

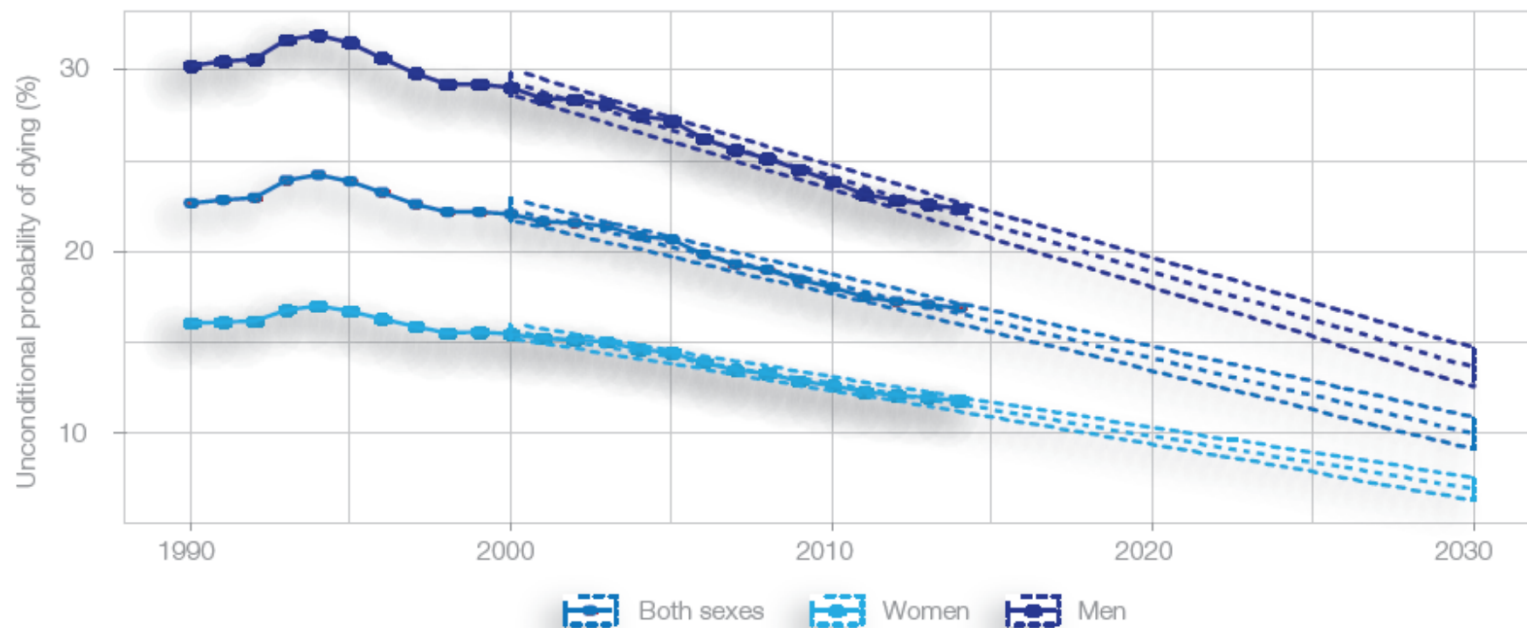
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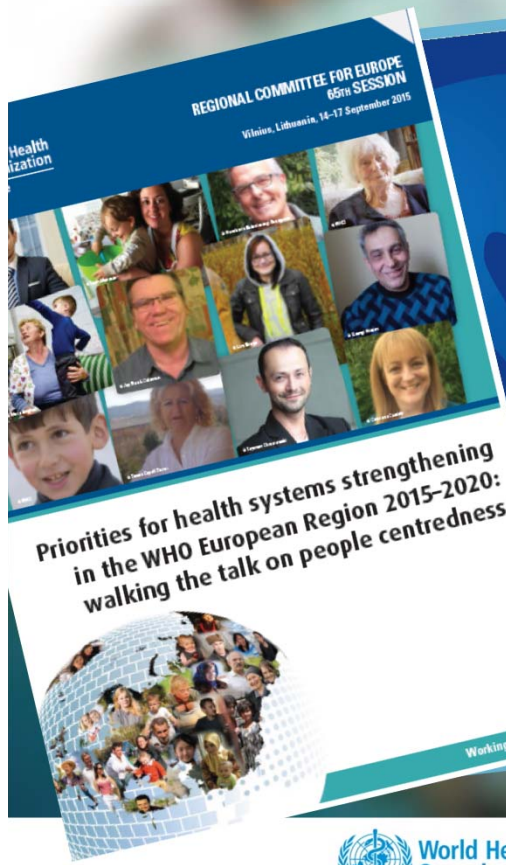
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The ambition

