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1. List of abbreviations

Abbreviation	Term
AMC	Antimicrobial consumption
AMR	Antimicrobial resistance
AMS	Antimicrobial stewardship
ATC	Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical
CAUTIs	Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections
CDA	Clinical Document Architecture
CDISC	Clinical Data Interchange Standards Consortium
CDM	Common Data Model
CLABSI	central line-associated bloodstream infections
CR	Cancer Registry
CSV	Comma Separated Values
DCAT-AP	Application profile for data portals in Europe
DDD	Defined daily dose
DSC	Data Structure Converter
EARS-Net	European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network
ECDC	European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control
ECIS	European Cancer Information System
EEA	European Economic Area
EEHRxF	European Electronic Health Record exchange Format
EFSA	European Food Safety Authority
EHDS	European Health Data Space
EHR	Electronic Health Record
ENCR	European Network of Cancer Registries
ESAC-Net	European Surveillance of Antimicrobial Consumption Network
ESCMID	European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases
ESGAID	ESCMID study Group for Artificial intelligence and Digitalisation
ETL	Extraction Transformation Loading
EU	European Union
FHIR	Fast Healthcare Interoperability Resources
GDPR	General Data Protection Regulation
GP	General Practitioner
HAI	Healthcare-Associated Infection
HDAB	Health Data Access Bodies
HEALTHDCAT-AP	Health Data Catalog Vocabulary- Application Profile
HERA	European Commission's Health Emergency Preparedness and Response Authority
HL7	Health Level Seven
ICD	International Classification of Diseases
ICU	Intensive Care Unit
IPS	International Patient Summary
JRC	Joint Research Centre
LOINC	Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes (Regenstrief Institute, Inc.)

MS	Member State
NCD	Non Communicable Disease
OHDSI	Observational Health Data Sciences and Informatics
OMOP	Observational Medical Outcomes Partnership
PH	Public Health
PHM	Population Health Management
PHR	Personal Health Record
PREMs	Patient Reported Experience Measures
PROMs	Patient Reported Outcome Measures
QCS	Quantitative Continuous Scoring
SNOMED CT	SNOMED Clinical Terms
SPC	Survivorship Care Plan
SSI	Surgical Site Infections
TESSy	European Surveillance System
TNM	Tumour, Nodes, and Metastasis
VAP	Ventilator-Associated Pneumonia
WHO	World Health Organization
XML	Extensible Markup Language

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3. Executive summary

This deliverable builds on the findings of D4.1, which explored the current landscape in Europe by analysing surveys, relevant initiatives, interviews, and literature to assess the needs for effectively linking data collected in primary care with the data needed to support public health.

The reuse of patient level data for public health use cases is unfortunately still lagging behind. Even in the countries and initiatives identified as best practice in D4.1 there are still substantial standardisation efforts that need to be undertaken to comply with the European EHRxF. In this deliverable, we describe nine use cases which represent useful examples of needed seamless connection between primary and secondary use of data in Public Health.

The use cases differ depending on citizen involvement and the use of the Yellow Button. In some instances, the application supports existing workflows, while in others, it facilitates more innovative and forward-looking scenarios. Each use case is associated with one or several of the following high-level objectives: administrative simplification, data quality improvement, near real time monitoring, patient discovery, reverse data engineering (from secondary to primary use) or knowledge creation.

Three of these use cases were selected to be studied in further details to seek harmonisation with the available EEHRxF specifications and the x-Bundles. In particular, the three selected use cases refer to established European data sets already in use by the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC) and by the European Network of Cancer Registries (ENCR) to collect relevant data across countries concerning antimicrobial resistance, healthcare-associated infections and cancer. The specific mapping of the established datasets to the EEHRxF is provided in the Annexes I, II, III.

The prioritised datasets also enabled us to provide feedback from the Public Health perspective to the “IPS+R” dataset developed within WP5 in relationship to clinical research.

Additionally, this deliverable includes the description of the three planned Public Health Dashboards by Monasterio, Sciensano and Charite. For each dashboard a description of the main statistics and variable involved is provided. The idea is to show that with the European EHRxF, such dashboards useful for public health, could be made available across-hospitals with near real time data without the need for time consuming data transformations.

4. Use Cases for Public Health

The recent COVID-19 pandemic has highlighted the need for efficient data exchange and real-time monitoring of infection-related data. Merging and comparing infection data enables the creation of new knowledge, supports the monitoring of disease spread, and allows for the early detection of new outbreaks—thereby strengthening infection prevention and control efforts.

In addition to COVID-19, the last two decades have seen the emergence or re-emergence of several infectious diseases that pose significant threats to public health, such as Ebola, Zika, and Dengue. The so-called “silent pandemic” caused by antimicrobial resistance (AMR)[1] is also a major global concern, as it renders certain infectious diseases difficult or even impossible to treat. A key driver of rising AMR is the misuse and overuse of antimicrobials, particularly antibiotics. Immunisation has been one of the most effective tools for protecting public health, but vaccination rates still need to improve. According to the World Health Organization (WHO), coverage levels have not yet returned to pre-pandemic levels following the disruptions caused by COVID-19. Surveillance, based on the analysis of data within and across hospitals and countries is a crucial instrument for preventing and controlling infections[2]. Currently, data is collected across various systems in Europe using different formats and terminologies. This lack of standardisation makes knowledge generation inefficient, as it requires complex data transformation processes that inevitably delay the availability of critical information.

Six of the identified 9 use cases described in this deliverable are addressing the need to improve infectious disease preparedness as well as reinforce prevention and control systems to support public health. Two use cases address the topic of Cancer which is one of the main priorities of the European Commission in the health domain[3]. Notably, 40% of cancers could be prevented through known strategies, yet only 3% of health spending is directed toward prevention and health promotion. Addressing cancer prevention also contributes to reducing other chronic conditions like obesity, heart disease, and diabetes, as they share similar risk factors. It is important to monitor and analyse cancer trends across Europe, support policy evaluation, guide research, and provide insights into cancer prevention, treatment, and control. It also serves as a resource for the public and helps forecast future cancer burden.

Not all the use cases involve the Yellow Button: four focus on the standardisation of established relevant data sets for public health, four use cases represent possible innovative useful applications that the European EHRxF could enable.

Use case number 8 focuses on the possibility to cross-correlate datasets to gain new knowledge on possible impact of health conditions and undergoing treatment with traffic accidents to develop new knowledge on additional accident causes.

To ensure consistency with other WPs, we have used as much as possible the same template as in WP3 for describing the use cases. Despite the fact that the template was not created to fit the purposes of WP4, we were able to use it with only very minor adaptations. The description of the use cases mainly focusses on the data and does not always describe all the requirements necessary (mainly in relationship to security and privacy) to guarantee the feasibility of the use case.

Use Case #	Topic	Type of service	Content
Use case 1	Antimicrobial resistance (AMR)	Administrative simplification, real time monitoring	ECDC dataset
Use case 2	Infection surveillance	Administrative simplification, real time monitoring	ECDC dataset
Use case 3	Cancer monitoring	Administrative simplification, real time monitoring	ECIS dataset
Use case 4	Vaccination support	Patient support, PROMs	Innovation
Use case 5	One Health surveillance data collection	Administrative simplification, real time monitoring	EFSA dataset
Use case 6	Patient reported outcome measures on Long COVID	Patient support, PROMs, patient discovery, knowledge creation	Innovation
Use case 7	Updating the survivorship passport	Patient Support, reverse data engineering	Innovation
Use Case 8	Traffic Data	Knowledge creation	Cross-correlation of databases
Use case 9	Use of antibiotics at home	Patient discovery, real-time monitoring, knowledge creation	Innovation

Table 1: The list of identified public health use cases bridging the gap between primary and secondary use of data.

The individual use cases are explained in detail in the following section.

4 Use case 1: Antimicrobial resistance

Description	The ability of pathogens to change over time and no longer respond to medicines makes infections harder to treat, increasing the risk of disease spread, severe illness, and death. Prevention, appropriate antibiotic prescribing, and proper dispensation are key factors in combating this threat. Systematic collection of data on antimicrobial resistance (AMR) is essential for monitoring the incidence of specific bloodstream infections. Since the inappropriate use of antimicrobial drugs is a major contributor to AMR, the EU has set a target to reduce their use by 20% by 2030. At European level data on antimicrobial resistance are collected by the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC)[3] by means of a specific Network: the European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net)[4]. The ESAC-Net[5], represents a network of national surveillance systems also coordinated by ECDC, that gathers reference data on antimicrobial consumption (AMC) across Europe. It collects and analyses data from EU and EEA countries, covering both community and hospital settings. This data is used to provide insights and feedback to EU and EEA countries on antimicrobial consumption indicators. These indicators help track progress toward the responsible use of antimicrobials. Data on antimicrobial resistance and consumption collected by EARS-Net and ESAC-Net represent an important instrument for antimicrobial surveillance and antimicrobial consumption monitoring in Europe. Data are submitted on a predefined schedule after being transformed to align with a specified metadata schema. With the EEHRxF data from laboratories as well as information on antimicrobial consumption could be made available in almost real-time both at national level and at international level for public health purposes without the need for error-prone data transformations. This enables data to be used for real-time monitoring and for anticipating critical issues thus allowing timely decision-making and prompt intervention.
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As-Is Situation:	Little or no harmonisation exists in the field of microbiology across laboratories in Europe. Some organisations such as groups HL7 Europe[6] and ESCMID[7] are organising working groups to address this issue. Some countries have established their own national data models—such as the Danish MiBa[8] or the model included in the Austrian ELGA Laboratory Guidelines[9]. The former uses national standards, while the latter is based on HL7 CDA. Germany has recently published a data model[10] for microbiology that relies on international standards such as FHIR, SNOMED CT, and LOINC. An international approach is essential to ensure timely communication across systems in the field of AMR and AMC and real-time availability of data at cross-system level for critical decision making to control the spread of infections. EARS-Net and ESAC-Net represent an important instrument to collect comparable AMR and AMC data and to analyse their temporal and spatial trends in Europe. However, at the moment, each country collects data according to its own national procedures and then transforms it according to the metadata schema and its coding conventions before submitting it to the ECDC via TESSy[11] according to a pre-fixed schedule.
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	The European Surveillance System (TESSy) and the metadata schema by ECDC.
Which health-related standards or data formats are involved in this process:	To support data collection, the ECDC has developed a metadata schema aimed at harmonising AMR and AMC information across Europe. This is a valuable step toward European-level standardisation. However, many AMR-related concepts still rely on local or protocol-specific coding systems rather than international standards, particularly for epidemiological variables and answer value sets. In contrast, data on antimicrobial consumption follow the World Health Organization (WHO) Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical (ATC)/Defined Daily Dose (DDD) system to classify antimicrobial substances and measure consumption. Data can be submitted directly to the TESSy System or via CSV and XML files.

Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Laboratories</td><td>Detect drug-resistant microorganisms</td></tr> <tr> <td>Patients</td><td>Take antibiotic medications.</td></tr> <tr> <td>Healthcare providers and laboratories</td><td>Prescribe /Administer antibiotic medications. Send EEHRxF compliant data to PH national agencies</td></tr> <tr> <td>Public Health regional/national agencies</td><td>Receive data from local healthcare providers in a common EEHRxF format and efficiently merge them for local real-time monitoring, decision making and for sending to ECDC</td></tr> <tr> <td>ECDC</td><td>Receives data from regional/national authorities and is enabled to do real-time monitoring</td></tr> </table>	Laboratories	Detect drug-resistant microorganisms	Patients	Take antibiotic medications.	Healthcare providers and laboratories	Prescribe /Administer antibiotic medications. Send EEHRxF compliant data to PH national agencies	Public Health regional/national agencies	Receive data from local healthcare providers in a common EEHRxF format and efficiently merge them for local real-time monitoring, decision making and for sending to ECDC	ECDC	Receives data from regional/national authorities and is enabled to do real-time monitoring
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User Perspective:	The same EEHRxF format is used in laboratories Healthcare providers systems, EHRs and public health systems for efficient data transmission.										
System Perspective	EEHRxF-enabled systems can collect and exchange antimicrobial resistance and consumption data using the same format. Ideally also Tessy will be enabled to receive EEHRxF-compliant data.										
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Laboratory, ePrescription/eDispensation, Patient Summary, Discharge Report.										
National/regional strategy:	National and regional public health authorities are enabled to receive and send data according to the EEHRxF and establish near real-time monitoring programs and make informed decisions.										
Strategy towards EHDS:	Exploit the EEHRxF to make antimicrobial data for resistance and consumption readily available for secondary use.										
Business Goals/Benefits:	Administrative simplification by enabling “only once” strategies from laboratories and EHRs to public health authorities. Enable Public Health authorities to establish real-time dashboards for										

	antimicrobial resistance and consumption for critical decision-making.
KPIs:	Number laboratories adopting the format. Number of individuals whose IPS has been updated. Number of submissions of EEHRxF compliant data to ECDC. Number of operating real-time monitoring systems.
Application:	Import/Export functionalities for EEHRxF data.
Data Preconditions:	EEHRxF–Laboratory and Prescription/dispensation data for antimicrobial resistance and consumption data.
User Preconditions:	Laboratories, pharmacies and healthcare providers are aware of the real time monitoring and can validate data in EEHRxF format. ECDC analysts are also familiar and trained to use the format.
System Preconditions:	Laboratory information systems, pharmacies, healthcare providers and ECDC systems need to import and export data according to the EEHRxF. Semi-automatic validation processes have been established.
Trigger:	AMR occurrence, antimicrobial consumption.
Challenges/Limitations:	The list of prioritised resistant organisms changes over time and it should be possible to quickly expand it. Current data collection process is well established and resistance to change is expected. More direct and agile communication protocols need to be established between ECDC (TESSy) and National contact points. Data format used in clinical setting are not sufficiently aligned with that used in secondary use. A large number of systems need to be adapted and become EEHRxF compliant. Laboratory results may trigger update to the IPS of the patient.

Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTEL, Sciensano.
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	No/Depends
Basic Workflow:	ECDC needs to urgently collect information on how many cases of a specific resistant bacterium were detected in Europe, which resistance tests were performed and the results. Additionally, ECDC intends to run a near real-time survey on antimicrobial consumption and adherence. Thanks to the EEHRxF, ECDC can quickly collect laboratory and prescription data from national authorities because they all use the same format. National authorities and ECDC are enabled to monitor antimicrobial resistance and consumption in near real-time.

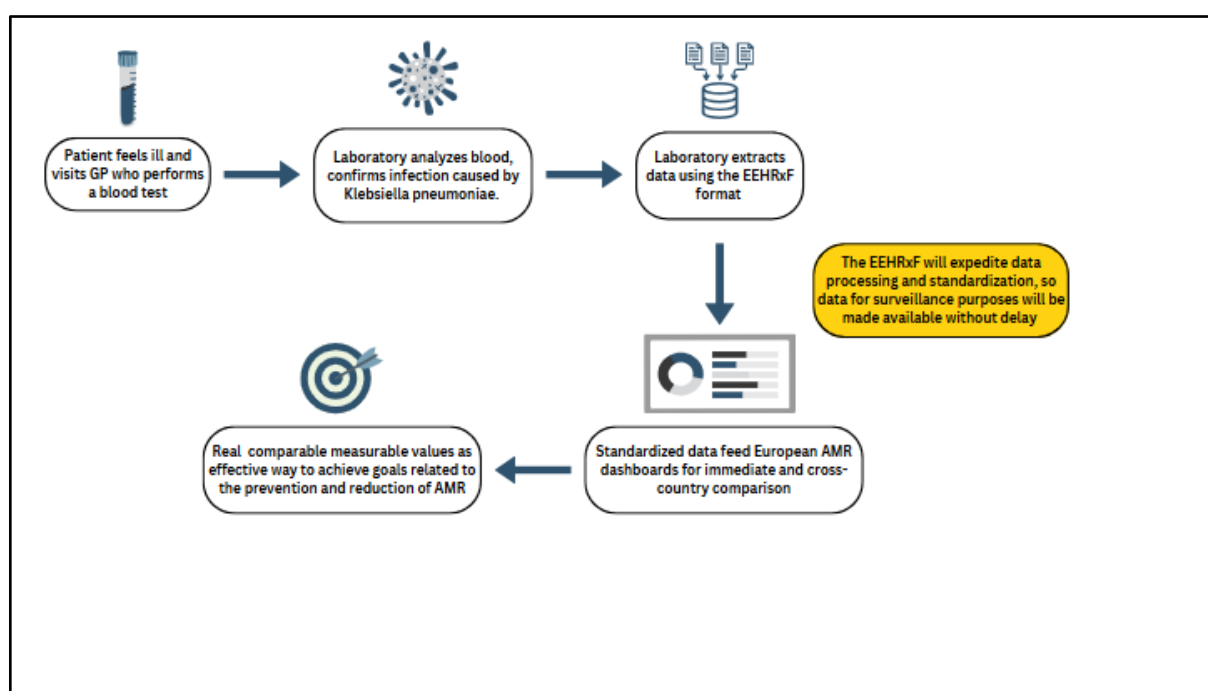


Fig.1: Use Case 1 Workflow example.

4.1 Use case 2: Infection surveillance

Description	Over the past two decades, we have seen outbreaks of emerging, re-emerging, and endemic pathogens that have spread rapidly,
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	driven by factors such as global connectivity, an aging population, population growth, and climate change. In order to improve prevention and control of the diseases caused by these pathogens it is essential to establish surveillance systems that efficiently and effectively detect outbreaks and notify competent authorities. The timely exchange of data across institutions and countries is crucial to contain the spread of the infection. The term Healthcare Associated Infections (HAI) in particular refers to infections that patients get in a healthcare facility while receiving medical care. HAIs among infections, deserve particular attention for the complications that they might cause in patients and also because HAIs can largely be avoided by applying correct infection prevention and control measures. The data on HAI at European level is collected by the ECDC through the TESSy surveillance system. This use case aims to support the efficient exchange and monitoring of HAI data by mapping the data collected by ECDC[12] to international interoperability standards. The goal is to establish a direct connection between data captured in clinical settings and the information needed for HAI monitoring at both national and European levels. This will be achieved by proposing a standard data model that is consistent across systems collecting data for primary use and systems created for secondary use, enabling seamless mapping to international standards.
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As-Is Situation:	HAI data are collected by European countries following local procedures and are then transformed to align with the TESSy metadata schema for integration at the international level. The data collection follows a predefined schedule, with national public health authorities submitting their data in accordance with the specified metadata schema. Submissions can be made directly through the TESSy platform or by uploading XML or CSV files.
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	Data is submitted to ECDC via the TESSy system. HelicsWin.Net is a Free software tool for local data collection.
Which health-related standards or data formats are involved in this process	To support data collection, the ECDC has developed a metadata schema aimed at harmonising HAI information across Europe. This is a valuable step toward European-level standardisation. However,

	many HAI-related concepts still rely on local or protocol-specific coding systems rather than international standards, particularly for epidemiological variables and answer value sets. Data can be submitted directly to the TESSy System or via CSV and XML files.						
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Healthcare facilities</td><td>Collect HAI data according to the EEHRxF format and send them to national authorities</td></tr> <tr> <td>National authorities</td><td>Send the data from the different healthcare facilities to the TESSy system and are enabled to create real-time monitoring systems at different levels</td></tr> <tr> <td>ECDC</td><td>Tessy imports EEHRxF-compliant data. ECDC is enabled to create real-time monitoring systems</td></tr> </table>	Healthcare facilities	Collect HAI data according to the EEHRxF format and send them to national authorities	National authorities	Send the data from the different healthcare facilities to the TESSy system and are enabled to create real-time monitoring systems at different levels	ECDC	Tessy imports EEHRxF-compliant data. ECDC is enabled to create real-time monitoring systems
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ECDC	Tessy imports EEHRxF-compliant data. ECDC is enabled to create real-time monitoring systems						
User Perspective:	The same EEHRxF format is used by laboratories, healthcare providers, EHRs and public health authorities to reduce delay between data collection and data transmission to competent authorities while also preserving data quality.						
System Perspective	EEHRxF-enabled systems will be able to collect and exchange HAI data using the same format. Ideally also TESSy will be enabled to receive EEHRxF-compliant data.						
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Laboratory report, Discharge Report.						
National/regional strategy:	National public health authorities are enabled to receive and send data according to the EEHRxF						
Strategy towards EHDS:	Exploit the EEHRxF to make HAI data readily available, reduce data delay and maintain data quality in the transmission of data from laboratories to public health authorities						

Business Goals/Benefits:	Administrative simplification by enabling “only once” strategies from laboratories to national and international public health authorities. Enable real-time monitoring.
KPIs:	• Number of laboratories and healthcare facilities adopting the EEHRxF for HAI data • Number of submissions of EEHRxF compliant data to ECDC • Number of real-time monitoring systems • Number of individuals whose patient summary has been updated.
Application:	Import/Export functionalities for EEHRxF data. Update of an individual’s IPS
Data Preconditions:	EEHRxF –compliant data model for HAI data.
User Preconditions:	Capability of sending data in EEHRxF format.
System Preconditions:	Healthcare facilities information systems should be enabled to manage HAI data according to the EEHRxF. ECDC should be enabled to import EEHRxF-compliant data.
Trigger:	HAI infection occurring in ICU.
Challenges/Limitations:	Enable all laboratories and healthcare providers to produce data according to the EEHRxF. Enable TESSy to receive data in a EEHRxF –compliant format.
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTel, Sciensano
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	No

Basic Workflow:	A nosocomial infection occurs while patient is in ICU. HAI information compliant to Laboratory and Discharge Report EEHRxF is stored at the hospital and also sent to the regional and national authorities. Same surveillance detection algorithms can be shared across different hospitals because they all use the EEHRxF. National authorities are enabled to immediately receive and use the data for real-time monitoring of HAIs. National authorities send EEHRxF data to the European HAI Surveillance Network. Thanks to the EHDS and the standardisation of data no transformation is needed to send the data from ICU to the European Network Surveillance.

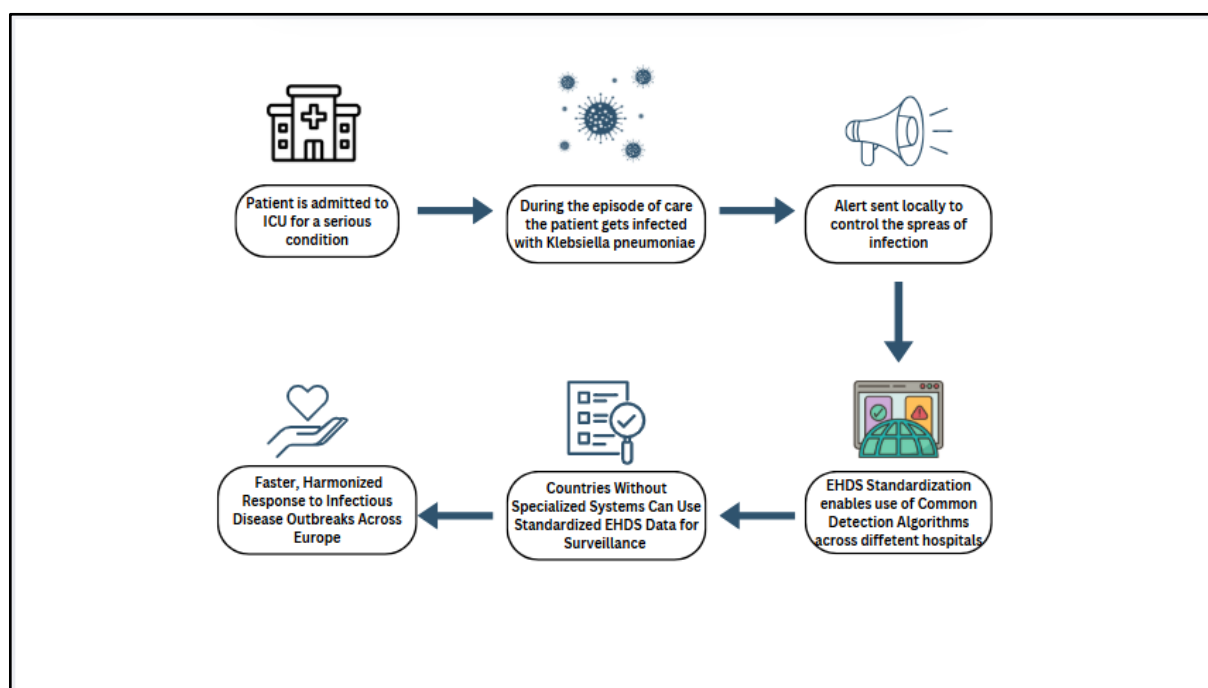


Fig.2: Use Case 2 workflow example

4.2 Use case 3: Cancer monitoring

Description	The European Cancer Information System (ECIS)[13] monitors cancer trends and burden, providing advanced tools for in-depth regional data analysis. It relies on national datasets, though there is a significant time lag before historical data becomes accessible. The range of data collected includes Patient Summary and Discharge Reports with detailed cancer-specific information. Data are collected according to the Call for Data Protocol for European Population-Based Cancer Registries[14]
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Responsible party:	WP4
Source:	xShare
As-Is Situation:	No European standard-based data model is available for these data. On the semantic level, there have been however efforts to provide adapted vocabularies such as WHO ICD-O, ICD-10 and the TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours which are used by most registers and the US NCI Meta thesaurus as possible meta-integrator; Those resources are often completed by national resources (for pathological anatomy for example). All countries collect data according to local procedures. ENCR has established a Call for Data Protocol for European Population-Based Cancer Registries through ECIS. There here have been limited attempts to better connect the cancer registries with data available in EHR systems.
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	All participating countries submit data according to the ECIS protocol. Data quality is checked using the cancer data quality check list included in the Joint Research Centre (JRC) technical report[15] The data collection process follows thus a two steps approach: First at national level and then at European level with the responsibility of eventual mapping falling under the responsibility of the registry owner.
Which health-related standard are currently being used:	Data is currently submitted under CSV format containing 40 variables via a secured web portal. "The file should be a text file (.csv or .txt) with semi colon (;) separators and should include a

