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# **WP 2**

## **Dissemination of the results**

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# EURHOBOP: dissemination policy

- Diffusion policy will be a result of an agreement among partners in accordance to legal and ethical provisions
- A document summarizing the strategies for the dissemination of the results achieved by the project and the policy-related benefits will be prepared by partner ISS in cooperation with the project coordinator
- It will circulate among the whole consortium discussed and approved

# EURHOBOP: dissemination strategy

- EURHOBOP focus on a single topic: cardiovascular hospital benchmarking
- “Keep it simple –KIS” strategy!!!!
- 1<sup>st</sup> step: 3 keystones:
  - *Dissemination policy*
  - *Dissemination plan*
  - *Dissemination tools*
- 2<sup>nd</sup> step: to build the network

# EURHOBOP: dissemination plan

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Coronary·Syndrome·Processes¶  
(EURHOBOP)¶  
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# EURHOBOP: dissemination tools

- The web site
- The leaflet
- The brochure
- Scientific presentations at the national and international congresses
- Scientific publications in international journals
- Organization of appropriate seminars about the Eurhobop results for health policy makers, hospital management personnel, and clinical practitioners
- Final Conference
- Other proposals?

# EURHOBOP: the web site

- description of the project and of the participating partners
- a brief overview of the national context of the participating countries with regard to their health systems, to the information on the data sources and protocols available to measure outcomes in Acute Coronary Syndrome
- technical documents download able
- list of useful contacts (links to institutions, associations, scientific societies, organizations operating in the health field)

# Participant countries: political and demographical description, organisation of the health care system, collection of health care data



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## Finland - Project Participants



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For more information about the national health system of this country, [download a PDF file](#) with a brief description about the political and demographical background, the organization of the health care system at national, regional and local level as well as the collection of health care data.

### Associated beneficiaries

**Sosiaali- ja terveysalan tutkimus- ja kehittämiskeskus**  
(National Research and Development Centre for Welfare and Health)



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**The Project**

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**Research**

- Survey
- Pilot
- Glossary

**Indicators**

- Disease areas and indicators
- Data sources

**Events**

- Final workshop

# EURHOBOP: the web site

- The web site will be in English
- Some key documents may be translated on each partner resources into the partner local language
- The document uploading process: the final decision depends on the coordinator for critical strategic documents. YF and MM will manage the system under MT and JM supervision. Some documents will be checked for English when MT or JM feel it necessary



# EURHOBOP: the web site - some proposals



**eurhobop**  
European HOspital Benchmarking by Outcomes in acute coronary syndrome Processes  
> BENCHMARK your hospital performance

**The EURHOBOP Project** page updated

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- To validate the functions developed in EUPHORIC (DG SANCO 2003134 www.euphoric-project.eu) using data relevant to a larger number of hospitals.
- To test the possibility of including other variables of severity improving the quality of the risk adjusted models.

**Why is your contribution important**

The larger the number of the recorded data, the closer the output of the models to the real European context, the more precise (reliable?) the benchmarking EURHOBOP allows for different levels of contribution. Confidentiality will be strictly respected.

**Advantages for your hospital**

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3. In case of a patients data base is sufficiently big (at least 200 consecutive patients with acute coronary syndrome), hospital bench mark for all the procedures and the disease managements will be provided.
4. To become "Collaborating Partner" of EURHOBOP, with full credit for you and your colleagues guaranteed in all EURHOBOP-related documents.
5. Free access to the updated / validated / upgraded functions whenever they come up.

**How to participate**

1. register and Login
2. Select among the following options:
  - a) Benchmark your hospital with aggregated data
  - b) Determine the in-hospital case-fatality risk for individual data
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**Links**

- > Related projects
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## Main beneficiary

Institut Municipal d'Assistència Sanitària IMIM - Hospital del Mar (IMAS-IMIM), Spain

## Associated beneficiaries

Hellenic Cardiologica Society (ATTIKON-HCS), Greece

Azienda Unità Sanitaria Asl Roma E (DEASL), Italy

Faculdade de Medicina da Universidade do Porto (FMUP), Portugal

Helmholtz Zentrum München- Deutsches Forschungszentrum für Gesundheit und Umwelt (HMGU), Germany

The national Institute for Health and Welfare (THL), Finland

Association pour l'Etude et la Prévention des Maladies Dégénératives du Système Cardio-Vasculaire "Projet Monica" (AEPMCV), France

Istituto Superiore di Sanità (ISS), Italy

European Hospital and Healthcare Federation (HOPE), Belgium

## Collaborating partners

Israeli Society for Prevention of Heart Attacks, Tel Hashomer, Israel

Hospital Josep Trueta, Girona, Spain

Hospital Clinic, Barcelona, Spain

Hospital Clinic, Valencia, Spain

Hospital del Mar Barcelona, Spain

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## The EURHOBOP Project

European HOSPITAL Benchmarking by  
Outcomes in acute coronary syndrome  
Processes

EURHOBOP  
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www.eurhobop.eu

- Translated by the partners into the partner local language?

## The EURHOBOP Project

### EUROPEAN HOSPITAL BENCHMARKING BY OUTCOMES IN ACS PROCESSES

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# EURHOBOP: the brochure

- a short brochure (approximately 5 pages) focussing on the results achieved during the project will be prepared in English
- all the partners will translate the brochure into the partner local language
- downloadable from the project website

# EURHOBOP: building the network.....

- Each partner will take care of the dissemination of selected products within his/her local network
- e-mail communication with EU authorities, Public Health division authorities in the EU Ministries of Health
- Contacts with:
  - cardiology departments in the hospitals (with HOPE)
  - scientific societies
  - patient associations at EU (European Heart Network, European Patient Forum) and national level
- Other proposals are welcome!!!



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**Thank you!**

