



Annual report 2022/23

EUPHA section on Ethics in Public Health (EUPHA-ETH)

Goals for 2023/24

1. Continued collaboration with other EUPHA sections, UK FPH, ASPHER and other partners to advance the discourse, scholarship and practice in public health ethics
2. An increased visibility and participation in the 2024 EUPHA conference and other fora.
3. Continue to collaborate and support other EUPHA sections and other stakeholders to support their consideration of ethical issues in their activities

Collaboration with section members

Section members were encouraged to collaborate submitting proposals for the EPH2023 conference and to communicate with help of the section among each other to initiate projects on public health ethics.

The section has a steering committee/core group who meets regularly.

The section has collaborated and supported initiatives and activities around public health ethics in various countries

Activities at the EPH conference Dublin 2023

Workshops accepted: overview

Thu 9th 9:00-10:00 *Liffey Hall 2*

1.B. - Workshop: Exploring vaccine hesitancy in Europe: understanding complexities and determinants

EUPHA Public Health Epidemiology; EUPHA Ethics in Public Health; EUPHA Infectious Disease Control; UK Faculty of Public Health

Chairperson(s): Angelo Maria Pezzullo (*EUPHA-EPI*), Farhang Tahzib (*EUPHA-ETH*)

Vaccine hesitancy in Europe: the long and winding road

Chiara Cadeddu (Italy)

Socioeconomic inequalities in the uptake of COVID-19 vaccination in Hungary; context and public health implications

Beatrix Oroszi (Hungary)

Vaccine hesitancy among migrants and refugees in Europe: from the local to global perspective

Maria Ganczak (Poland)

Delving into vaccine hesitancy through multicentre studies: VAX-TRUST and INF-ACT projects' insights

Giuseppina Lo Moro (Italy)

The value of BAME health professional networks in tackling vaccine hesitancy

Samia Latif (United Kingdom)

Thu 9th 10:30-11:30 *Wicklow Hall 2A*

2.H. - Pro/con workshop: Whether AI will decrease health inequalities or deepen them?

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Chairperson(s): Farhang Tahzib (*EUPHA-ETH*), Monica Brînzac (*EUPHANxt*)

Silviya Yankulovska (Bulgaria)

Els Maeckelberghe (EUPHA-ETH)

Thu 9th 16:40-17:40 *Liffey Hall 1*

4.A. - Workshop: Public health interventions to counteract unhealthy diets towards a better consumer knowledge

EUPHA Public health and law, EUPHA Food and nutrition, EUPHA Health literacy, and EUPHA Ethics Sections

Chairperson(s): Els Maeckelberghe (*EUPHA-ETH*), Orkan Okan (*EUPHA-HP*)

Nutritional and non-nutritional content in food: targets for front-to-package labels

Giuseppe Grosso (EUPHA-FN)

Front-to-package labels relevance for policy: the Nutri-Score as case study

Serge Hercberg (France)

Regulatory approaches to front-of-pack nutrition labelling

Nikhil Gokani (EUPHA-LAW)

Advantages of harmonised front-of-pack nutrition labelling for stakeholders

Amandine Garde (EUPHA-LAW)

Food and Nutrition Literacy as means to fight against inequalities in diet and nutrition

Guglielmo Bonaccorsi (Italy)

Fri 10th 15:10-16:10 Wicklow Meeting Room 5

7.Q. - Round table: Is public health possible when LGBTQI+ individuals are criminalised? A roundtable and call to action

EUPHA-SGMH; EUPHA-LAW; EUPHA-ETH; EUPHA-GH; EUPHAnxt

Chairperson(s): Arjan van der Star (*EUPHA-SGMH*), David Patterson (*Netherlands*)

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Els Maeckelberghe (EUPHA-ETH)

Elena Petelos (EUPHA-HTA)

Sat 11th

11:40-12:40

Liffey Meeting Room 3

10.E. - Round table: Public health and climate change: a litigation toolkit for public health practitioners

EUPHA-LAW / EUPHA-ENV / EUPHA-ETH / EUPHA Global Health / Faculty of Public Health (UK) / Groningen Centre for Health Law

Chairperson(s): Chiara Cadeddu (*Italy*), Brigit Toebes (*Netherlands*)

David Patterson (Netherlands)

Farhang Tahzib (EUPHA-ETH)

Scott Burris (United States)

Anya Gopfert (United Kingdom)

Monica Brînzac (EUPHAnxt)

Sat 11th

13:50-14:50

Liffey B

11.G. - Skills building seminar: Navigating the ocean of data: unpacking ethical values in Health Technology Assessment

EUPHA-HTA; EUPHA-ETH; EUPHAnxt; HTAi

Chairperson(s): Chiara de Waure (*EUPHA-HTA*), Jinane Ghattas (*EUPHAnxt*)

Elena Petelos (EUPHA-HTA)

Pietro Refolo (Italy)

Els Maeckelberghe (EUPHA-ETH)

Wija Oortwijn (Netherlands)

Other activities

- [Report: Variability in public health ethics education across Europe](https://www.fph.org.uk/media/3633/fph_ethics_report_08_22-1.pdf)
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- Collaboration preparation: Statement on front-of-pack nutrition labelling in the European Union
<https://eupha.org/repository/advocacy/2023/EUPHA%20Statement%20on%20FoPNL%20FINAL.pdf>
- Collaboration preparation: Solidarity with the Ugandan LGBT community
<https://www.wfpha.org/eupha-joined-wfpha-to-stand-in-solidarity-with-the-ugandan-lgbt-community-denounce-the-ugandan-anti-homosexuality-act-2023/>
- Member of the International Scientific Committee (ISC) of the 16th European Public Health Conference

- Advisor draft EUPHA Code of Conduct (following resolution EUPHA section council)

Annual meeting

Join the Network Dublin 2023: Friday November 10 22.50-13-50 Wicklow Hall

Minutes Join the Network Berlin 2022:

https://eupha.org/repository/sections/eph/ETH%20Final%20Berlin%20JTN_2022_minutes.pdf

General communications with section members

Section members were update via the section's Eupha mailman.

International participation in events on behalf of EUPHA