	header, with variables' names and order as specified in the text below. PAT; MoB; YoB; Age; Sex; Geo_Code; Geo_Label; TUM; Mol; YoI; BoD; Topo; Morpho; Beh; Grade;Autopsy; Vit_stat; MoF; YoF; Surv_time; ICD; CoD; TNM_ed; cT; cN; cM; pT; pN; pM; ToS; Stage;Surgery; Rt; Cht ; Tt; It; Ht; Ot; SCT Two tools have been developed to support users: A Data Structure Converter (DSC) software is available, as a protocol data adapter as well as a Quality Check Software (QCS), both available via this link: https://encr.eu/tools-for-registries.						
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Healthcare Providers</td><td>Collect data in EEHRxF Format</td></tr> <tr> <td>Local Public health authorities</td><td>Receive and share cancer data for the registries with EEHRxF-compliant information</td></tr> <tr> <td>ECIS</td><td>Receives data in the EEHRxF format</td></tr> </table>	Healthcare Providers	Collect data in EEHRxF Format	Local Public health authorities	Receive and share cancer data for the registries with EEHRxF-compliant information	ECIS	Receives data in the EEHRxF format
Healthcare Providers	Collect data in EEHRxF Format						
Local Public health authorities	Receive and share cancer data for the registries with EEHRxF-compliant information						
ECIS	Receives data in the EEHRxF format						
User Perspective:	Healthcare providers and oncology units in particular have been made aware of the need to provide essential data as quick as possible in the EEHRxF.						
System Perspective	Systems are enabled to send and receive data according to the EEHRxF. The EEHRxF formats used in EHR is used to populate national and European cancer registries. The specific variables not currently included in the EEHRxF are provided through a dedicated pop-up with adapted user constraints. Local systems and Registers are synchronised through adapted connectors.						
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Patient Summary. Discharge Report. (Imaging report)						
National/regional strategy:	National public health authorities can send EEHRxF- compliant cancer data to ECIS limiting to the minimum the need of transformation.						
Strategy towards EHDS:	Use EEHRxF-compliant data collected right from the source to have quality data readily available to support research as well as public-						

	health monitoring and decision-making in the field of cancer at National and European level.
Business Goals/Benefits:	Both administrative simplification and real time monitoring Exploit the European EHRxF to enable real- time monitoring of key variables related to cancer burden across Europe and preserve data quality by removing data transformations.
KPIs:	• Number of national cancer registries compatible with the format • Number of submission to national portal/ECIS using the EEHRxF
Application:	Import/export functionalities for EHR and cancer registries using the EEHRxF
Data Preconditions:	EEHRxF compliance and adherence to specific semantic constraints
User Preconditions:	Roles have been allocated within the organisation related to the responsibility of data production and the specific constraints attached (semantics, time).
System Preconditions:	Local system can identify relevant data (cancer diagnosis) and trigger a Patient Summary including the key variables agreed upon. The local system can manage related terminology bindings and mappings. A (HL7 FHIR) connector is existing to transfer and validate the data to the national register. The national Cancer register has provided a digital script to local systems which allows to provide the data not covered by the EEHRxF. A synchronisation process is established between national register and ECIS concerning the priority variables. Security and Privacy Policies should already be in place.
Trigger:	Confirmation of a Cancer diagnostics.
	Compliance to EEHRxF to format for priority variables by all cancer registries

Challenges/Limitations:	Development needed by all actors (local EHR systems, Connector provider, Cancer Register and ECIS).
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTL, Sciensano.
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	Yes
Basic Workflow:	A hospital is legally obliged to feed the national Cancer Register. This is however a time- consuming process which is performed by dedicated staff. A new data collection process is established: Essential data such as diagnostics is provided on (near) real time while other data are provided at a later stage. The national Registers and the European Cancer Information System are now fed with near real time data while complete data collection follows later. The Hospital collects initial cancer information according to the EEHRxF format. Because of the EHDS the format and terminology of cancer data and EEHRxF are aligned, and the complete data collection is facilitated without duplication of data.

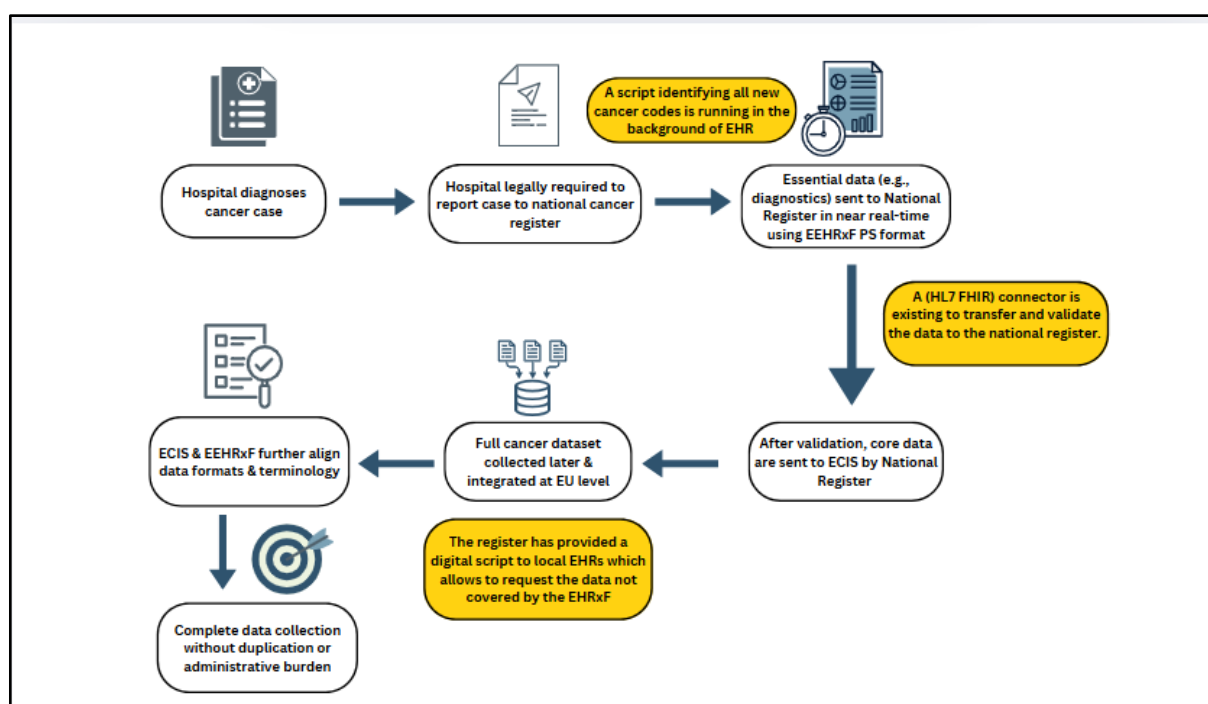


Fig.3: Use Case 3 workflow example

4.3 Use case 4: Vaccination support

Description	As vaccination rates continue to decline and infectious diseases become an increasing threat to global health, it is important to engage with citizens to build trust in vaccination. Providing citizens with a means of communicating with competent authorities about their motivation, doubts and questions could help invert this trend. Citizens could, if they wished, express their vaccination hesitancy by completing specific questionnaires, provided by the competent regional or national authorities via EHR portals and PHR apps, to share with them their hesitancy motivations. Additionally, through the same platforms they could receive selected scientifically evidence-based information about the risks and benefits of the specific vaccine, or even further details about how they are developed and how they work. On one hand, this would help public health authorities better understand the causes of vaccine hesitancy and plan interventions; on the other, it would support informed decision-making on immunisation by citizens, reducing the chances of decisions being influenced by non-scientific information easily available on the internet. Through the Yellow Button citizens could also have the chance to add vaccination information to their EHR as self-reported information if not already included.
Document Version:	V1.0
Responsible party:	WP4
Source:	xShare
As-Is Situation:	While vaccination information is included in the patient summary, patients cannot usually add European EHRxF data on vaccination themselves, specifying available additional information such as a vaccination certificate. Even in countries where a global vaccination registration system exists which connects with EHRs, it often does not succeed to collect information coming from a number of systems. Additionally, if citizens receive a vaccine in a different country this is not directly visible on their EHRs. Furthermore, citizens are often exposed to multiple sources of information about the benefits and risks of vaccination, making it challenging to identify reliable, evidence-based content on which to base informed decisions.

Currently available products/services and its vendors:	EHR systems and regional/national vaccination registers.				
Which health-related standards or data formats are involved in this process	Patient summary, ad hoc questionnaires.				
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Citizens</td><td>Receive selected scientific information about benefits and risks of specific vaccinations. They are also able to send EEHRxF-Patient Summary compliant additional vaccine information to their EHRs. Citizens can also be enabled to provide vaccine hesitancy information through specific questionnaires provided on their health portals/web by public health authorities</td></tr> <tr> <td>Local Public health authorities</td><td>Provide information about risks and benefits of vaccination when requested. Receive EEHRxF-compliant additional data from patient about vaccination and in case, approve its inclusion in the EHR. Authorities can decide to collect information on vaccine hesitancy through standardised questionnaires distributed through the health portals/apps.</td></tr> </table>	Citizens	Receive selected scientific information about benefits and risks of specific vaccinations. They are also able to send EEHRxF-Patient Summary compliant additional vaccine information to their EHRs. Citizens can also be enabled to provide vaccine hesitancy information through specific questionnaires provided on their health portals/web by public health authorities	Local Public health authorities	Provide information about risks and benefits of vaccination when requested. Receive EEHRxF-compliant additional data from patient about vaccination and in case, approve its inclusion in the EHR. Authorities can decide to collect information on vaccine hesitancy through standardised questionnaires distributed through the health portals/apps.
Citizens	Receive selected scientific information about benefits and risks of specific vaccinations. They are also able to send EEHRxF-Patient Summary compliant additional vaccine information to their EHRs. Citizens can also be enabled to provide vaccine hesitancy information through specific questionnaires provided on their health portals/web by public health authorities				
Local Public health authorities	Provide information about risks and benefits of vaccination when requested. Receive EEHRxF-compliant additional data from patient about vaccination and in case, approve its inclusion in the EHR. Authorities can decide to collect information on vaccine hesitancy through standardised questionnaires distributed through the health portals/apps.				
User Perspective:	Citizens can obtain selected information by relevant authorities on benefits and risks of vaccination if they are not aligned with the recommended vaccination schema. Additionally, they can add vaccination information, if missing, to their EHR/PHR. The user interface needs to be adapted to non clinicians and make sure data are collected according to the format. Citizens can also be invited to provide vaccine hesitancy information to public health authorities via standard questionnaires through their health portal/apps.				
System Perspective	EHR systems should be enabled to accept data on immunisation status directly from citizens if not already included. The Yellow Button can be used to trigger download of vaccine safety and efficacy information.				

	The Yellow Button could be used to upload vaccine information.
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Patient Summary
xShare Yellow Button:	The Yellow Button can be used to download selected vaccination-specific information on the patient personal space of the health portal or app. The Yellow Button can be used to upload additional vaccination-specific information to the (shared) EHR. The Yellow Button can be used to upload also vaccine information from citizens. Citizens may also share vaccine hesitancy concerns with Public Health authorities
National/regional strategy:	National and regional public health authorities could base interventions on more complete vaccination data also addressing hesitancy issues with targeted actions. Vaccination rates increase.
Strategy towards EHDS:	Empower patients to make active informed decisions and share their data.
Business Goals/Benefits:	• Provide patients with selected scientific information about the risks and benefits of vaccination to help increase vaccination rates. • Ensure that all vaccination records, including those obtained in other European countries can be included. • Understand the causes of vaccination hesitancy • Increase vaccination rates
KPIs:	• Number of downloads of vaccine information • Number of uploads of additional vaccine information • Numbers of vaccine hesitancy questionnaires submitted • Vaccination rates
Application:	Yellow button, EHR, PHR.
Data Preconditions:	EEHRxF compliance (also for the vaccine hesitancy questionnaire).
User Preconditions:	Citizens are willing to receive and provide information on vaccinations.

