

Establishing National Cancer Mission Hubs: Networks and Synergies



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Cancer: a societal challenge



One of Europe's top five major societal challenges

Europe accounts for a tenth of the world's population, and a quarter of the world's cancer cases.

New cancer cases expected to increase more than 25% in Europe by 2035 if no actions are taken

Better and equitable prevention and diagnosis, treatment and care, survival rates and post-cancer quality of life¹ actions are needed

Cancer: a political commitment

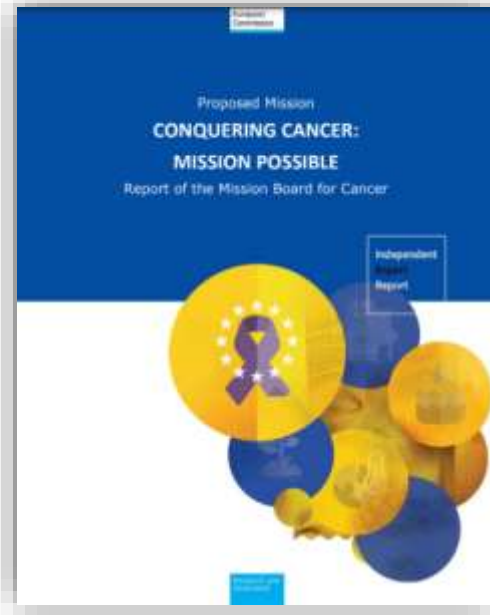


“I will put forward a European **plan to fight cancer**, to support Member States in improving cancer control and care”

(President Ursula von der Leyen’s [political guidelines](#), July 2019)



Stella Kyriakides
commissioner for
Health and Food Safety



Mariya Gabriel
Commissioner for Innovation, Research,
Culture, Education and Youth

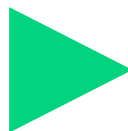


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National Cancer Mission Hubs



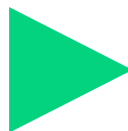
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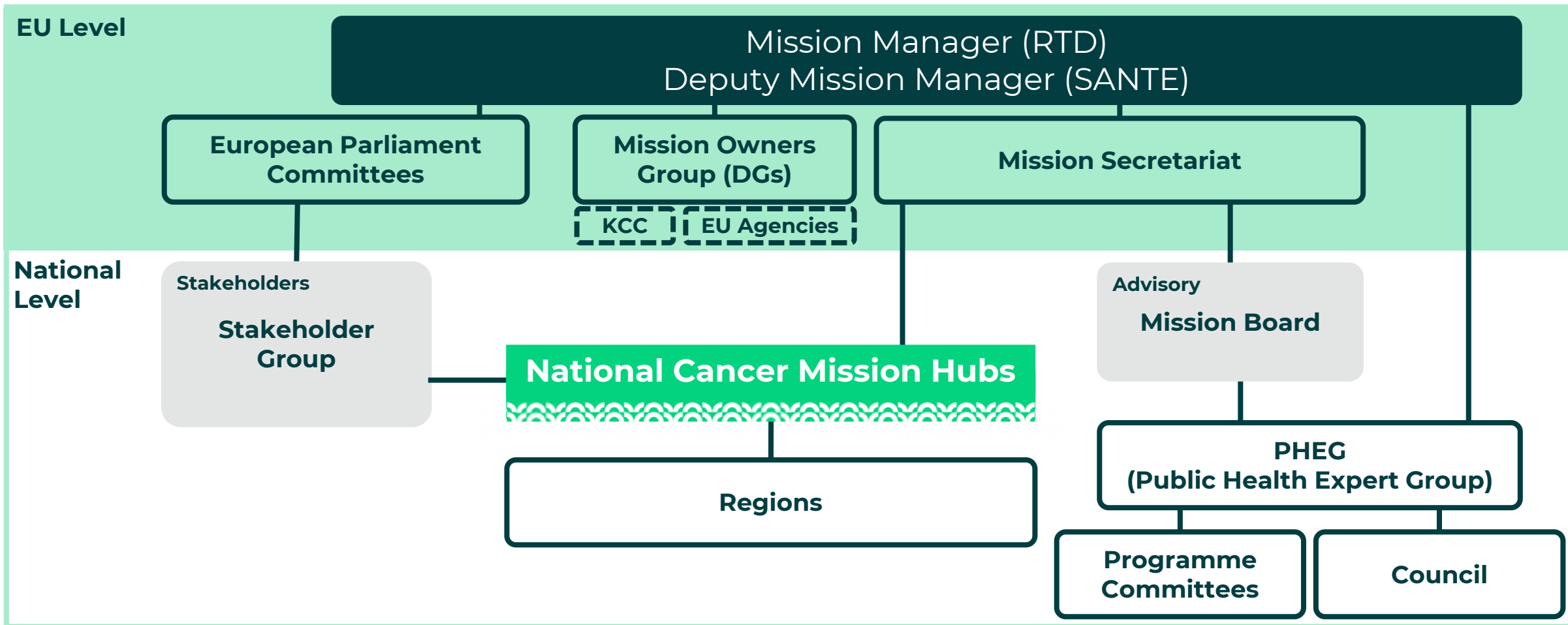
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National Cancer Mission Hubs



