

# Foresee, adapt, transform.



## *Building the European health and social care systems of the future*



### **EUREGHA'S HIGH-LEVEL ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

**9 DECEMBER - FROM 14.00 TO 16.00**  
**Online event**

While the COVID 19 pandemic is still on-going, many will need to continue to respond to the immediate needs of the crisis. However, the time is right to look beyond the immediate response and consider how we will approach longer term recovery and to start building the health and social care systems of the future. One of the key aspects will be to ensure the resilience of the health and social care systems, meaning their capacity to foresee, absorb, adapt, sustain operations, reach a different optimal performance, transform structure and functions.

Health and care systems are complex and to ensure their profound transformation we need to work parallel on several matters: healthcare workforce, community carers, medical products, infrastructures, technology, governance, and leadership.

Regional and local health authorities have been working on the transformation of the health and social care systems over the years to promote this shift towards a sustainable approach that leaves no one behind, especially the most vulnerable groups. Many innovations, both in terms of policies and services, are happening at territorial level: Value-Based healthcare, integrated care, eHealth, reform of the primary care, and cross-border cooperation in the health field, to name only a few. Yet there is the need to scale-up this knowledge at the EU level and to reinforce governance and leadership at all the government levels.

To discuss tools and strategies to ensure this transformation, EUREGHA's Annual Conference will bring together regional policy makers, researchers, EU civil servants and representatives of the health eco-systems

## Programme

- 13.50-14.00 **Connection to Zoom platform**
- 14.00-14.05 **Welcome and introduction from the moderator**  
**Nick Batey**, Chair of EUREGHA
- 14.05-14.20 **What is the future of our health and social care systems after the COVID-19 pandemic?**  
**Prof. Jan De Maeseneer**, Chair of the European Commission Expert Panel on Effective Ways of Investing in Health
- 14.20-14.35 **How to face future pandemics in an effective way? - The PERISCOPE project**  
**Prof. Andrea Renda**, Senior Research Fellow CEPS, Strategy Director PERISCOPE project - Pan-European Response to the ImpactS of COVID-19 and future Pandemics and Epidemics
- 14.35-15.30 **Paving the way towards health systems transformation: reinforce the regional ecosystem**  
**Brian O'Connor**, Chair of the European Connected Health Alliance  
**Ana Carriazo**, Senior Advisor at the Ministry of Health of Andalusia, Reference Site Collaborative Network  
**Solvejg Wallyn**, Policy Officer at Flemish Community - Agency Care and Public Health  
**Giovanni Gorgoni**, CEO of the Agenzia Regionale Strategica per la Salute e il Sociale Puglia, Italy  
**Andrea Pavlickova**, International Engagement Manager at TEC and Digital Healthcare Innovation, Scottish Government
- 15:30-15:45 **Q&A**
- 15.45-16.00 **Closing Remarks**  
**Maya Matthews**, Head of Unit B1 Performance of Health Systems, DG SANTE – European Commission