System Preconditions:	Yellow Button-enabled EHRs.
Trigger:	Need for trustworthy information/Possibility to add data to EHR.
Challenges/Limitations:	Set up of the download and upload functionalities for vaccine-related data
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTEL, Sciensano.
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	No
Basic Workflow:	• Citizen is hesitant to receive vaccination because he/she is not sure about positive/negative effects of the substance. They fill out a standardised questionnaire created by the competent authorities through the patient app/portal and click the Yellow Button to upload their answers and share with them the reasons for their hesitancy. • Citizens can also request and receive specific scientific evidence- based information on the safety and efficacy of a vaccination received or about to receive • Citizen read the scientific material and decides to get vaccination • Through the Yellow Button updates his/her EHR if the information is not up to date • Public health authorities identify possible causes of vaccine hesitancy and plan targeted communication campaigns

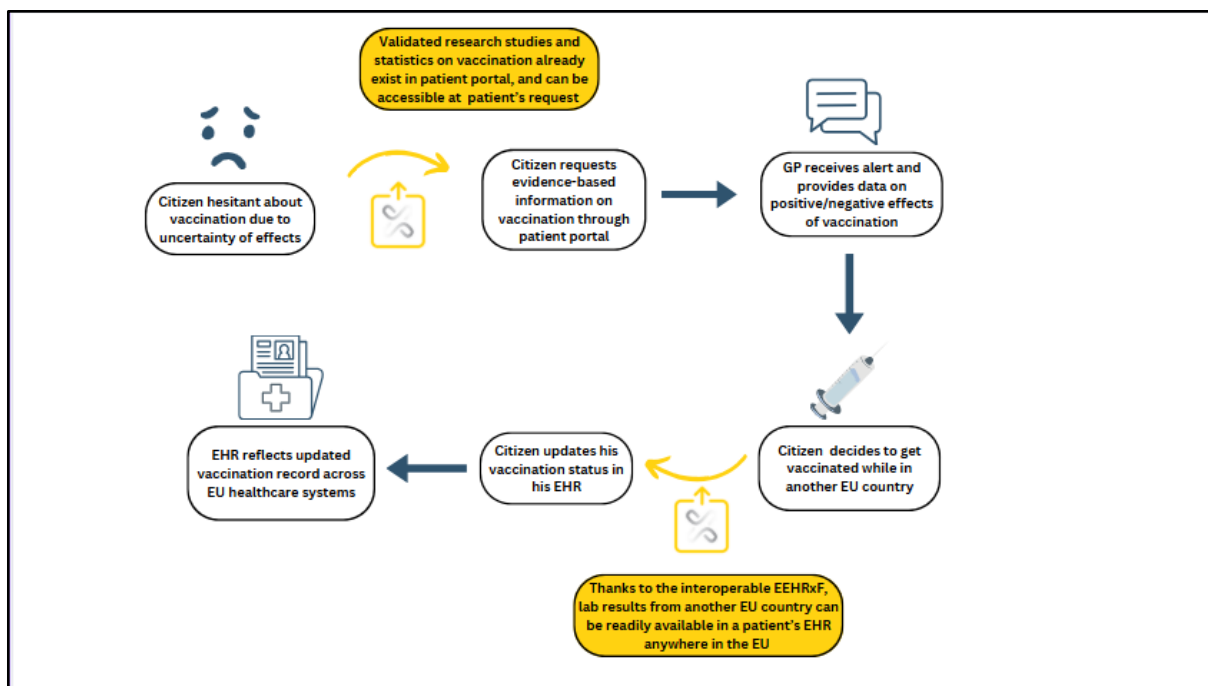


Fig.4: Use Case 4 workflow example

4.4 Use case 5: One Health surveillance data collection

Description	With the increasing threat of zoonoses—infectious diseases originating from animals, also due to environmental factors—it is particularly important that data be comparable and shareable across human, animal and environmental disciplines. The European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) has been tasked by the European Commission to collect, analyse and visualise the results from the surveillance activities concerning cross-border pathogens that threaten Europe carried out within the 2022 EU4Health using the One Health approach[16]. Thanks to the EHDS and the standardisation of data, the same format for zoonosis-related microbiology data can be used across veterinary and human laboratories and public health authorities. Additionally, using the same data format, infection detection algorithms can be shared across different organisations.
Document Version:	V1.0
Responsible party:	WP4
Source:	xShare

As-Is Situation:	All countries collect data according to local procedures. No common format for laboratory data across human and veterinary laboratories exists. EFSA has established a European Reporting guidance for the One Health surveillance data collection using the Standard Sample Description (SSD2) data model						
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	For countries reporting to EFSA, data is submitted according to the One Health surveillance data collection protocol by EFSA. Laboratory data for One Health surveillance are reported using the SSD2 data model and submitted via XML through the Data Collection Framework (DCF) in line with EFSA's Data Exchange Guidance (GDE2). The SIGMA EST mapping tool helps mapping data to the SSD2 format.						
Which health-related standards or data formats are involved in this process	EEHRxF laboratory data, microbiology specific terminology, SSD2 format for describing food and feed samples and analytical results that is used by EFSA's data providers.						
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Veterinary and human laboratories</td><td>Detect infections and send data to relevant local public health authorities using EEHRxF</td></tr> <tr> <td>Local/National Public health authorities</td><td>Receive data in EEHRxF from all laboratories and can merge them and send them to national or international authorities (e.g. EFSA)</td></tr> <tr> <td>EFSA</td><td>Receives high quality data in EEHRxF compliant format ready to be merged and analysed</td></tr> </table>	Veterinary and human laboratories	Detect infections and send data to relevant local public health authorities using EEHRxF	Local/National Public health authorities	Receive data in EEHRxF from all laboratories and can merge them and send them to national or international authorities (e.g. EFSA)	EFSA	Receives high quality data in EEHRxF compliant format ready to be merged and analysed
Veterinary and human laboratories	Detect infections and send data to relevant local public health authorities using EEHRxF						
Local/National Public health authorities	Receive data in EEHRxF from all laboratories and can merge them and send them to national or international authorities (e.g. EFSA)						
EFSA	Receives high quality data in EEHRxF compliant format ready to be merged and analysed						
User Perspective:	Veterinary laboratories can collect data in an aggregated EEHRxF compatible standard format and share them with national and international competent authorities without further data transformation.						
System Perspective	The same EEHRxF format is used across veterinary and human laboratories and relevant public health systems to improve real-time availability of data. The same format allows for data to be immediately available for integration and comparison.						

Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Laboratory
National/regional strategy:	National public health authorities are enabled to receive and send data according to the EEHRxF without performing data transformation before submitting data to the European One Health surveillance networks, Real-time monitoring and comparison of infection outbreaks with human microbiology laboratories is possible because they all share the same format.
Strategy towards EHDS:	Support the secondary use of data. Exploit the EEHRxF to apply “only once” strategies to reduce data delay and maintain data quality in the transmission of data across laboratories and to public health authorities. Using EEHRxF as baseline data is aggregated, annotated and submitted.
Business Goals/Benefits:	Create one EEHRxF-compliant data model for information on zoonotic infections for the data defined by the data used in EFSA's One Health surveillance data to • Enable “only once” strategies across laboratories and to public health authorities • Obtain faster outbreak detection • Enable efficient joint analysis of data for real-time monitoring
KPIs:	• Number of veterinary laboratories adopting the format • Number of submissions of EEHRxF compliant data to the One Health surveillance system by EFSA • Number of datasets created.
Application:	Import/Export functionalities for EEHRxF data for laboratory data. Agregation of laboratory data for submission to EFSA
Data Preconditions:	A common EEHRxF-compliant data model concerning microbiology data is available. Appropriate data annotations.
User Preconditions:	Capability to receive and send laboratory data in EEHRxF format in simple and aggregated form.
System Preconditions:	Systems should be enabled to receive and send data in EEHRxF format

Trigger:	Detection of pathogens in animals that pose a cross-border public health threat.
Challenges/Limitations:	Enable EFSA systems to receive EEHRxF laboratory data
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTEL, Sciensano
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	No
Basic Workflow:	• Zoonoses data are collected in veterinary and human laboratories using the EEHRxF • Data are sent to local/national health authorities • Possible outbreaks are detected, and the responsible livestock reservoir is identified immediately. • National authorities laboratory data can share data in One Health European Networks • Real-time monitoring of zoonotic infections is possible at national/regional and international level

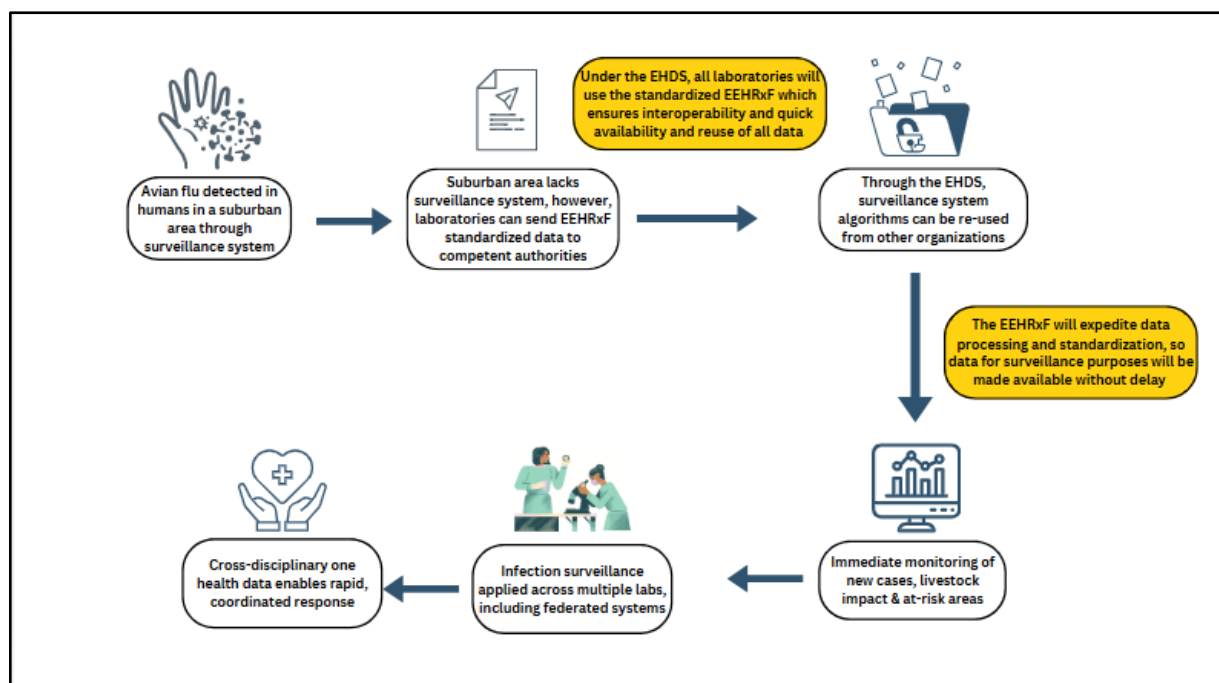


Fig.6: Use Case 6 workflow example

4.5 Use case 6: long COVID

Description	This use case proposes a visionary application of the Yellow Button, allowing citizens to choose to share data directly with public health authorities to support specific public health initiatives. Long COVID, for example, is a condition that may be caused by a combination of different factors, and extensive research is still needed to better understand what determines its onset and severity. The disease refers to a wide range of symptoms and conditions that some people experience four or more weeks after an initial infection with the SARS-CoV-2 virus. Due to its broad and evolving definition, it is often undiagnosed. As a result, many patients suffer from symptoms but do not receive adequate support for managing or identifying the condition. These patients not only need proper care but could also serve as valuable sources of information to help generate new knowledge about the disease. Thanks to the European EHRxF, existing national and international guidelines on Long COVID could be used to automatically identify potential cases based on data available in their electronic health records. These individuals could then be informed about the opportunity to participate in public health programs that investigate various aspects of Long COVID, with the aim of improving understanding of the condition. Patients who choose to participate could be enabled to directly provide the necessary information to public health authorities through the Yellow Button.
Document Version:	V1.0
Responsible party:	WP4
Source:	xShare
As-Is Situation:	Long COVID research is ongoing, with studies exploring various aspects of the condition, including symptom profiles, potential causes, and treatment options. Many cases of Long COVID are not diagnosed due to the vast range of symptoms and conditions that it involves.
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	EHR/PHR
Which health-related standards or data formats	EEHRxF

are involved in this process							
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table> <tr> <td>Patient</td><td>Patients may receive an invitation to join Long COVID study programs based on their symptoms. If they choose to participate, they can use the Yellow Button to share their data with public health authorities.</td></tr> <tr> <td>Health Professional treating the patient</td><td>Receive notification about their patients being possible long COVID cases based on their EHR data</td></tr> <tr> <td>Public Health authority</td><td>Identify potential and existing Long COVID patients to improve the knowledge around the disease</td></tr> </table>	Patient	Patients may receive an invitation to join Long COVID study programs based on their symptoms. If they choose to participate, they can use the Yellow Button to share their data with public health authorities.	Health Professional treating the patient	Receive notification about their patients being possible long COVID cases based on their EHR data	Public Health authority	Identify potential and existing Long COVID patients to improve the knowledge around the disease
Patient	Patients may receive an invitation to join Long COVID study programs based on their symptoms. If they choose to participate, they can use the Yellow Button to share their data with public health authorities.						
Health Professional treating the patient	Receive notification about their patients being possible long COVID cases based on their EHR data						
Public Health authority	Identify potential and existing Long COVID patients to improve the knowledge around the disease						
User Perspective:	Patients matching specific criteria receive an invitation to join a study group to develop new knowledge around Long COVID by sharing their health information. Patients who decide to participate can use the Yellow Button to share their data.						
System Perspective	The system identifies eligible patients based on the EHR information and the available national and international guidelines.						
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Patient summary – Laboratory report – imaging report – discharge report – prescription – dispensation.						
xShare Yellow Button:	Sharing of data with public health authorities conducting specific studies.						
National/regional strategy:	Collect information directly from patients for Public Health purposes.						
Strategy towards EHDS:	Empower patients to be an active part of the ecosystem of health data						
Business Goals/Benefits:	Identify patients possibly affected by Long Covid not yet diagnosed. Provide useful information on Long COVID for Public Health programs focusing on creating new knowledge around the disease and						

	improving national clinical guidelines. Support physicians in the diagnosis and management of long COVID.
KPIs:	• Number of persons that have pressed the xShare Yellow Button to share their data • Number of persons that join the initiative • Number of new diagnoses of Long COVID
Application:	Yellow button and EHR/PHR systems
Data Preconditions:	Data collected according to the EEHRxF
System Preconditions:	Compliance to EEHRxF, use of an algorithm for detecting Long COVID based on EHR data
User Preconditions	Patients have their EEHRxF Patient Summary and lab reports in their Personal health record or Patient has authorised access to their EEHRxF through the health portal/application. Patients are sufficiently digitally literate to support the development of new knowledge around Long COVID. Treating physicians are open to be supported in the identification of long COVID cases.
Trigger:	Users with a long COVID symptoms, patients with a diagnosis of long COVID.
Challenges/Limitations:	• Mental health data which would be relevant for the study of Long COVID are not yet included in EEHRxF • GDPR issues • Ethics approval issues
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTEL, Sciensano
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	Yes – Secondary data use.
Basic Workflow:	• A patient suffering fatigue, headaches, brain fog and tremor without a specific diagnosis is identified as being possibly a Long

