease management: reduce worsening of disease, improve the efficacy of therapies to manage the prevention of complications and further damage, and at the same time reduce the burden on the health care systems and improve access to services.
 - Quaternary prevention
 - Avoiding over-medicalisation: protecting patients from unnecessary interventions and suggesting ethical alternatives

Essential elements

- The research and innovation activities of the submitted projects should provide a broad range of **knowledge and implementation-ready solutions** for the use of data in prevention.
- Proposals must address the **economic and social impact** of the proposed models, solutions, or approach.
- Proposals are required to address **legal, financial, technological, and educational barriers** to the implementation of the project outcome(s).
- Proposals are required to address **necessary skills** required of all relevant **stakeholders**.
- Proposals should address how **end-users will be involved** in the project.
- Proposals must show how the project will be linked to the **policy context** and wider **eco-systems**.
- Especially with respect to implementation approaches, **relevant industry and end-user organisations** should be partners in the consortium.

Research and innovation activities

- **Validation, customisation and adoption** of innovative health and care prevention models based on integrating existing IT and digital technologies and novel data sources with medical technologies for health and care prevention strategies.
- **Demonstration and pilot activities** for implementation, improvement and transferability of preventive practices already identified.
- **Proof of concept** of the efficacy of implementing new preventive models into different health and care settings.

Research and innovation activities

- The **immediate and probable applications** for prevention strategies.
- Demonstrate viable up-scaling methods and promote the adoption of evidence-based **prevention models** and the integration of **IT and digital technologies**.
- Addressing the **barriers to access** to prevention services for **vulnerable groups**
- Fostering a **receptive culture** in disease prevention among stakeholders.
- Ensuring and reinforcing **trust** in health data (re-)use for public health purposes.
- Impact on the **workforce** in implementing the models
- **Standard measures and indicators** that will improve health and care data use and quality in prevention strategies
- **End users' perspective** and the usability of project outcomes in the establishment, implementation, and up-scaling of prevention models.

Important for rejections

Proposals will be rejected if they...

- Predominantly concern **development of new technological solutions**
- Have a predominantly **clinical, pre-clinical/bio-medical** component or
- Are purely **epidemiological studies** mapping the extent of and causal factors behind illnesses
- Solely concern **social/welfare services** and do not address issues in the health and care services.
- Do not take into consideration an ecosystem-wide approach and/or fail to consider end-users' perspective
- Predominantly concern actions on **primary prevention**.

Pages 15 and 16 of the call, eligibility rules are stated.

Criteria

Call procedures and criteria

Important elements THCS projects:

- Stakeholder involvement – eco-system approach
- Contribute to transition
- Transnational collaboration

Call procedures and criteria

- One stage call
- Consortia must submit an Intent to Apply (ItA) to be eligible
- Project duration 12 to 36 months
- A proposal can be rejected if one of partners appears to be non eligible
- Additional documentation might be required nationally/regionally

Call procedures and criteria

Composition of a consortium

- 3 to 9 partners
- Exception for integrating patient organisations and/or companies
- From at least 3 different participating countries
- Max. 3 partners per country
- Max. 2 self funded partners in a consortium (on top of the max 9 partners)
- The same applicant may only be project coordinator of 1 project proposal submitted to this call
- Check the national or regional eligibility criteria of your funding agency (Annex 1)

Important

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Restrictions:

- A collaborator partner cannot act as the project coordinator or work package leader
- One applicant can submit maximum 2 proposals
- One applicant can only be coordinator for 1 proposal
- You cannot change the coordinator after the Intent to Apply – Re-use the same log in account for the full proposal.
- Please read the eligibility rules from your national/regional funding agency for more specific details. (Annex 1)

Call procedures and criteria

Evaluation criteria

- Excellence - relevance for transition and the need for your project
- Impact – show how project output makes a difference in practice and to whom
- Implementation – show how the execution of the project is managed

Practical

Submission platform



Transforming Health and Care Systems

CBIM Authentication Provider

Welcome, Rik Wisselink

Links

[Second Joint Transnational Call for proposals Healthcare of the Future - Intent to Apply](#)



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(except national holidays): [Ask for help](#)

[FAQ - Call Healthcare of the Future](#)

Timeline

Call procedures and criteria

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16 of April 14.00 CEST - Deadline Intent to Apply (ItA)

14 of May 14.00 CEST - Deadline submitting project proposal

19 – 26 August – Rebuttal stage

October – Results communicated

December 2023 – May 2024 - Expected project start

Announcement status was changed from Ready to Published.

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