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## THEME 3: ICT FOR HEALTH, AGEING WELL AND INCLUSION Objective 3.4

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# eHealth in CIP ICT –PSP Policy Snapshot

- “Telemedicine for the benefit of patients, healthcare systems and society” COM (2008) 689 final
- Digital Agenda for Europe
- European Innovation Partnership on Active and Healthy Ageing
- eHealth Action Plan 2011
- Council conclusions on safe and efficient healthcare through eHealth –(Dec 2009)
- Council conclusions on innovative approaches for chronic diseases - (Dec 2010)
- eHealth Governance Initiative

## Empowerment and Telehealth

# Overall Objective of 3.4

## Empowering patients and supporting widespread deployment of telemedicine services

- **Build on results of ongoing initiatives:**
  - epSOS
  - Renewing Health
  - eHealth Governance Initiative
- **Work towards DAE goals (KA13)**
  - Undertake pilot actions to equip Europeans with secure online access to their medical health data by 2015
  - Achieve by 2020 widespread deployment of telemedicine services

## 3.4 a) empowering patients through secure online access by citizens to their medical / health records

- **The objective** is to **validate** services based on secure and user friendly online access by patients to their health data (in real life settings), to **evaluate** the benefits and prepare for their **wider deployment**.
- Who:
  - Minimum 4 independent legal entities from 4 different MS or Associated Countries
  - Key players involved in the provision of online eHealth services (incl. e-booking, referral tracking, chronic disease management support, repeat e-prescriptions...)
- What :
  - Health and economic evaluation of services
  - Business model for long term sustainability
  - Recommendations for minimum set of services and their EU-wide implementation

## 3.4 b) – Supporting widespread deployment of telemedicine services

- **The objective** is to facilitate good practice exchange; build stakeholder consensus; prepare commitments on actions to lift barriers to widespread telemedicine deployment
- Who:
  - Minimum 7 independent legal entities from 7 MS or Associated Countries
  - Experts: national telemedicine associations, MS and Associated Countries, patient organisations, health professional orgs
- What :
  - Specific guidelines to accelerate telemedicine deployment – to achieve widespread deployment by 2020
  - Addressing legal, organisational, technical, market related issues

# Thank you

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