www.cancermissionhubs.eu

Mission on Cancer - governance¹



ECHoS in Brief

AIM:
Establishing National Cancer Mission Hubs in all MS & AC

How?

Building on existing structures or by creating new ones

Integrating Mission Activities in **National / Regional / Local** levels

All Relevant Stakeholders:
Citizens
Patients
Researchers
Innovators
Health Organisations
...

Target

Raises **Awareness** to Mission on Cancer

A Challenge to...

Go beyond research and innovation

Go beyond health systems

How?

Implement **New Participatory Formats**

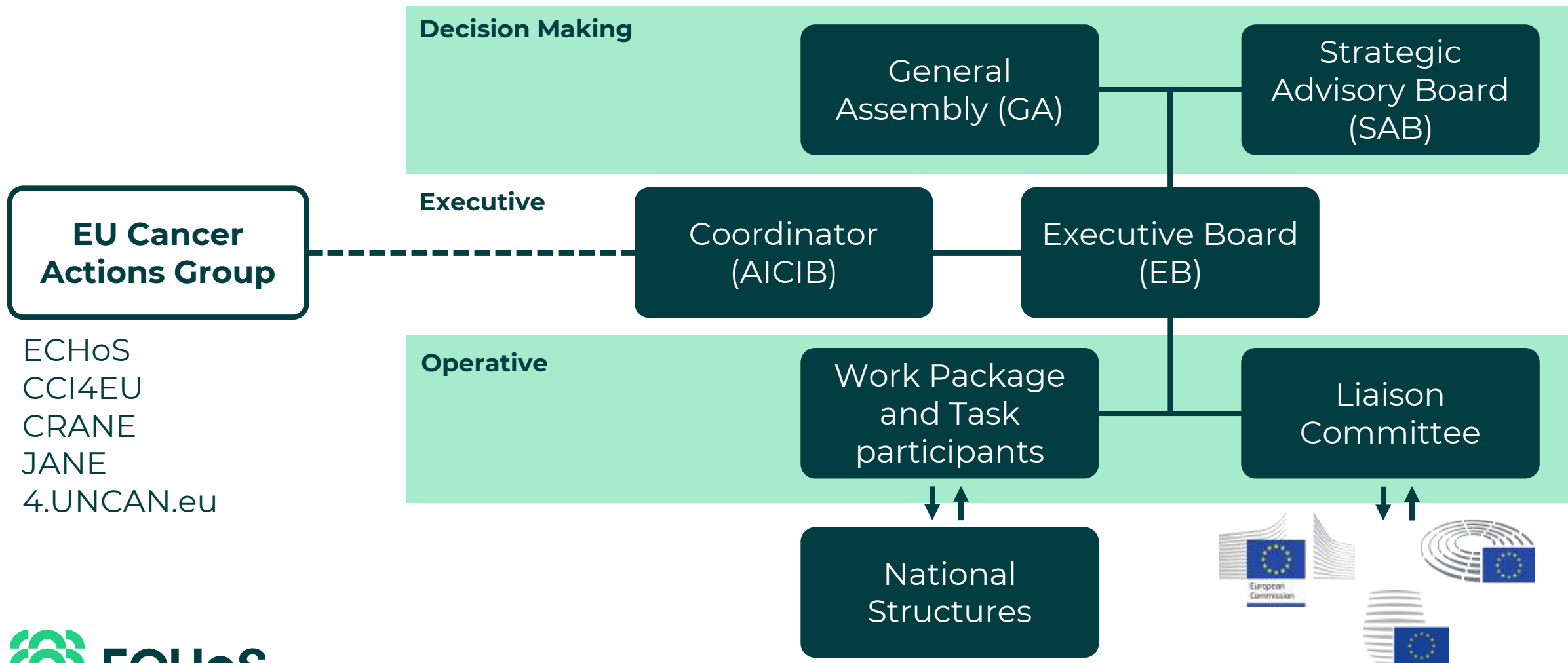
Engage all relevant stakeholders in **Policy Dialogues**

Get Support from... Build Synergies with...

