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The European Commission supports actions to address health inequalities:

1) Between member states
2) Within member states

The area is covered by a European Commission communication ‘Solidarity in Health: Health Inequalities in the EU’ published in October 2009.
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The European Commission supported:
The Joint Action on Health inequalities
https://eurohealthnet.eu/hpe/equity-action-joint-action

European Parliament agreed funding for a pilot project on health inequalities.
UK Health Forum is leading the contract.
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1. Scientific reviews of interventions that work to address inequalities in nutrition, physical activity, and alcohol consumption.

2. Case studies of effective practice – from reformulation, to junk food tax, to city wide obesity programmes.


4. Workshops
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Workshops:
Based on evidence, supportive of change, tailored to circumstances.
Our job is to help you find your way forward..
To consider how you can better address health inequalities
Your job is to explore the possibilities.
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Health Inequalities

1. A social justice issue – no-one left behind
2. An issue for productive workforce
3. Make the most difference where there is the most opportunity.

Pay attention to health inequalities (social gradient, excluded groups, deprived areas)
HEALTH EQUITY PILOT PROJECT

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