

EUnetHTA Collaboration

Launched in November 2008

25 Founding Partners

15 European Countries

Implements EUnetHTA project tools and processes

Explores Relative Effectiveness principles and methodology

Develops transparent and broad balanced engagement with identified HTA stakeholder groups

Focusing on collaboration on HTA in Europe it

- facilitates efficient use of resources available for HTA
- creates sustainable system of HTA knowledge sharing
- promotes good practice in HTA methods and processes



What is EUnetHTA Collaboration?

EUnetHTA Collaboration and EUnetHTA Project	EU projects in HTA – History					
<p>After a successful completion of the EUnetHTA Project, the EUnetHTA Collaboration is implementing the proposal for a sustainable, permanent collaboration for HTA in Europe. The proposal was endorsed by the Steering Committee of the EUnetHTA Project (see www.eunethta.eu)</p> <p>The Founding Partners of the EUnetHTA Collaboration include organisations that are highly experienced in undertaking HTA to inform policy, long established organisations contributing to such HTA's (e.g. doing systematic reviews, economic evaluations, etc) and smaller, newer HTA organisations.</p> <p>The EUnetHTA Collaboration is working according to its yearly Work Plan organised around several groups of activities. It is functioning under the governance of the EUnetHTA Plenary Assembly and management of the Executive Committee supported by the Secretariat. The Stakeholder Forum will be developed further to ensure transparent and broad balanced engagement with identified stakeholder groups.</p>	EUR-Assess	1994 – 1997				
	HTA Europe	1997 – 1999				
	ECHTA/ECAHI	1999 – 2001				
	EUnetHTA Project (European network for Health Technology Assessment)	2006 – 2008				
EUnetHTA Vision	What is HTA?					
<p>The EUnetHTA Collaboration contributes to the generation of HTAs to inform policy and healthcare decision making in European countries so that new health technologies can be adopted and obsolete technologies abandoned in a well-informed and robust manner, hence bringing about high quality, safe, accessible, sustainable, ethical and efficient health care for citizens across Europe.</p>	<p>Health technology assessment (HTA) is a multidisciplinary process that summarises information about the medical, social, economic and ethical issues related to the use of a health technology in a systematic, transparent, unbiased, robust manner. Its aim is to inform the formulation of safe, effective, health policies that are patient focused and seek to achieve best value.</p>					
EUnetHTA Activities	EUnetHTA Contact					
<p>Core HTA (methodology, application, development of the Core HTA Model), facilitating new evidence generation on promising health technologies, development/implementation of processes for information exchange on new technologies, HTA adaptation toolkit, HTA capacity building, relative effectiveness of pharmaceuticals; coordination of and communication on the EUnetHTA development as well as the development of Joint Action on HTA in EU between Member States and the European Commission.</p> <p>For more information, please visit www.eunethta.eu or contact the EUnetHTA Secretariat.</p>	<p>EUnetHTA Secretariat National Board of Health Islands Brygge 67, DK-2300 Copenhagen S, Denmark</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="882 2000 1519 2098"> <tr> <td>Telephone: +45 7222 7548</td> <td>Fax: +45 7222 7411</td> </tr> <tr> <td>E-mail: eunethta@sst.dk</td> <td>www.eunethta.eu</td> </tr> </table>		Telephone: +45 7222 7548	Fax: +45 7222 7411	E-mail: eunethta@sst.dk	www.eunethta.eu
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Country	Organisation	Website
Austria	LBI-HTA, Ludwig Boltzman Institute of Health Technology Assessment	http://hta.lbg.ac.at
Belgium	KCE, Belgian Health Care Knowledge Centre	http://kce.fgov.be
Germany	DIMDI, Deutsches Institut für Medizinische Dokumentation und Information	www.dimdi.de
Germany	IQWiG, Institute for Quality and Efficiency in Health Care	www.iqwig.de
Denmark	CAST, Center for Applied Research and Technology Assessment	www.sdu.dk/Om_SDU/Institutter_centre/CAST.aspx
Denmark	NBoH, National Board of Health	www.sst.dk
Finland	FinOHTA, Finnish Office for HTA (at the National Institute for Health and Welfare, THL)	http://finohta.stakes.fi
France	HAS, Haute Autorité de santé / French National Authority for Health	www.has-sante.fr
Italy	AGE.NA.S, Agenzia Nazionale per i Servizi Sanitari Regionali	www.assr.it
Italy	ASSR, Agenzia Sanitaria e Sociale Regione Emilia-Romagna	http://asr.regione.emilia-romagna.it
Italy	Regione del Veneto, Direzione Piani e Programmi Socio Sanitari	www.regione.veneto.it
Italy	University Hospital “A.Gemelli”	www.rm.unicatt.it
Lithuania	StaHeCCA, State Health Care Accreditation Agency	www.vaspvt.gov.lt
Netherlands	CVZ, College voor zorgverzekeringen / Health Care Insurance Board	www.cvz.nl
Norway	NOKC, Norwegian Knowledge Centre for the Health Services	www.nokc.no
Poland	AHTAPol, Agency for HTA	www.aotm.gov.pl
Spain	AETS, Agency for Health Technology Assessment, Instituto de Salud Carlos III	http://www.isciii.es/htdocs/en/investigacion/Agencia_quees.jsp
Spain	AETSA, Andalusian Agency for Health Technology Assessment	http://www.juntadeandalucia.es/salud/aetsa
Spain	Avalia-t, Galician Agency for HTA	http://avalia-t.sergas.es
Spain	CAHTAR, Catalan Agency for HTA and Research	http://www.aatrm.net
Spain	OSTEBA, Basque Office for Health Technology Assessment	www.osanet.euskadi.net/ostebe/es
Spain	UETS, Health Technology Assessment Unit, Agencia Laín Entralgo	http://www.madrid.org/lainentralgo
Sweden	SBU, Swedish Council on Technology Assessment in Health Care	www.sbu.se
Switzerland	SNHTA, Swiss Network for HTA	www.snhta.ch
United Kingdom	NETSCC, NIHR Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre	www.hta.ac.uk