Network to support Mission on Cancer

EBCP
NCP network
NFP network
EU4Health Missions
TRAMI

Governance Structure



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JANE
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ECHoS Partners



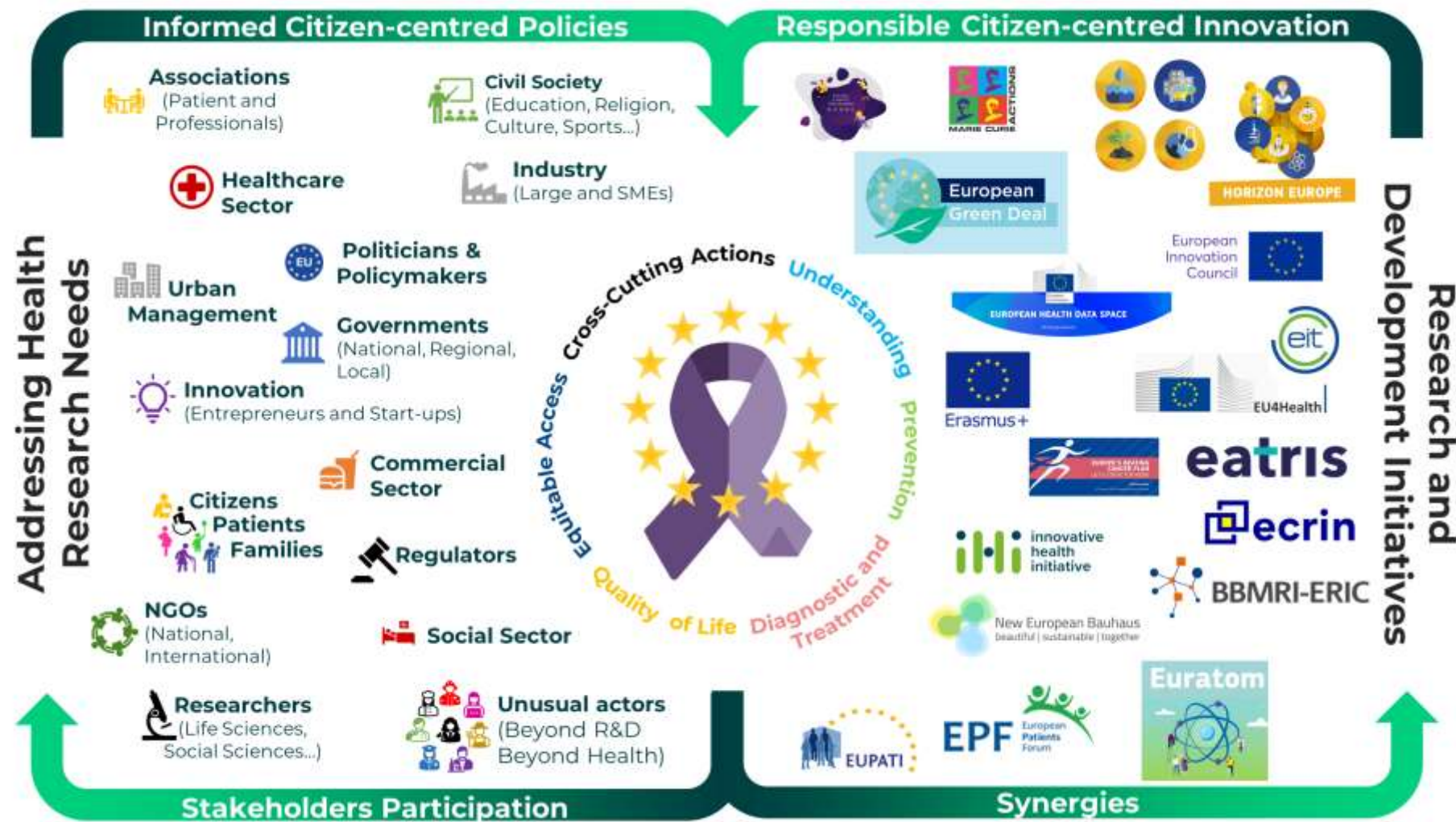
28 Countries/ 57 organisations

Austria, Belgium, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Türkiye



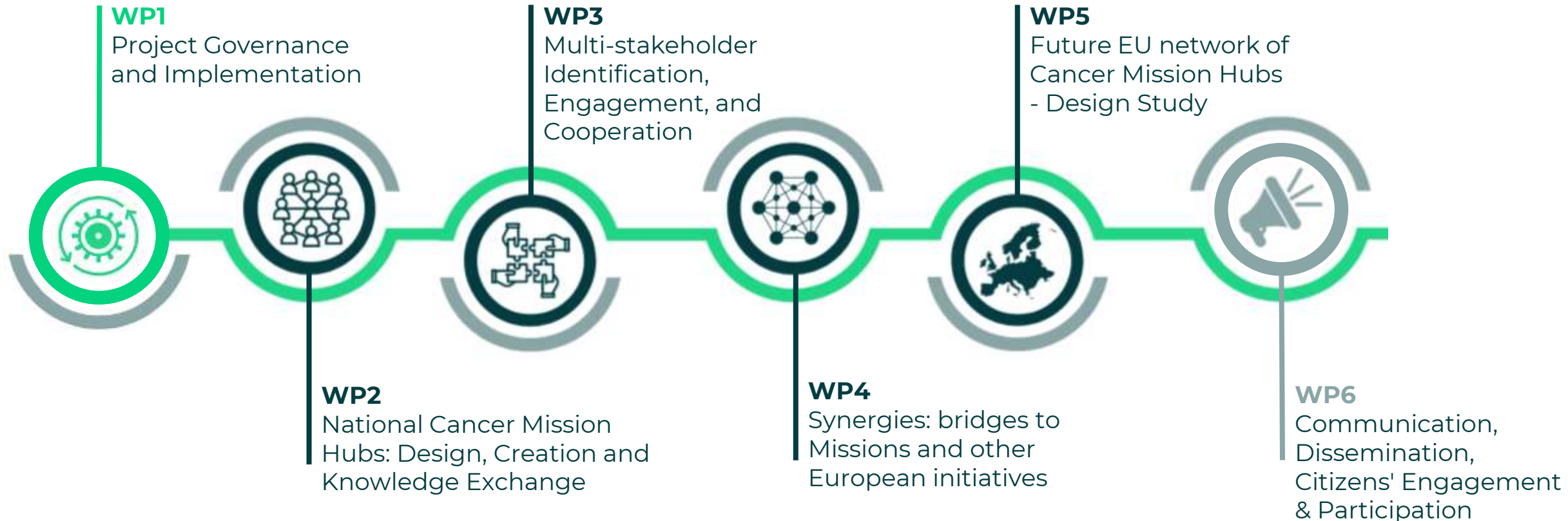
30 Countries/ 61 organisations www.cancermissionhubs.eu

National Cancer Mission Hubs



Co-Creation | Co-Development | Co-Assessment

ECHoS Structure



WP2 - Map existing Structures



Yes	In the process	No
Austria	Czech Republic	Croatia
Belgium	Finland	Cyprus
France	Italy	Estonia
Germany	Latvia	Greece
Hungary	Luxembourg	Ireland
Israel	Malta	Slovenia
Lithuania	Poland	
Norway	Slovakia	
Portugal	Sweden	
Romania	The Netherlands	
