

Lifting the burden of neurological disorders in Europe

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Make health research a top priority in Horizon Europe!

Recommendations for Horizon Europe

- Increase funding for Horizon Europe (and for health research) to € 120-125 billion, and dedicate a higher percentage to health research
- Strong support for basic research and for collaborative translational biomedical research, close gap between basic research and clinic, continuity & sustainability, bottom-up initiatives, training programs, visibility of EU research, precision medicine-based patient-centered solution in designing clinical trials,...
- Long-term vision: create a European Council for Health Research, that will support biomedical and clinical research in Europe



Missions in health research – a possibility for collaborative work

- should fit to a general strategy/priorities of health research in Horizon Europe and translate into well-defined collaborative project calls (top-down and bottom-up)
- need for a “Steering Board for Health” aiming at coordinating health programmes and health missions under Horizon Europe (as adopted during the European Parliament Plenary session on 12 December 2018)
 - *create synergy between health research programs through coordination and cooperation*
 - *promote patients and society engagement, with co-design and co-implementation of health missions by stakeholders*
 - *providing scientific advice and recommendations*

Steering Board for Health might be considered as a transitional structure towards the European Council for Health Research!