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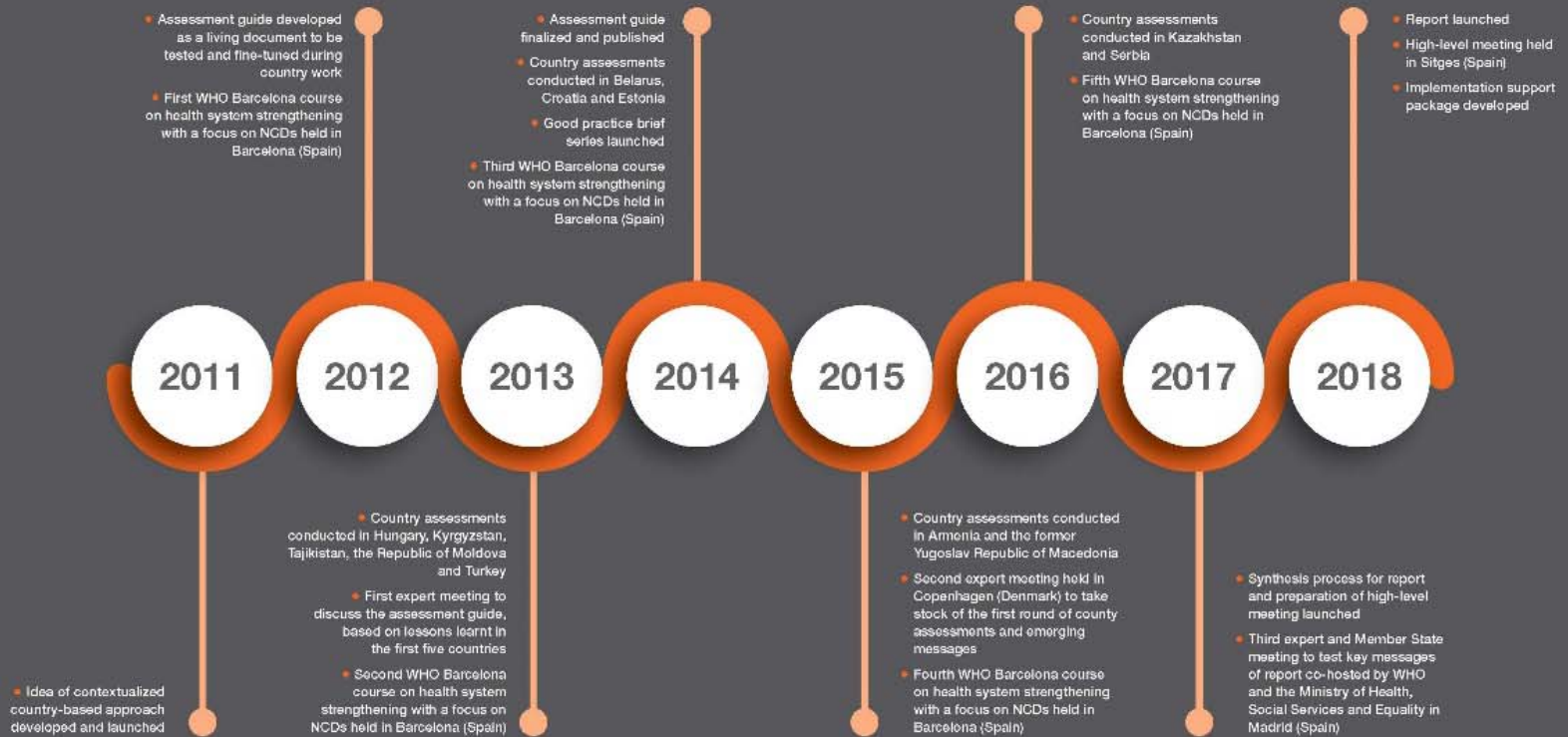
“The long-term nature of many NCDs demands a comprehensive health system response that brings together a trained workforce with appropriate skills, affordable technologies, reliable supply of medicines, referral system and empowerment of people for self-care, all, over a sustained period of time.”