	Covid patient. Depending on the level of maturity of data sharing infrastructure, this pre-identification takes place directly surveying shared EEHRxF records or through a specific communication campaign where patients are proposed to share their EEHRxF in a trusted secure processing environment handled by a trusted partner. • The patient receives an invitation to take part to a Long COVID study program and provides his consent to participate and share data. • The treating physician also receives a notification that, based on the national and international guidelines his/her patient is a possible Long COVID case and that he/she has accepted to be part of a longitudinal study. • The physician, after further studying the case and having access to last findings possibly decides to diagnose it as Long COVID and treats the patient in accordance with the last version of the clinical guidelines. • The patient contributes to the development of new knowledge around the disease by sharing his/her health data (all relevant priority data categories, as well as wellness data) with the public health authority via the Yellow Button.
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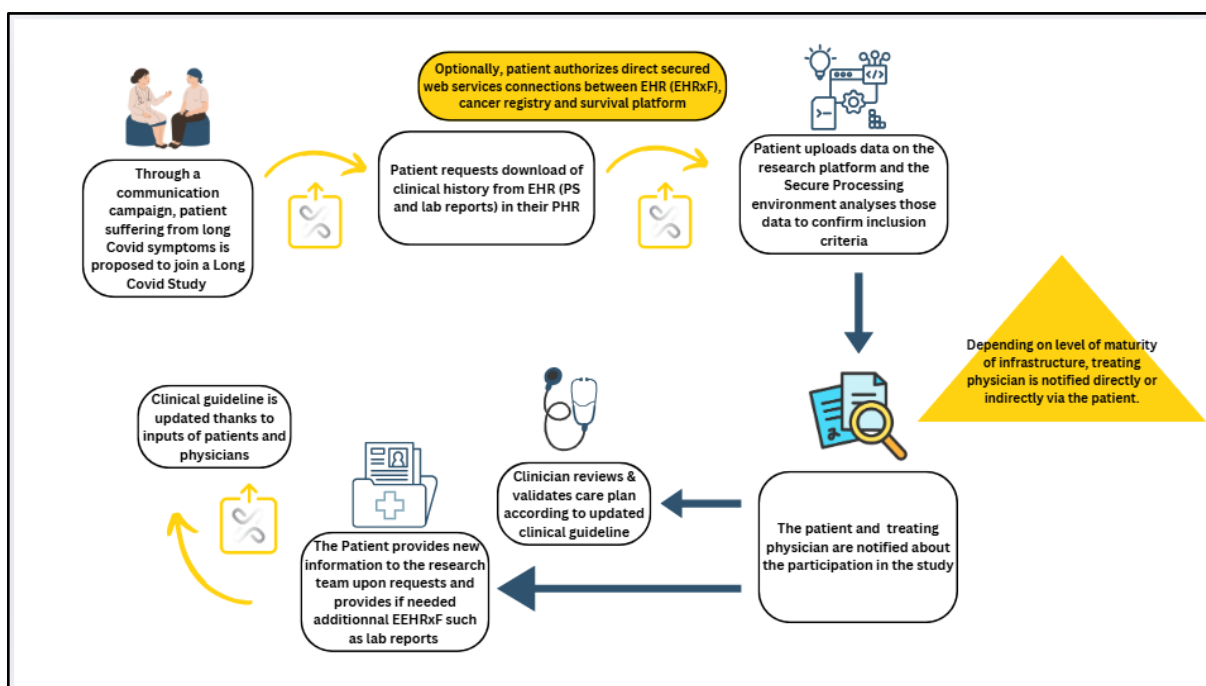


Fig.6 Use case 6 workflow example

4.6 Use case 7: Updating the survivorship passport

Description	The cancer survivor authorizes the transfer of their clinical history from the hospital's Electronic Health Record and treatment
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	information from cancer registries. This data is integrated to form the Survivorship Passport[17], which then undergoes clinician validation. A care plan is generated within the Survivorship Passport (SurPass) [18] based on the treatments and returned to the patient.
Document Version:	V1.0
Responsible party:	WP4
Source:	xShare
As-Is Situation:	The Survivorship Passport is a web-tool that provides instant access to the medical history and care plan of patients who ended a cancer therapy, making survivors and healthcare professionals aware of the potential risks or late effects stemming from the previous disease and treatment received. Currently supported by a number of University Hospitals in six European countries: Austria, Belgium, Germany, Italy, Lithuania and Spain. Although the web-based platform already exists, the currently running PanCareSurpass project is instrumental in defining further the specifications of the passport. See: https://www.pancaresurpass.eu/
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	The Survivorship Passport is a tool to provide all European childhood cancer survivors with optimal long-term care. The SurPass encompasses all relevant treatment data and evidence-based care tailored on individual risk factors. To achieve this, the SurPass platform currently uses a common template and internationally confirmed coding systems (e.g. ICD-O-3, ATC codes) for the Treatment summary and EU-wide and international recommendations for the SCP. The PanCareSurPass project will also develop recommendations for surveillance from the end of treatment based on adaptation of existing IGHG (International Guideline Harmonization Group) and PanCare FollowUp recommendations In February 2025, a new HL7 Europe track was started to use the experience achieved in a European project, such as PanCareSurPass and national initiatives, to define a minimal, extensible, non-exhaustive European cancer data model that is agnostic to the type of cancer, usable across different use cases. The model leverages the experiences of the European projects working with primary and secondary usage, takes into account the availability and usability of reliable data in electronic health record (EHR) systems, and allows its HL7 FHIR representation in the form of an HL7 FHIR Implementation

	Guide. Next step is the creation of the European Common Cancer Logical Model and on the HL7 Europe Cancer Common Model FHIR Implementation Guide. The possible connexion with EEHRxF has however not yet been considered. SurPass generates thus a survivor-specific treatment summary and Survivorship Care Plan (SCP) using algorithms that link treatment data with available follow-up recommendations. The SurPass has been implemented in six hospitals in six EU countries under 3 European health system scenarios (national European Health Information Systems (EHISs), regional EHISs, and cancer registries or hospital-based EHISs). The third scenario is the least favourable in terms of semi-automated data input, interoperability, and data protection. Unlike the scenarios with nationally or regionally organised health data, this scenario requires the integration of data from a multitude of sources to generate a SurPass. Epidemiological data will need to be obtained from cancer or bone marrow transplant registries such as the German Childhood Cancer Registry, while disease and treatment-specific clinical data will need to be retrieved from hospital database. Furthermore, the passports can feed into a European late effects registry.						
Which health-related standards or data formats are involved in this process	HL7's international patient summary (IPS) standard specifies an EHR extract containing essential health information intended for use in cross-border care scenarios [18].						
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Patients</td><td>Receive information in an easily understandable way about recommendations for follow-up, depending on individual risk factors.</td></tr> <tr> <td>Healthcare providers</td><td>Provide updated data in the EHR. Validate the information of the Survivorship passport</td></tr> <tr> <td>Public Health National agencies</td><td>Send treatment data to the Survivorship Passport</td></tr> </table>	Patients	Receive information in an easily understandable way about recommendations for follow-up, depending on individual risk factors.	Healthcare providers	Provide updated data in the EHR. Validate the information of the Survivorship passport	Public Health National agencies	Send treatment data to the Survivorship Passport
Patients	Receive information in an easily understandable way about recommendations for follow-up, depending on individual risk factors.						
Healthcare providers	Provide updated data in the EHR. Validate the information of the Survivorship passport						
Public Health National agencies	Send treatment data to the Survivorship Passport						
User Perspective:	Patients can trigger the creation of a Survivorship Passport						
System Perspective	The Survivorship passport can receive data from data EHR complemented by data provided to cancer registry according to the EEHRxF						

	An HL7 Europe Cancer Common Data Model FHIR Implementation Guide will be instrumental in facilitating the reuse of the cancer registry data. Efficient security and privacy core services need to be in place.
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Patient Summary, Discharge Report, Imaging Report, Laboratory Report (Pathanatomy).
xShare Yellow Button:	The Yellow Button triggers the creation of a Survivorship passport by combining data from the EHR and the cancer registry.
National/regional strategy:	The scenario depends on the existence or not of National/Regional dedicated information systems related to cancer. For this use case, we consider the scenario where data are provided by EHR systems but also considers the requirements of both the national/regional cancer registry and the patient survival passport.
Strategy towards EHDS:	Use the same EEHRxF as input across EHR, cancer registry and Survivorship Passport. Patients take a more active role by accessing their data and triggering the creation of the passport. Surpass is part of -PHR and accompanied by patient generated data. Collected aggregated data become part of a late effects registry.
Business Goals/Benefits:	Enable cancer Survivors to use the Yellow Button to access and activate all available structured information to obtain updated information on guidelines and care Plan. Patients share their SurPass with a late effects registry.
KPIs:	Number of Passports created
Application:	Import/export functionalities for EHR and cancer registries using the EEHRxF to the Passport.
Data Preconditions:	Data available from EHR and cancer registry have been mapped and are interoperable.

	The data model used by the cancer register is used as reference by the survivor platform.
User Preconditions:	Users need updated Survivorship Passports
System Preconditions:	EHR systems are EEHRxF compatible. The passport system embeds the Yellow Button and can establish a trusted and secured connection with the patient allowing the upload of data. The cancer register provides access to the patient data and allows its download in a standardised HL7 FHIR format. The passport platform must support: • Secure user authentication (for patient access) • Upload and parsing of data from both EHR and cancer registry • Data mapping to SurPass data model (e.g. ICD-O-3, ATC codes) • Generation of SCP (Survivorship Care Plan) based on integrated data • Trusted and encrypted communication channels (e.g., HTTPS, OAuth2, FHIR APIs) must be in place between the EHR, cancer registry, and the SurPass platform.
Trigger:	Possibility of submitting data without further transformation and automatically obtain an updated passport.
Challenges/Limitations:	• Compliance to EEHRxF to format by all cancer registries • Even with EEHRxF, there may be differences in how clinical data are recorded, requiring mapping or transformation.
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Cineca, Charité, EHTel, Sciensano
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	Yes, an integrated management of identifiers is necessary for the whole process.
Basic Workflow:	• A cancer survivor wants to obtain their Survivorship Passport with the recommendations for long-term follow-up by sharing their medical data • The patient requests the creation of the passport. Both PS and discharge report are downloaded. The data available in the EEHRxF are reused to populate the appropriate data fields of the

