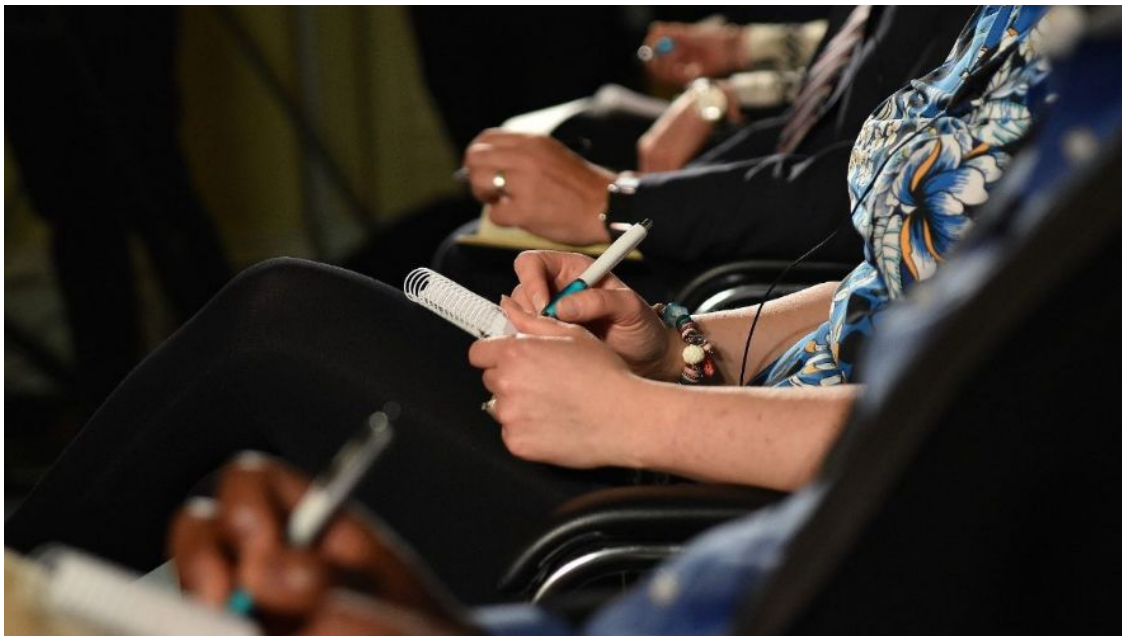


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Invitation to EU4Health stakeholders seminar

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Dear Members,

on behalf of **MEP Cristian-Silviu Buşoi**, it is our pleasure to invite you for **EU4Health stakeholders online seminar** taking place on **11th June at 14:00 CEST**. Please register via email:

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Please read the official invitation here:

Dear friends, dear invitees,

Over the past years, as the responsible for the Health Programme I have been continuously expressing my concerns on the budgetary dilution and withdrawal of the EU Health Program as

encompass dimensions that go far beyond different EU policies, as they relate directly to fundamental rights.

COVID-19 crisis has clearly proven European Union's need for well-defined and adequately-financed policy instruments. Accordingly, I welcome the Commission's proposal to establish a stand alone health programme, entitled Health4Europe Programme in the next MFF, with a very ambitious budget.

I would like to reiterate that only a separate and ambitious Health Program with a robust budget within the next Multiannual Financial Framework 2021-2027 will have the capacity to deliver on forthcoming worrying realities, future pandemics and health threats, and help to make our health systems more resilient. Current and future pandemics, inequalities in access to healthcare, antimicrobial resistance, medicine shortages, disease prevention, chronic diseases, health promotion, research and innovation in the health sector, emerging technologies, and our first health mission on cancer under Horizon Europe, represent subjects of great public interest that require reinforced EU coordination.

How we deal with Health has a direct impact on European people's daily lives, welfare and very decisive, on their trust in the European Union and its representatives. Particularly important, the current crisis has highlighted our urgent necessity to strengthen the resilience of national health systems and make the transition from a disease-centred to a patient-centred approach.

Therefore, dear friends and invitees, I ask for your attendance and support to contributing for a reinforced, robust and ambitious Health Program that has the capacity to face the forthcoming worrying realities and health threats, such as pandemics, inequalities in access to healthcare, shortages, antimicrobial resistance, disease prevention and health promotion, chronic diseases, and emerging technologies.

In my capacity as the Rapporteur of the Parliament on the Health4Europe Programme, it is with pleasure to invite you to **a seminar discussion on the future EU4Health Programme**, the stand-alone programme in the field of health proposed by the Commission at the end of May.

The seminar will be held on the Zoom Platform, **Thursday, 11th of June, starting from 14h00**. To share your interest and availability to participate at the seminar please contact my office and you will receive the Zoom link in order to login the meeting. (RSVP: Ms Semanaru cristina-mihaela.semanaru@europarl.europa.eu, Ms Covaci elisabeta-ana.covaci@europarl.europa.eu)

Best regards and looking forward to your participation,

Cristian Buşoi MEP, ITRE Chair
Rapporteur for EU4Health Programme



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