Spain		
Türkiye		



ECHoS & NCMH - Greece

Context

According to the ECIS¹, the number of people newly diagnosed with cancer will increase to more than **3,24 million** by 2040.

In **Greece...**

By 2022:



63 176
Incidence

By 2040:

↑ 70 438
+11,5%



32 223
Mortality

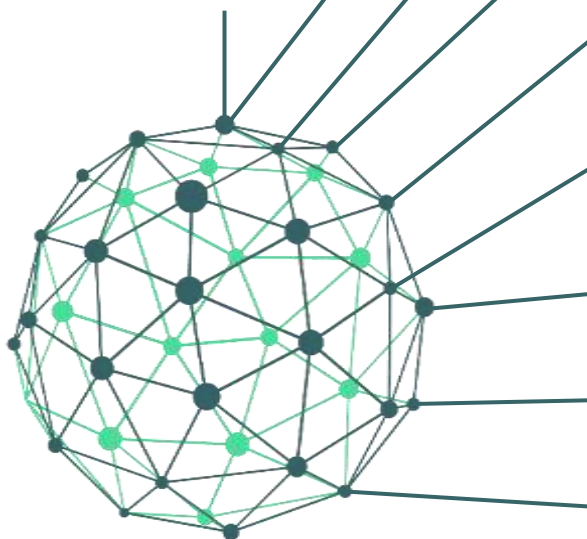
↑ 37 788
+17,3%



Opportunity



National Cancer
Mission Hub



National and European
visibility

European **Dialogues**
on Cancer

Coordination with
Key Actors

Knowledge & Expertise
Sharing

Raise Cancer
Awareness

Equity in healthcare
access

Synergies

European
Networks



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DOCUMENTATION
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1. ECIS - European Cancer Information System, available at <https://ecis.jrc.ec.europa.eu/>

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