	passport and uploaded on the passport secured website. Optionally the data available in the last available discharge report provides additional inputs for data fields not available in the patient summary. The complementary data provided previously to the cancer register are accessed by the patient, downloaded and also uploaded to the passport. The integrated data form the treatment summary that reflects the patient's cancer journey • The Survivorship Passport platform generates the personalised care plan/recommendations that can be reviewed by the clinician and accessed and downloaded by the survivor for ongoing health management. • In the best-case scenario, a direct communication through webservices is established between the EHR system, the Passport server and the cancer register thanks to a governed management of identifiers. In this case, the Yellow Button is only used to download the passport. In other cases, the actions need to be performed by the patient himself/herself (with some orchestration process by the passport server).
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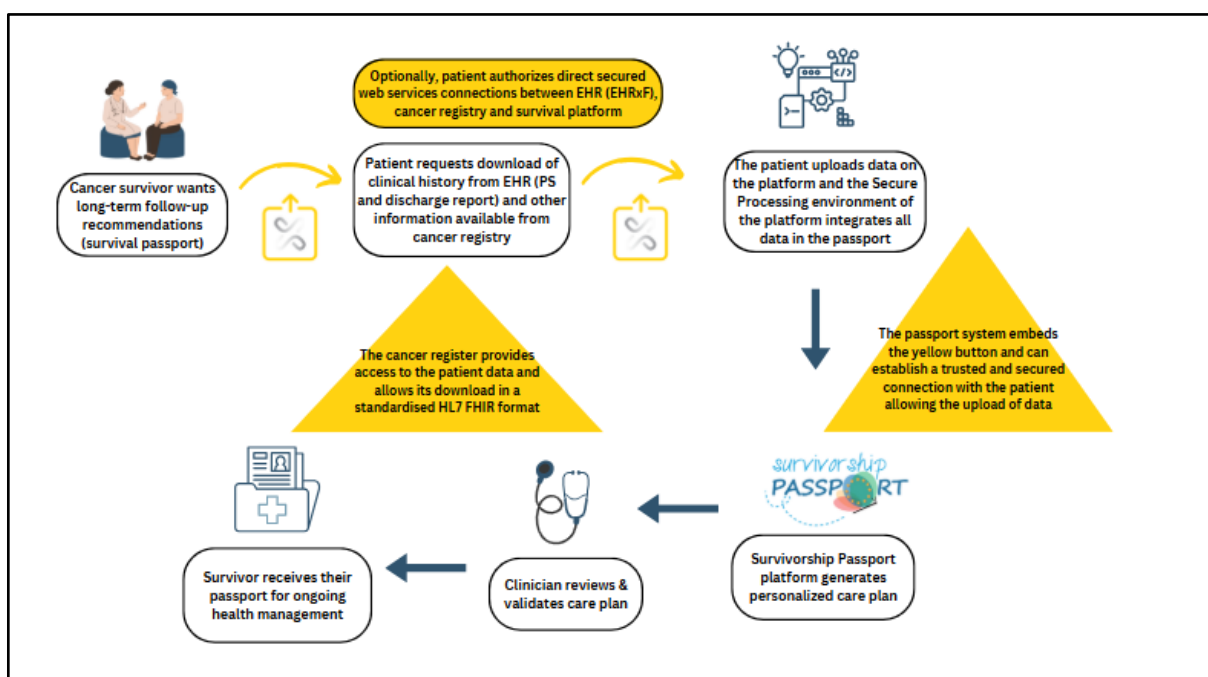


Fig.7 : Use Case 7 workflow example

4.7 Use case 8: Traffic Data

Description	The Traffic administrations collect this data from different sources but does not have information when the injured are foreigners and are transferred to their country. In addition, health competences in some countries are assumed by the autonomous communities or regions and information is not always obtained for all the injured.
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	Also, effective practice recognizes that no accident database will provide sufficient information to provide a complete view of traffic accident victims to fully understand the causes of injuries. Accident data are a valuable source of information on accident risk, the value of which can be significantly increased when combined with other data sources such as health sector data. Linking traffic incident reports to individual health profiles using anonymised identifiers and semantic data standards will allow identifying how chronic conditions or medication use contribute to accidents and fatalities. Data fusion techniques would be applied for correlation analysis, using data mining, machine learning, and semantic interoperability frameworks. Special attention is given to the legal and ethical implications of data access and sharing.
Document Version:	V1.0
Responsible party:	WP4
Source:	xShare
As-Is Situation:	The national traffic accident victims' registers collect information from several sources related to accidents, vehicles, police officer, passengers, drivers, pedestrians, etc. Usually, the information is collected through web services to access to databases as drivers, towns and municipalities and roads catalogues. In addition, the traffic administrations collect this data from different sources but does not have information when the injured are foreigners and are transferred to their country. Nowadays, there is no correlation between health and road traffic data.
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	The public road traffic authorities collect Traffic Data to create the National Traffic Accident Registries, which include detailed information about accidents, such as location, time, road conditions, and characteristics of vehicles and drivers. But usually, there is no correlation with Health Data: medical records, hospitalisation histories, diagnoses, and treatments of accident victims. These data can be obtained from EHRs and PHRs.
Which health-related standard are currently being used:	Web services must collect data EHRF-compliant from EHDS.

Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td data-bbox="528 286 711 398">Healthcare Providers</td><td data-bbox="711 286 1362 398">Collect data in EEHRxF Format to to be able to exchange data properly</td></tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="528 398 711 546">Public road Traffic authorities</td><td data-bbox="711 398 1362 546">Ask and receive heath data (in origin EEHRxF) to integrate them in national traffic accident victims' registries</td></tr> </table>	Healthcare Providers	Collect data in EEHRxF Format to to be able to exchange data properly	Public road Traffic authorities	Ask and receive heath data (in origin EEHRxF) to integrate them in national traffic accident victims' registries
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User Perspective:	The public road traffic authority needs to be able to ask and receive EEHRxF compliant data.				
System Perspective	The national traffic accidents system will be enabled to combine data from EHDS in EEHRxF and traffic data.				
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	Patient Summary. Electronic Prescription. Discharge Report				
National/regional strategy:	National public health and road traffic authorities can share / combine EEHRxF- compliant data so it can be exchanged between different systems and regions.				
Strategy towards EHDS:	Obtain EEHRxF-compliant data collected right from the source EHDS to have data readily available to support the correlation of traffic accident data with health data. Secondary use of the health data.				
Business Goals/Benefits:	Combining traffic accident data with health records to understand additional accident causes, such as chronic diseases or medication effects (e.g., psychotropics). Obtain information from EHDS when the injured are foreigners and are transferred to their country.				
KPIs:	Number of cases (accidents) detected caused by chronic diseases or medication effects.				
Application:	Integrate / combine functionalities for EHR / Electronic Prescriptions and Road traffic registries using the EEHRxF				

Data Preconditions:	EEHRxF compliance and adherence to specific semantic constraints in order to integrate the health with the road traffic data.
User Preconditions:	Capability of asking/receiving data in EEHRxF format.
System Preconditions:	National system can identify relevant data and trigger a Patient Summary or Electronic Prescription to find out the necessary health data related to the involved people in an accident. The system must adapt the information coming from EHDS to its registers. Security and Privacy Policies should already be in place.
Trigger:	Need information about a driver or passenger involved in current accident.
Challenges/Limitations:	Development needed by all actors in order to properly integrate health and traffic data. The correlation of traffic accident data with health data might be done by cross-referencing information from the databases. This includes hospital data, public health records, and traffic statistics. By analysing this data together, additional patterns and risk factors can be identified, such as medical conditions that could have contributed to the accidents. This comprehensive approach allows for a better understanding of the underlying causes and the implementation of more effective preventive measures
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	UVEG
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	Yes- secondary use.
Basic Workflow:	• The national police are usually the first to arrive at the scene of the accident and collect detailed information about the incident, including the location, time, those involved, and the severity of the injuries. • The initial information is included in the national traffic accident victims • This data is supplemented with information from hospitals to get a more complete picture of serious injuries (EHDS).

	The anonymised data is stored in national databases and analysed to identify patterns and causes of accidents, which helps to develop prevention strategies.
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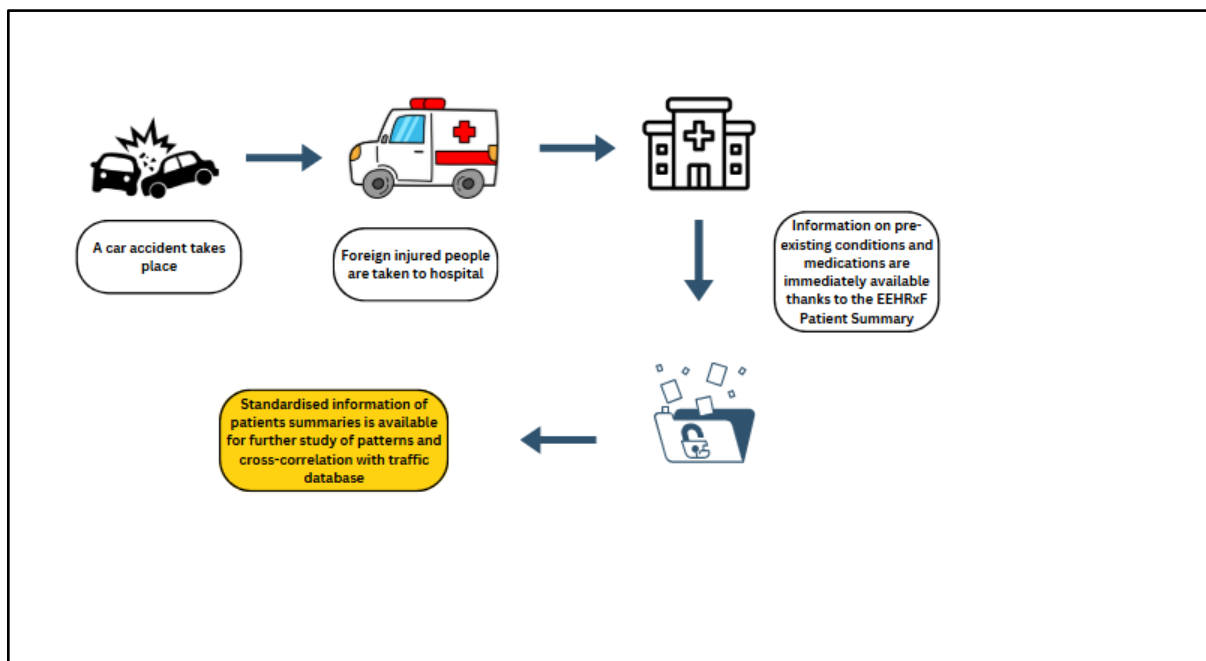


Fig.8: Use Case 8 workflow example

4.8 Use case 9: Monitoring of second/third line antibiotics and Use of antibiotics at home

Description	Gather detailed data on prescription of Antibiotics of second or third line and collect information on patient adherence to antibiotic prescriptions, including the handling of leftover medication and the role of laboratory reports in prescribing antibiotics. Citizens may dynamically interact with researchers, ensuring efficient, accurate, and secure data gathering while maintaining privacy through anonymisation. This approach promises to enhance public health research by offering valuable insights into antibiotic use and fostering deeper patient-researcher interactions, ultimately informing better public health recommendations and practices. The European EHRxF laboratory report is used to analyse if prescription of certain antibiotics has been done after a lab check has been performed. The use of EEHRxF will allow comparison between EU countries. Furthermore, patients matching possible inclusion criteria based on the patient's health records, such as recent antibiotic dispensation and lab reports are asked to answer a specific survey, which includes data not usually available in the European EHRxF, such as the handling of leftover pills and quantity of antibiotics stored at home.
Document Version:	V1.0

Responsible party:	WP4										
Source:	xShare										
As-Is Situation:	Antibiotics consumption is currently usually monitored following national and international protocols through longitudinal or cross-sectional studies. Longitudinal studies rely on existing administrative data with few details that are continuously collected, whereas cross-sectional studies collect details on the applied preventive or curative regimen at a given point in time (point prevalence study). The data currently used are those collected for reimbursement purpose and data collected locally through a network of volunteer hospital and long-term facilities network. The report on antibiotics consumption and AMR is thus often the result of a consolidation of different reports and is often delayed by a few years.										
Currently available products/services and its vendors:	PHR systems are only emerging with countries having focused first on patient portals. Current AMR data collection processes are either indirect or ad hoc.										
Which health-related standard which health-related standards or data formats are involved in this process?	Antimicrobial agents are classified using the Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical (ATC) classification of the World Health Organization (WHO) Collaborating Centre for Drugs Statistics and Methodology. Most of PHR systems have readily been relying on HL7 FHIR. The workflow proposed rely on e-prescription, e-dispensation and laboratory reports on one side and ad hoc patient generated data on the other side.										
Actors/Users and their Roles:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Patients</td><td>Receive notification of their eligibility for the study and provide specific information to the Public Health Agency if matching selection criteria</td></tr> <tr> <td>Healthcare providers</td><td>Provide prescription report</td></tr> <tr> <td>Public Health National agencies</td><td>Monitors if second and third generation antibiotics are prescribed after laboratory check Design study protocol and define selection criteria Analyse Patient generated data</td></tr> <tr> <td>Laboratory providers</td><td>Provide laboratory report</td></tr> <tr> <td>Pharmacies</td><td>Provide dispensation report</td></tr> </table>	Patients	Receive notification of their eligibility for the study and provide specific information to the Public Health Agency if matching selection criteria	Healthcare providers	Provide prescription report	Public Health National agencies	Monitors if second and third generation antibiotics are prescribed after laboratory check Design study protocol and define selection criteria Analyse Patient generated data	Laboratory providers	Provide laboratory report	Pharmacies	Provide dispensation report
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User Perspective:	Pending the availability of the three mentioned reports, no specific action other than producing the reports is expected from healthcare providers. Eligible patients receive a notification to ask consent to participate in the study and fill the questionnaire. The Research unit is allowed to interact with patients.										