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“A key requirement is a comprehensive approach to health system strengthening to deliver services for all common diseases during the life-time, with a patient centered mode of delivery.”

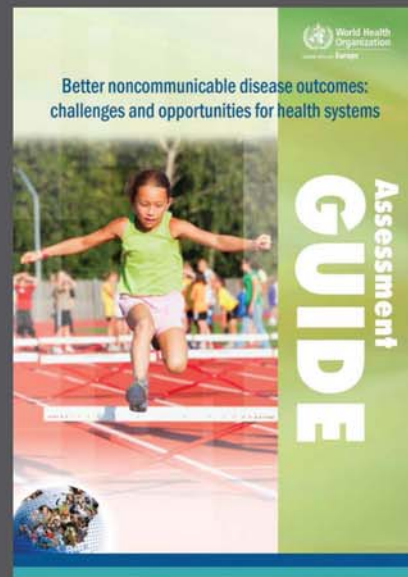
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Country assessments

Country assessments identify health system challenges to and opportunities for improving outcomes for noncommunicable diseases. The guide outlines a five-step process to arrive at policy-relevant and contextualized conclusions.





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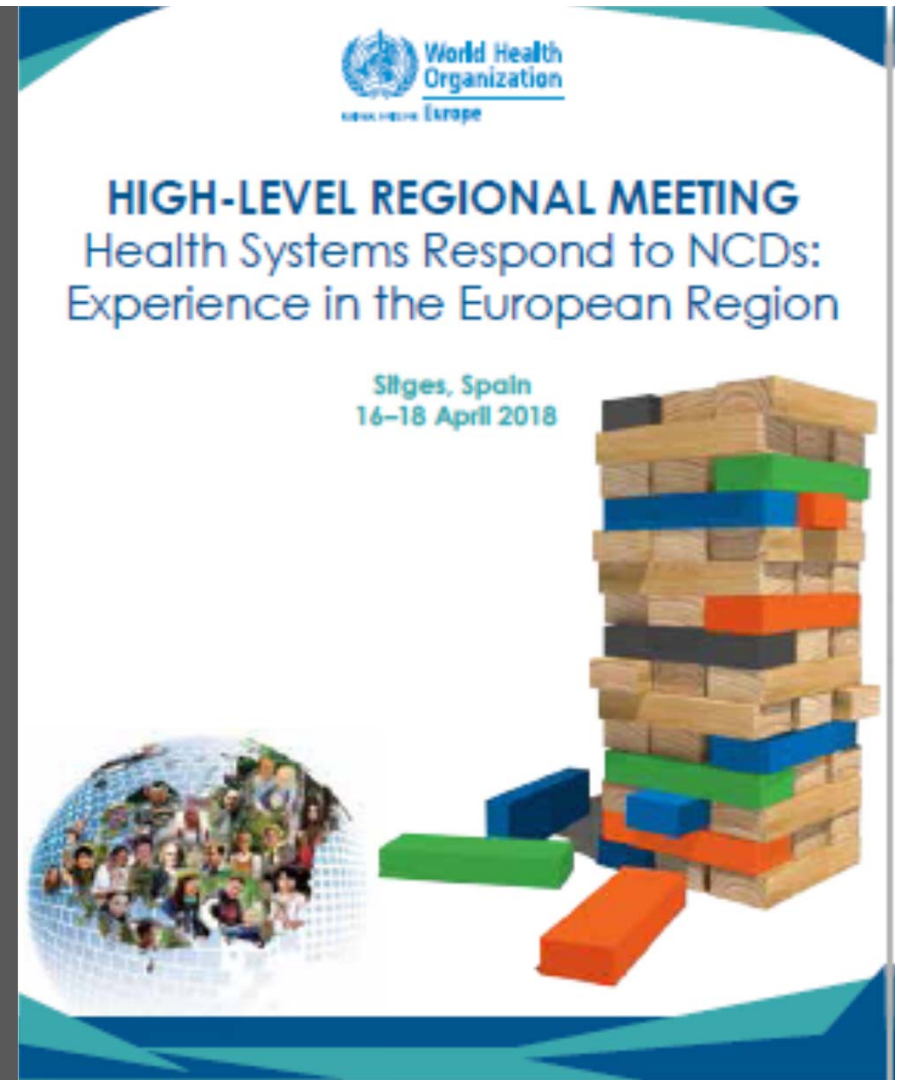


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