

### Annual report 2023

# Goals for 2023

Participation in health week

Workshop organisation, submission, acceptance for EPHC.

Plans for a section conference in 2024

#### Collaboration with section members

The section this year successfully collaborated with several other sections to successfully set up workshops for the November Dublin conference. Collaboration included with the Mental Health; EUPHAnxt; EUPHA Public Health Epidemiology; EUPHA Public Health Service Research; EUPHA Public Health Genomics

#### Activities at the EPH Conference

A skills building Seminar was co-organised with Sciensano and EUPHnxt and accepted for Dublin. This was entitled Translational research to policy through effective policy briefs.

A workshop which was accepted is entitled Mental Health in Old Age with the Mental health section. Another accepted workshop in collaboration with several sections is entitled Cancer Epidemiology and Prevention: which opportunities from the EU Cancer Mission?

Another accepted workshop entitled Innovations for chronic diseases management: complementing usual care with digital therapeutics in collaboration with the digital health communications section Another workshop entitled . Obesity: the greatest burden of the 21st Century and the post-pandemic. (with Nutrition and Environmental health sections)

Also, another accepted workshop entitled Long COVID: A myth or a reality? (with Infectious diseases section)

The selected Chairs for this year's The Ferenc Bojan prize for the best young research paper are both members of this section: Julian Mamo and Iveta Nagyova

# Other activities

### International participation in events on behalf of EUPHA

Collaboration with the European association of cancer leagues to organise a webinar for this year's public health week entitled Exploring the Link between Body weight and Cancer.

## World congress on public health – Rome, Italy, May 2023

Stranges S (organizer and speaker) "The integration of Occupational Medicine and Public Health to improve cardiovascular health in the workplace and community". World Congress on Public Health, Rome, Italy, May 3-6, 2023.

Stranges S (organizer) workshop: "The evolving chronic disease landscape: lessons for the post-pandemic world".

Stranges S (organizer). WORKSHOP: "Challenges in the Surveillance of Chronic Diseases in an Era of Big Data

Sarah Cuschieri represented this section and EUPHA at the "Sounding board of our Taxonomy of Obesity as an NCD initiative" organised by EASO in January 2023.

Sarah Cuschieri also had a poster presentation during the World Congress of Public Health in Rome, in May 2023

#### Invited talks



Stranges S. "Epidemiology and Prevention of Chronic Disease: A Global Journey". Department of Global Public Health & Bioethics, Julius Center for Health Sciences and Primary Care, University Medical Center Utrecht, The Netherlands, February 16, 2023.

Stranges S. "Role of Lifestyles in Cardiometabolic Risk Management: Current and Future Perspectives". Metabolic Medicine Laboratory, Holiday Inn, Cava dei Tirreni, Italy, February 24, 2023

General communications with section members: 3 newsletters sent during the year

The Annual Join the Network meeting on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023