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**COVER NOTE**

**2.2 Future of MyHealth@EU**

**1. Issue at stake**

To hear the Member States views about MyHealth@EU and strategy to make it a part of the European Health Data Space (pillar on the use of data for healthcare).

The eHMSEG Chairs will present the member states perspective in regards the importance of the eHDSI infrastructure and cooperation built through the years.

eHealth Network needs to discuss the strategic vision for MyHealth@EU in the medium and long run.

**2. Summary**

The eHDSI was set up under the Connecting Europe Facility Work Programme 2015. Since that time, most of the Member States have committed to implement the cross border exchanges of structured ePrescription and patient Summary. During last years all MS worked on their national digital health solutions having in mind the cross border component. Additionally, they have learnt that cross border dimension of services requires specific legal provisions, so the national legislation have to be amended. Currently, there is a lot of experience in member States and secure infrastructure in place, so the future use cases can be implemented much quicker.

At the same time, in the context of the European Health Data Space, cross-border sharing of health data should become a fundamental pillar for patients' access and control over their health data. The new technologies, including mobile applications, have changed the landscape of providing healthcare.

**3. Format of procedure in the meeting**

The eHealth Network is invited to reflect how MyHealth@EU should evolve in the medium and long run. Questions for discussion:

- Who should have access to it (healthcare professionals, patients, other categories?)
- On what format data should be shared ? Should one start moving towards mobile formats?
- What type of data should be shared? (beyond patient summaries, ePrescriptions, images, laboratory results, discharge letters)
- Should new services be added? (eg telemedicine)

- How the link with other services should be ensured? (e.g. CPMS?)
- Should the NCPeH be allowed to be used for other purposes than only European cross-border data exchanges? (e.g. regional cross-border exchange).