System Perspective	The system used by the Research unit is integrated to the national data sharing infrastructure. Patients can be easily and securely notified.
Health Information Domain(s) - HIDs:	E-Prescription, E-dispensation, Lab report and Patient Reported Outcome Report.
xShare Yellow Button:	The Yellow Button is used to transfer information generated by the patient to the Research Unit in the agreed format.
National/regional strategy:	The scenario requires a mature and integrated regional/data sharing infrastructure.
Strategy towards EHDS:	Use of the same EEHRxF allows comparison between EU countries with the possibility of EU near real time monitoring of essential indicators. Patient generated data will possibly lead to the creation of new HID for Patient Reported outcomes.
Business Goals/Benefits:	The availability of real time information on prescription behaviours should allow quicker adaptations in term of prescription authorisation processes and directly impact progression of resistance. Patient generated data will also allow to adapt communication messages and collect new evidence.
KPIs:	• % of prescriptions emitted without prior lab check • Number of Patients matching selection criteria • Number of Patients accepting to participate in the study
Application:	DATA needs to be analysed in a secured processed environment using core privacy and security validated services.
Data Preconditions:	Data available from EHR and other systems have been mapped and are interoperable (See also use case 1). Ideally Unique Reference validated data source for Medicines are being used by all systems and EEHRxF specifications compliant.
User Preconditions:	Patients provide specific consent to be included in the study.
System Preconditions:	EHR, pharmacy and Laboratory systems are EEHRxF compatible. The system used by the Research Unit has been integrated in the National Data Sharing Infrastructure and is also EEHRxF compliant. The system can make use of a Secure Process Environment which relies on core trusted privacy and security services.
Trigger:	No specific action is needed by the clinical users as the monitoring relies entirely on data available in the EEHRxF.
Challenges/Limitations:	• Internal Processes at Hospital/Long term facilities level might not be monitored and require additional specifications.

	PHR needs to be widely used, and an efficient notification system needs to be operational. Specific data analysis tools connected to the Secure Processing Environment are available.
Involved stakeholders in the BUC definition:	Charité, EHTL, Sciensano.
Application of pseudonymisation filters:	Yes, for all sequences
Basic Workflow:	- The research unit is registered in the official national directory as a trusted third party which has access to the (primary use) data sharing infrastructure. The unit has identified the molecules which need to be monitored specifically. - Through the validated secure processing environment, the unit requests access to all prescriptions including the selected molecules. It checks then if for the selected patients first line antibiotics had been prescribed previously. If yes, and for the patients concerned, it checks if a laboratory exam (antibiogram) has been performed before the prescription. - The results are returned and integrated in a dashboard which shows the evolution of the number of second- and third-line antibiotics prescribed and the % of prescriptions which was made based on results of lab reports. - The patients who had met the selection criteria receive a notification through their PHR or secured messaging system connected to a patient web portal asking their consent to be approached in the context of a study related to the fight against AMR. Their positive response triggers the sending of a structured form by the research unit to collect specific PROMs. The patient fills in the form which is fully encrypted using trusted core encryption services by the PHR (or the secured webportal) which feeds the study registry.

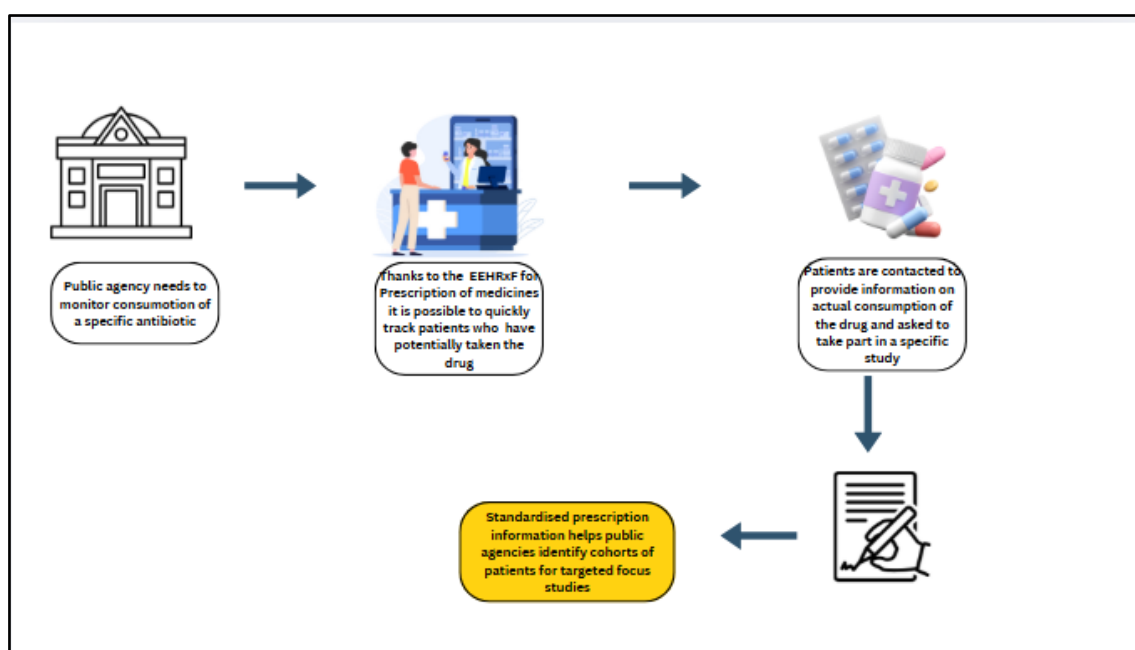


Fig.9: Use Case 9 workflow example

5. Standardisation of data

Selection of data sets

During the Partnership Council in Madeira in February 2025 the use cases have been presented to the xShare project partners to select together the three most relevant use cases for Public Health to prioritise for harmonisation with the EEHRxF and the x-Bundles.

A few questions were submitted to the participants to allow them to provide comments on the use cases. Based on their answers we decided to select Antimicrobial Resistance, Infection Surveillance and Cancer Monitoring. Fig.10 shows a screenshot of one of the questions and the distribution of answers.

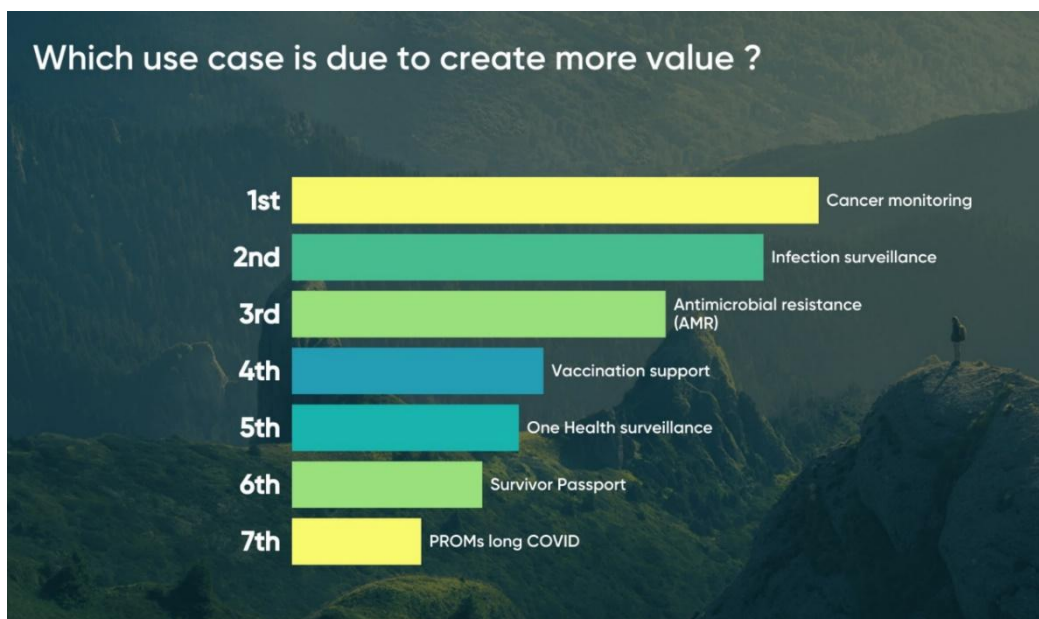


Fig. 10: Outcome of the vote on the use cases during the Partnership Council in Madeira

This choice aligns perfectly with the priorities of the EU4Health programme 2021-2027 which among its objective's lists:

- Health promotion and disease prevention, in particular cancer
- Prevention, preparedness and response to cross-border health threats

All three prioritised use cases which correspond to Use Case 1,2,3 involve the concrete standardisation of an established value set rather than innovative applications of the Yellow Button, Patient discovery applications or direct interaction between public health authorities. The next two paragraphs provide some additional information on the datasets involved in the prioritised use cases.

ECDC datasets

The ECDC represents the point of reference concerning infectious diseases in Europe. Since 2005, it has monitored over 50 health threats, including COVID-19 and antibiotic resistance, providing expert guidance to support prevention and outbreak response. It coordinates several networks where data is

collected across member states such as the European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net) and the Healthcare-associated Infections Surveillance Network (HAI-Net).

The data protocols for the two Networks can be found on the ECDC website along with a metadata schema showing the data collected across Europe.

Within xShare contact was established with ECDC for the standardisation of the datasets.

As mentioned in Deliverable 4.1, we also started a collaboration with the European initiative UNITED4Surveillance which is supporting ECDC's strategic goals and aims to learn from the gaps revealed by the COVID-19 crisis. The initiative organised surveys to document the availability of surveillance system across several European countries. The deliverables were shared with xShare, and they clearly outlined the need for more availability of digitalised well-structured data to support automated surveillance across the different countries to improve outbreak detection systems and enhance prevention.

ECIS Dataset

The European Cancer Information System (ECIS) is a comprehensive cancer-information resource for hosting and processing the European cancer data. Monitoring cancer data is one of the priorities of the collaboration between the European Network of Cancer Registries (ENCR), established in the framework of the Europe Against Cancer Programme of the European Commission and the Joint Research Centre (JRC), a Directorate-General of the European Commission.

The ENCR is a professional, non-profit organisation committed to fostering collaboration among Cancer Registries (CRs), establishing data collection standards, and offering training to CR staff. Its goal is to enhance the foundation for tracking the cancer burden in the EU and across Europe by delivering consistent and timely data from European CRs. JRC conducts scientific research to deliver independent advice and support for EU policy-making. In this capacity, the JRC collaborates closely with the ENCR Steering Committee to define priorities for improving the value and use of cancer registry data across Europe.

Harmonisation of the EU Datasets

The three prioritised use cases refer to established European datasets already in use to collect information across the European countries by ECDC and ENCR.

In particular, the datasets examined include:

- Protocol for the surveillance of healthcare-associated infections and prevention indicators in European intensive care units
- Antimicrobial resistance (AMR) reporting protocol 2023 European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net) surveillance
- European Cancer Information System Protocol

They all represent existing efforts to harmonize and monitor specific data across Europe. However, they do not conform to the European EHRx format and often use local codes for example for microorganisms and tests.

Within WP4, standardisation activities were performed to analyse the variables and the value sets included in the identified datasets and map them to the international standards defined by the EHDS.

The EHDS offers the opportunity to define the structure and terminology of data to be used from primary care to research and public health. The main advantages of sharing a common format are:

- Enable “only once” strategy avoiding re-entering the same data
- Maintain data quality by reducing or removing data transformation
- Real-time availability of data for monitoring and prompt intervention
- Application of the same analysis and AI algorithms to data
- Support of data protection by enabling distributed analysis

Antimicrobial resistance

The European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net) is the largest publicly funded system in Europe for monitoring antimicrobial resistance (AMR). Coordinated by the ECDC, it collects reliable data to track AMR trends, support policy decisions, and strengthen national surveillance systems. The network also helps improve diagnostic quality through annual external assessments. Data is shared with the public via the ECDC Surveillance Atlas and detailed in reports and scientific publications. EARS-Net involves national health institutions across Europe, with coordination guided by a committee of expert representatives.

The data collected by EARS-Net is based on the data reporting Protocol which provides data collection guidelines for the countries’ data managers. The protocol includes also the list of variables and value sets to be collected. The protocol offers a harmonised way to collect data across the different countries and represents a core data set of AMR relevant data that should be harmonised with EHRx across Europe.

As the Annex I shows, the 28 epidemiological variables were mapped to HL7 FHIR and the value sets to SNOMED and LOINC.

The mapping was based on the HL7 Europe Laboratory Report FHIR IG which uses the HL7 FHIR Observation resource to model information about laboratory test.

