

## Background

At the 7<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of HEPA Europe in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, October 2011, the work programme for the period November 2011 to October 2012 was endorsed<sup>1</sup>. The state of affairs of these activities is summarized in this document. This short version is also available at [www.euro.who.int/hepaeurope](http://www.euro.who.int/hepaeurope).



## Overview of activities

Below, the state of affairs of the activities of the work programme 2011 / 2012 is summarized.

### 1.1 *Networking and cooperation*

Activity	State of affairs
Coordination and cooperation with other activities, projects, and networks	Implemented as planned, ongoing
Support and contributions to other conferences and events	No request for co-sponsorship; ongoing

### 1.2 *Information dissemination*

Activity	State of affairs
Maintenance and regular updating of the HEPA Europe website ( <a href="http://www.euro.who.int/hepaeurope">www.euro.who.int/hepaeurope</a> )	Implemented as planned, ongoing
Holding of the 8 <sup>th</sup> annual network meeting (27 September) and symposium (26 September) of HEPA Europe; Cardiff, United Kingdom	Implemented as planned, concluded
Dissemination of products and publications of HEPA Europe	Mostly implemented as planned, ongoing
Inventory of existing approaches, policy documents, and targets related to physical activity promotion	Partly implemented as planned, ongoing

<sup>1</sup> See Annex 5: Work programme 2010/2011. In: 6th annual meeting of HEPA Europe, European network for the promotion of health-enhancing physical activity. Report of a WHO meeting. 26 November 2010, Olomouc, Czech Republic. 2011, Copenhagen, WHO/Europe: p. 60-84 ([www.euro.who.int/hepaeurope](http://www.euro.who.int/hepaeurope)).

### 1.3 *Projects, reports and products*

<b>Activity</b>	<b>State of affairs</b>
Working group on national approaches for physical activity promotion	Mostly implemented as planned
Working group on exchange of experiences in physical activity and sports promotion in children	Implemented as planned
Working group on active aging: Physical activity promotion in the elderly	Implemented as planned
Working group on HEPA promotion in socially disadvantaged groups	Implementation ongoing, delayed
Working group on HEPA promotion in health care settings	Mostly implemented as planned
Working group on Sport Clubs for Health programme	Implemented as planned
Working group on occupational HEPA promotion	Implementation delayed, ongoing
Working group on HEPA promotion and injury prevention	Partly implemented, ongoing
Development of methods for quantification of health benefits from walking and cycling and dissemination	Implemented as planned
Working group on monitoring and surveillance of physical activity	Partly implemented

### 1.4 *Activities aimed at optimizing the network*

<b>Activity</b>	<b>State of affairs</b>
Implement partner management strategy and finalize member management strategy	Mostly implemented as planned, ongoing

### 1.5 *Possible activities to be launched later*

<b>Activity</b>	<b>State of affairs</b>
Development of a teaching course on physical activity and public health	Not implemented
Methodological guidance and practical approaches on economic valuation of transport-related health effects	Not implemented

### 1.6 *Publications*

<b>Activity</b>	<b>State of affairs</b>
4 publications (3 reports and other products, 1 HEPA Europe electronic news alerts) produced	Continuous activity