EU4Health programme
for a healthier and safer Union

Building on the lessons learned from the COVID-19 crisis, EU4Health is an ambitious and dedicated funding programme for 2021-2027 to build resilient health systems in the EU to better equip us for the future. Through EU4Health, the EU will invest **€9.4 billion** in:

**Tackling cross-border health threats**

- Ensure prevention, preparedness, surveillance and response to cross-border health threats
- Build emergency reserves of medicines, medical devices and other health supplies
- Establish a Union health emergency team to provide expert advice and technical assistance in case of a health crisis
- Coordinate emergency health care capacity

**Making medicines available and affordable**

- Make medicines, medical devices and other critical health supplies available and affordable for patients and health systems
- Advocate prudent and efficient use of medicines such as antimicrobials
- Support innovative medical products and greener manufacturing
Strengthening health systems

- Improve accessibility, efficiency and resilience of health systems
- Reduce inequalities in accessing health care
- Tackle non-communicable diseases such as cancer by improving diagnosis, prevention and care
- Exchange of best practices on health promotion and disease prevention
- Scale up networking through the European Reference Networks and extend it to infectious and non-communicable diseases
- Support global cooperation on health challenges to improve health, reduce inequalities and increase protection against global health threats

Funding for health policy priorities will also be available via

European Fund for Regional Development
European Social Fund Plus
Horizon Europe
Digital Europe Programme
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