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## WORKSHOP

## The Digital Transformation of Healthcare in Europe

EU and WHO action and Countries' experiences

## Chairs: Professor Martin McKee, Professor Walter Ricciardi

## Thursday 29 November - h 9:00-10:30 - Linhart Hall

PROGRAMME:

The action of WHO and the EU on digital health

Hans Kluge Director, Division of Health Systems and Public Health – WHO Regional Office for Europe

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Countries' experiences on digital health

Arlete Monteiro IT Director, Ministry of Health - Portugal

Anna Odone, Carlo Signorelli Professors of Public Health, University Vita-Salute San Raffaele - Italy

Hannalore Taal Chief e-health specialist, Ministry of Health and Social Affairs - Estonia

The contribution of young generations to the digital transformation of health in Europe Stefan Buttigieg

Co-founder, Health 2.0 Malta - Malta

OBJECTIVES AND RATIONALE:

In April 2018 the European Commission published a Communication on Digital transformation of health and care in the digital single market. In June 2018 the WHO Regional Office for Europe launched the WHO-Europe initiative for Digitalization of Health Systems. As these policy documents will inform the EU action on healthcare for the coming years, it is important to: i) present and discuss their principles and content, ii) identify challenges and opportunities associated with their implementation at country-level, iii) report on Countries' best practices, and iii) identify knowledge, training and resources' gaps that need to be filled in order to achieve priorities and goals shared at EU level. The workshop aims at addressing these points thanks to contributions from EU, WHO/Europe and Member States representatives who will engage the audience in a fruitful debate on Europe Digital transformation of health

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