

# Amended Draft Proposal/ Work in Progress– Future Joint Action on the Development of the European Guide on Quality Improvement in Comprehensive Cancer Control

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# OBJECTIVES

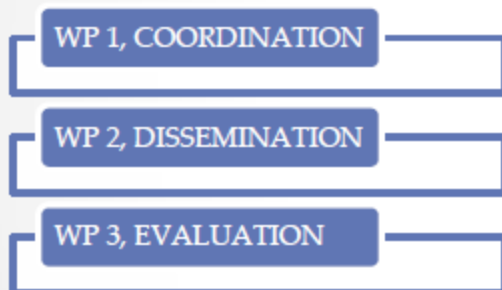
- 1) To identify key elements and quality standards for optimal/comprehensive cancer control in Europe.
- 2) Cooperation of Member States, including the exchange of best practices to identify and define key elements to ensure optimal/comprehensive cancer control through a platform for Member State cooperation.

# KEY DELIVERABLE

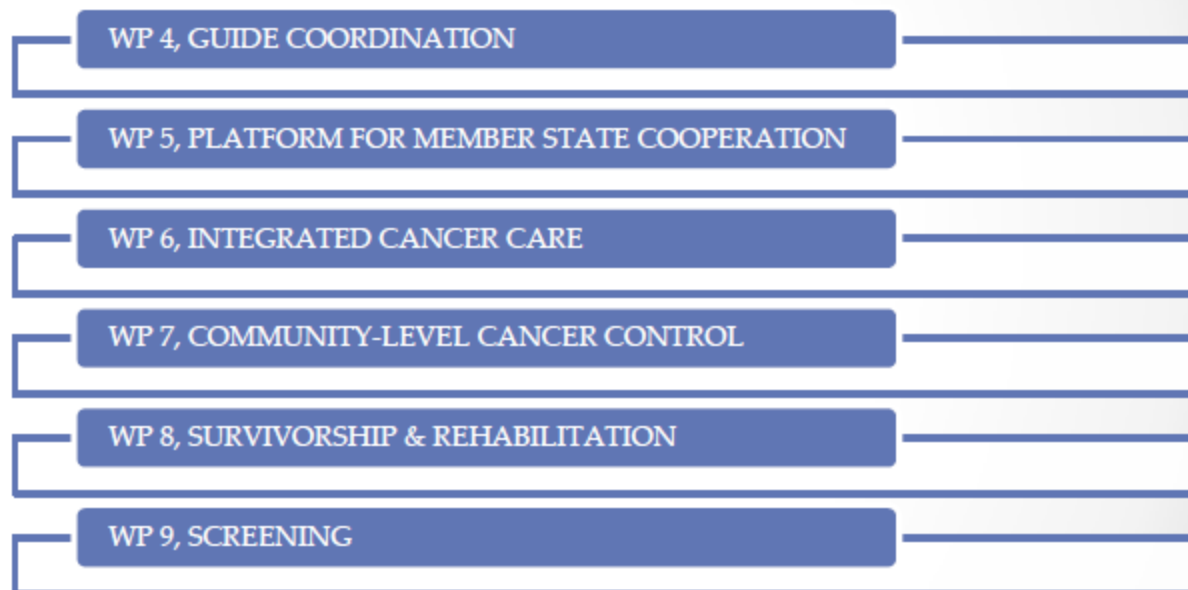
- **The 'European Guide on Quality Improvement in Comprehensive Cancer Control'**
- The Guide will act as a European benchmark, providing a roadmap or strategy to optimize cancer control.

# WORK PACKAGE STRUCTURE

## HORIZONTAL WPs



## CORE WPs



# WP 4, GUIDE COORDINATION

- **Lead Partner: Belgium**
- Coordination of Guide development
- Organisation of Guide Coordination Committee meetings, Expert Workshops
- Methodology for guide chapters

# WP 5, PLATFORM FOR MEMBER STATE COOPERATION

- **Lead Partner: Belgium**

- Objectives:
  - - A forum for debate and discussion of different viewpoints with regard to a particular subject
  - -Facilitation of mutual information exchange across all levels
  - - Identification of common elements in the approaches across MS
  - - Debate on the usefulness of the already existing knowledge

# WP 6, INTEGRATED CANCER CARE

- **Lead Partner: Italy**
- Interested countries: RO, EE, HR, IE, FR, FI, ES (?)
- Chapters covered:
  - Cancer care, e.g.:
    - Organisational aspects of cancer care
    - Comprehensive cancer care
    - Treatment and follow-up
    - Personalised medicine and future developments
    - Paediatric cancer care
    - Rare cancer care
    - Psychosocial support and rehabilitation
  - ...
- Cancer information and data

# WP 7, COMMUNITY-LEVEL CANCER CONTROL

- **Lead Partner: Slovenia**

- Chapters covered:

- Primary care and cancer management
- Prevention (?) and early diagnosis

- Objectives:

- Developing approaches to support better cancer management and solutions that would increase role of primary care in comprehensive cancer management
- Exchange of EU best practices to be promoted at EU level





# WP 8, SURVIVORSHIP & REHABILITATION

- **Lead Partner: France (tbc)**
- Interested countries: BE, PT
- Objective: to develop a rehabilitation and survivorship plan. Proposed structure based on "patient categorization (fully cured/ not cured (chronic cancer) /advanced phase)
- For cured patient : needs to address : surveillance, sequels (late side effects), permanent or temporary disabilities, need (late) side-effects, prevention of recurrence, psycho – social needs (distress mgt scale), return to work- reintegration to productive life
- For chronic patients (mgt of cancer as chronic disease, disability, return to work while being treated, etc)
- For advanced stage patients (supportive and palliative care

# WP 9, SCREENING

- **Lead Partner: Finland**
- Focus:
- Population-based screening programmes in relation to National Cancer Control Plans
- Specific subjects/objectives to be further developed