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## Newsletter 1

# CoofHea2

# Cooperation for Health 2

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Dear readers,

Welcome to the 1st edition of the CoofHea2 project newsletter.

The purpose of this bulletin is to inform you about the milestones of the project, the challenges it aims to address and the progress achieved during its implementation.

Happy reading!



# BASIC INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROJECT

## About CoofHea2

In the context of the urgent measures to limit the spread of the coronavirus that were the target of initiatives at the EU level as well as of the Greek State, significant changes were sought and made in the way health units operate, including the processes they were asked to implement and constantly evolve, regarding the case management of Covid and long-Covid patients. In this direction, the project entitled COOperation For HEAlth 2 (CoofHea 2) is implemented. CoofHea 2 is an EU co-funded cooperation program under the Interreg territorial cooperation program V - A Greece – Italy 2014 – 2020.

## The Main Goal

CoofHea2 aims to capacity building for the transfer and exchange of know-how between Greece and Italy, taking into account the legal limitations of the two countries, focusing also on the sustainability of these practices.

## The Individual Objectives of the Project

- ✓ Strengthening cross-border networking, seeking to present innovative applications in response to the difficulties that have arisen for hospital units due to the pandemic.
- ✓ Creation of a permanent network of cooperation between the health systems of the regions of Apulia, the Ionian Islands, Epirus and Western Greece.

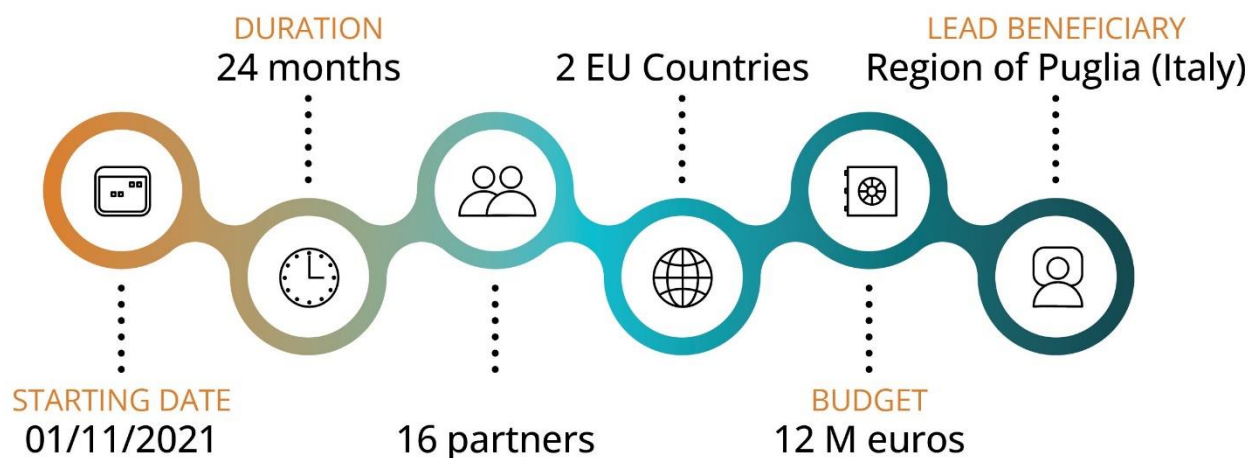
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- ✓ Supply of special medical equipment for the thirteen Hospitals participating in the project.
- ✓ eHealthPass platform which is a valuable tool for the immediate and safe management of patients with Covid-19, during and after the period of illness, through digital telemetry services.
- ✓ Strengthening the digital skills of healthcare professionals.
- ✓ Preparation of studies based on the epidemiological data of post-Covid and long-Covid patients, as will result from the pilot application of the project's systems and online tools.

## MAIN FACTS AND FIGURES



## WORKSHOP (CAPACITY BUILDING)

**27 – 28/4/2023, Bari, Italy**

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In the context of the project and the close cooperation of the two countries in the health sector, the Greek delegation of CoofHea2 traveled on April 27-28, 2023 to Bari, Italy to conduct a Capacity Building workshop. The object of Capacity Building was the demonstration of the Italian telemedicine platform COREHealth, which is already piloting in some hospitals in the Apulia Region. The participants had the opportunity to visit and watch a demonstration of the operation of the platform, in the Breast Unit of the Perino Hospital.

Furthermore, there was a presentation of the Greek eHealthPass platform (by [Gnomon Informatics](#)), which is going to operate as a pilot in three hospitals:

- ✓ University General Hospital of Patras,
- ✓ University General Hospital of Ioannina,
- ✓ "G. Chatzikostas" General Hospital of Ioannina.

Both platforms offer a multitude of benefits to patients and healthcare professionals, while through capacity building there was an exchange of opinions, good practices, know-how, identification of common views and goals for further implementation in the future, as well as the prevention and management of common problems for the implementation of digital health services and telemedicine services.

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## **CoofHea2 PROJECT COMPLETION CONFERENCE**

### **SAVE THE DATE: 6/10/2023**

On October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023, the CoofHea2 project completion conference will take place, which will be held at the Conference & Cultural Center of the University of Patras, in Patras.

The aim of the conference will be to provide information on the tools developed in the context of the project, as well as on the results after the pilot operation of the project tools and the scientific studies.

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