



European Health Property Network

**EUROPEAN HEALTH PROPERTY NETWORK  
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***Research and Evaluation for Care Infrastructure  
Closer to Home***

**Closing remarks**

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# **The Network was established in Brussels in October 2000**

The Founders

Representatives of

- Public Health National Institution of  
7 EU Countries
- European Investment Bank

# **The Remit of EuHPN**

- **Relate to EU Government**
- **And the Public Arena**
- **Make evident the importance of Health Property, often underestimated, as**
  - **outcome of strategy and of models of care**
  - **crucial factor in the delivery of care**

# Focus Points

- Models of care, care pathways, strategic planning
- Design criteria and best practice
- Public and Public/Private partnership in investment and procurement
- Building guidelines
- Building costs and life cycle models
- ICT

# Our Presence in the Healthcare Arena

- 21 Workshop
- 12 Thematic one day sessions
- Participation in Publications of WHO  
European Observatory
- Specific support and researches for  
partners
- Members in Consortia to implement EU  
funded projects

# Our Recent Contribution

- ***Edinburgh 2014***

***Thinking Differently About Healthcare Buildings:  
innovative infrastructure planning and design to improve the quality and  
safety of care.***

- ***Brussels 2015***

***Are We Getting Better? Evaluating Changes to Europe's Health Care  
Facilities: Methods, Tools and Case Studies***

- ***Madrid 2016***

***Healthcare Infrastructure for a Web of Care***

- ***Turin 2017***

***Future proofing Health System Infrastructure***

- ***Göteborg 2018***

***Research and evaluation for health infrastructures closer to home***

# General problems reflecting on the delivery of healthcare

- Reduction of resources
- Increase of needs
- Fragility of the traditional pillars of the healthcare systems
- Traditional difficulty in coping and absorbing with technology development
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# The Vision

## **EuHPN has:**

- a tremendous potential for exchange of ideas and experience within Europe with Workshops, one day meetings organised around specific problems
- the strategic knowledge base, coming from its experience, for increasing its impact on the definition of appropriate models of care in our countries