

Minutes Join the network meeting 11th November 2022

EUPHA Public health genomics section (EUPHA-PHG)

Welcome

Section President Roberta Pastorino and Vice president Péter Pikó welcomed the participants to the annual meeting, thanked them for their work.

Agenda

- Presentation of the objectives of the section
- Presentation of the activities of the Section and its members
- Discussion of the proposals for the upcoming year

Activities of the section

- The Section organized the webinar event on the launch of a Survey of citizens' attitudes on personalised medicine in the European Union - **Friday 20th May at 10:00 (CET)** <https://eupha.org/newsletter.php?issue=172>.

The aim of this survey is to gather the views of citizens in European Union member states on personalized medicine. We would like to understand citizens' views on the use of their healthcare and lifestyle data, including genetic data and the sharing of such data. We would like to learn your views on how Personalized medicine may be applied in health care. With the results of the survey, we aim to contribute to responsible use of Personalized medicine, making citizens' views available for policy to increase health benefits and reduce potential harms.

The survey has been translated into several languages (English, Spanish, French, Italian, Dutch, German) and can be completed at the following link:

<http://www.exactproject.net/site/index.php/news-events/129-survey-personalized-medicine>

- Within the European Joint Action on Cancer iPAAC (Innovative Partnership for Action Against Cancer), the Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore conducted a survey on public health professional members of EUPHA, aiming to understand the perspectives towards Direct-to-consumer genetic testing.
- The PHG section is involved in the activities of the “European network staff eXchange for integrAting precision health in the health Care sysTems” consortium (ExACT). ExACT is aimed at building a community of academic and non-academic institutions that generates high quality, multidisciplinary collaboration by exchanging knowledge in research and training activities on precision health. EUPHA is partner of the project.

- ❑ The PHG Section is involved in the activities of the “PeRsOnalized Prevention roadmap for the future HEalThcare (PROPHET)” project. Horizon Europe of the European Commission, HORIZON-HLTH-2021- STAYHLTH-01vA. The overall objective of PROPHET is co-create with stakeholders a Personalized Prevention Roadmap for the future healthcare, in order to support the definition and implementation of innovative, sustainable and high-quality personalized strategies that are effective in preventing chronic diseases.

Annual report

A summary report of the Section's work this year was written.

Ideas for workshop activities next year. Suggestions from participants

- Multiomics, potentials for prevention
- Polygenic risk score
- Gene-environment interaction
- Genomic data infrastructure
- Genomic technology

List of attendants

- Roberta Pastorino
- Péter Pikó
- Stefania Boccia
- Flavia Beccia
- Annalisa Calabrò
- Valentina Baccolini
- Angelica Valzgris
- Heiko Schmenyler
- Sasan Amini
- Lisa De Pasquale
- Daniele Rasadini
- Irene Amoruso
- Marco Fonzo
- Rachel Elends
- Eelio Franza