Table 2 is a simplified version of the Observation structure used in the standardisation of the variables included in Annex I, showing the main FHIR elements for a susceptibility test:

HL7 FHIR element	Description	Coding system	Example
Observation.code	Type of test performed	LOINC	18919-1 Erythromycin [Susceptibility]
Observation.value	Result	Numerical	0,03 µg/ml
Observation.interpretation	Interpretation of result	SNOMED	131196009 Susceptible (qualifier value)
Observation.method	Methodology used	SNOMED	708073008 Minimum inhibitory concentration susceptibility test technique (qualifier value)

Table 2: FHIR Observation elements relevant for describing susceptibility tests.

It is important to mention that there is an ongoing collaboration between LOINC and SNOMED with the purpose to minimize duplication of codes. A primary aim of the agreement is to create an extension of SNOMED for the LOINC terminology. Within this agreement for example, the LOINC codes for the

susceptibility tests can also be identified with SNOMED codes. However, in compliance with the HL7 Europe Laboratory Report we used the LOINC codes.

A lot of standardisation work is still in progress at national and international levels in member states and detailed European specifications for microbiology data are still to be published. Here we propose a model which uses a general LOINC code (which as we have mentioned also has a SNOMED match) to define the susceptibility test whereas the specific methodology used is specified in *Observation.method*.

S I R Values

SIR refers to the Susceptible-Intermediate-Resistant classification system used in antimicrobial susceptibility testing to determine how effectively an antibiotic will work against specific bacteria. To be noted is that the two most used guidelines for reporting susceptibility testing are the European EUCAST[19] and the American CLSI[20].

The value set provided by the HL7 terminology specifically refers to the CLSI[21][20][19] system[21]. In SNOMED we can find EUCAST specific values such as:

SNOMED CODE	SNOMED FULLY SPECIFIED NAME
1306577009	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Susceptible, standard dosing regimen (qualifier value)
1306583007	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Susceptible, increased exposure (qualifier value)
1306581009	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Resistant (qualifier value)

Table 3: SNOMED CT concepts to describe results of microbiology susceptibility tests

However, also general, not guidelines-specific concepts are possible, such as:

SNOMED CODE	SNOMED FULLY SPECIFIED NAME
131196009	Susceptible (qualifier value)
1255965005	Susceptible with increased exposure (qualifier value) (inactive!)
264841006	Intermediately susceptible (qualifier value)
30714006	Resistant (qualifier value)

Table 4: SNOMED CT concepts to describe results of microbiology susceptibility tests without referring to a specific norm.

The definition of the values “S”, “I” and “R” was updated by EUCAST in 2019. In particular, the category “I” after 2019 refers to “Susceptible with increased exposure”. The code 1255965005 *Susceptible with increased exposure (qualifier value)* was deactivated by SNOMED to replace it with 1306583007

/European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Susceptible, increased exposure (qualifier value)/

The specific European Microbiology data model is under development and will provide guidance on which are the most appropriate SNOMED codes to use.

Healthcare associated infections

The Healthcare-Associated Infections Surveillance Network (HAI-Net) is a European initiative focused on monitoring healthcare-associated infections (HAIs), coordinated by the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC). Its core activities include organising the European point prevalence survey on HAIs and antimicrobial usage in acute care hospitals, as well as overseeing surveillance efforts related to surgical site infections, infections occurring in intensive care units, and *Clostridioides difficile* infections. In addition, HAI-Net conducts repeated prevalence surveys on HAIs and antimicrobial use within long-term care facilities across Europe, aiming to improve infection control practices and antimicrobial stewardship.

Considering the high incidence of intensive care units infections, the standardisation of the protocol for the surveillance of healthcare-associated infections and prevention indicators in European intensive care units seems of particular importance. The general laboratory data model for the laboratory information is the same as for the AMR Protocol. The HAI protocol additionally includes 4 lists of value sets to be used for reporting purposes:

- Microorganisms code list
- Extended antimicrobial resistance data for ICU-acquired infections
- Healthcare-associated infections code list
- Antimicrobial ATC codes

Besides using ATC codes to identify antimicrobial substances, the other lists, use local codes to identify the different values.

The values included in the list of HAIs include, besides the infection, information about the specimen and the methodology or the site of infection. In order to map this information to HL7 FHIR a proposal to separate this information into separate information elements is presented in Annex II.

Additionally, for the test we assume to use a generic code for the detection of a microorganism via antimicrobial culture such as the one represented by the LOINC code *11475-1 Microorganism identified in Specimen by Culture*.

New European guidelines for microbiology are under development, currently the HL7 Europe Laboratory Report (v.0.2.0-ci - ci-build 150)[6] shows two possible ways of building information concerning the detection of a microorganism, one using the *Observation.component* element.

HL7 FHIR element	Description	Coding system	Example
Observation.code	Type of test performed	LOINC	11475-1 Microorganism identified in Specimen by Culture
Observation.value	Name of identified microorganism	SNOMED	56415008 Klebsiella pneumoniae (organism)
Observation.interpretation	Interpretation of result	SNOMED	260373001 Detected (qualifier value)
Observation.method	Methodology used	SNOMED	703751005 Anaerobic culture technique (qualifier value)

Table 5: HL7 FHIR Observation elements that describe a microbiology procedure for detecting microorganisms via culture.

HL7 FHIR element	Description	Coding system	Example
Observation.code	Type of test performed	LOINC	11475-1 Microorganism identified in Specimen by Culture
Observation.value	Result	SNOMED	260373001 Detected (qualifier value)
Observation.method	Methodology used	SNOMED	703751005 Anaerobic culture technique (qualifier value)
Observation.component	Name of identified microorganism	SNOMED	56415008 Klebsiella pneumoniae (organism)

Table 6: HL7 FHIR Observation elements that describe a microbiology procedure for detecting microorganisms via culture using also the element Observation.component to report the name of the microorganism.

The mapping provided in Annex II shows the mapping of the HAI value sets to SNOMED and LOINC as well as a proposal of the FHIR modelling. It is important to note that HAI values contain concepts that include information about condition, test results specimen and devices. To make information more EHRx compliant it has been de-constructed into separate pieces of information matching different FHIR resources: Condition, Observation, Specimen, Device.

European Cancer Information System

The data collection protocol outlined to feed the ECIS web application, launched in February 2018 and populated with indicators computed from data submitted by the ENCR-affiliated registries. ECIS has been drafted in alignment with the requirements of CI5 and EURO CARE projects.

Some HL7 FHIR-based specifications for cancer data have been defined by projects such as Idea4RC[22] or PanCareSurvivalPass[23], however, a complete European common cancer data model is presently under development thanks to the work of **PHOENIX** Cancer Initiative and HL7 Europe. For this reason, the mapping of ECIS to HL7 FHIR elements did not seem appropriate at the moment. Although the choice of the terminology codes is dependent on the final data model, we provide in Annex III a provisional mapping of ECIS value sets to SNOMED which should be reviewed when the European

common cancer data model is published. The proposed mapping in Annex III is also summarised in Table 7.

SNOMED Semantic Tag	Valueset Description
Procedure	Treatment, Chemotherapy, Surgery, Radiotherapy
Finding	Stage, Evidence
Morphologic abnormality	Behaviour
Qualifier value	Grade
Tumour staging, observable entity	Tumour staging system

Table 7: SNOMED semantic tags for cancer-specific data elements.

HealthDCAT-AP

HealthDCAT-AP (Data Catalogue Application Profile) is a metadata schema designed to standardize the description of health datasets within the EHDS. It builds upon the European DCAT-AP standard but is tailored for the specific needs of health data sharing and interoperability.

The following tables represent the mandatory elements[24] of the HealthDCAT-AP for sharing information about Datasets customised for the three selected datasets based on the published Editor[25].

HealthDCAT-AP category	Element	Value
Data Discovery	Title	EARS-Net
	Description	European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net) dataset
Data Access	Distribution Title	Antimicrobial resistance (AMR) reporting protocol 2023
	Distribution URL	https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/publications-data/ears-net-reporting-protocol-2023
Technical Metadata	Dataset Identifier	https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/sites/default/files/documents/EARS-Net-reporting-protocol-2023_1.pdf
	Metadata Revision Date	13.05.2025

Table 8: HealthDCAT-AP mandatory metadata for the European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net) dataset.

HealthDCAT-AP category	Element	Value
Data Discovery	Title	ECIS dataset
	Description	Data Protocol for European Population-Based Cancer Registries
Data Access	Distribution Title	Call for Data Protocol for European Population-Based Cancer Registries
	Distribution URL	https://www.enccr.eu/
Technical Metadata	Dataset Identifier	https://www.enccr.eu/sites/default/files/JRC1131_06_ecis_wa_guide_11_sept_2018_print-.pdf

	Metadata Revision Date	13.05.2025
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Table 9: HealthDCAT-AP mandatory metadata for the Data Protocol for European Population-Based Cancer Registries.

HealthDCAT-AP category	Element	Value
Data Discovery	Title	HAI-Net ICU dataset
	Description	Protocol for the surveillance of healthcare-associated infections and prevention indicators in European intensive care units HAI-Net ICU protocol, version 2.3 2024
Data Access	Distribution Title	HAI-Net ICU Protocol Version 2.3
	Distribution URL	https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/publications-data/protocol-surveillance-healthcare-associated-infections-and-prevention-indicators
Technical Metadata	Dataset Identifier	https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/sites/default/files/documents/protocol-surveillance-healthcare-associated-infections-intensive-care.pdf
	Metadata Revision Date	13.05.2025

Table 10: HealthDCAT-AP mandatory metadata for Protocol for the surveillance of healthcare-associated infections and prevention indicators in European intensive care units HAI-Net ICU protocol, version 2.3 2024.

6. IPS+R Data set

Based on the three prioritised datasets we would like to offer an insight on what are the relevant value sets and variables that might contribute to the IPS+R dataset developed within WP 5 as part of the information collected at European level for public health purposes.

The following represents the list of microorganisms whose detection is collected and monitored at European level by ECDC.

SNOMED ID	FSN
91288006	Acinetobacter baumannii (organism)
82550008	Acinetobacter calcoaceticus (organism)
77045006	Acinetobacter haemolyticus (organism)
83088009	Acinetobacter lwoffii (organism)
59343002	Anaerobic bacteria (organism)
32684000	Aspergillus fumigatus (organism)
89354002	Aspergillus niger (organism)
55247009	Bacteroides fragilis (organism)
53490009	Beta-hemolytic Streptococcus (organism)
113669008	Burkholderia cepacia (organism)
53326005	Candida albicans (organism)
3,491E+12	Candida auris (organism)
61302002	Candida parapsilosis (organism)
47885008	Candida tropicalis (organism)
6265002	Citrobacter freundii (organism)
114264004	Citrobacter koseri (organism)
5933001	Clostridioides difficile (organism)
445562004	Cronobacter sakazakii (organism)
409822003	Domain Bacteria (organism)
14385002	Enterobacter cloacae (organism)
78065002	Enterococcus faecalis (organism)
90272000	Enterococcus faecium (organism)

112283007	Escherichia coli (organism)
106544002	Family Enterobacteriaceae (organism)
417513008	Family Enterococcaceae (organism)
427501004	Family Moraxellaceae (organism)
115072003	Family Neisseriaceae (organism)
115070006	Family Pseudomonadaceae (organism)
414225004	Family Staphylococcaceae (organism)
264408003	Filamentous fungus (organism)
91620006	Genus Achromobacter (organism)
7757008	Genus Acinetobacter (organism)
40560008	Genus Actinomyces (organism)
88529008	Genus Aeromonas (organism)
33436009	Genus Agrobacterium (organism)
68571003	Genus Alcaligenes (organism)
2429008	Genus Aspergillus (organism)
44762009	Genus Bacillus (organism)
57522007	Genus Bacteroides (organism)
35408001	Genus Campylobacter (organism)
3265006	Genus Candida (organism)
16241000	Genus Chlamydia (organism)
75972000	Genus Citrobacter (organism)
8191000	Genus Clostridium (organism)
77086004	Genus Corynebacterium (organism)
407444007	Genus Cytomegalovirus (organism)
243633006	Genus Enterovirus (organism)
18986002	Genus Flavobacterium (organism)
69256005	Genus Gardnerella (organism)
71268004	Genus Haemophilus (organism)

20523001	Genus Hafnia (organism)
43690008	Genus Lactobacillus (organism)
7527002	Genus Legionella (organism)
50713005	Genus Morganella (organism)
78981005	Genus Mycoplasma (organism)
59674005	Genus Nocardia (organism)
407359000	Genus Norovirus (organism)
87579009	Genus Pasteurella (organism)
114129000	Genus Prevotella (organism)
34844008	Genus Propionibacterium (organism)
50517009	Genus Proteus (organism)
112284001	Genus Providencia (organism)
417542000	Genus Rotavirus (organism)
27268008	Genus Salmonella (organism)
42025004	Genus Serratia (organism)
77352002	Genus Shigella (organism)
65119002	Genus Staphylococcus (organism)
4668009	Genus Yersinia (organism)
87172008	Gram-negative bacillus (organism)
18383003	Gram-negative coccus (organism)
83514008	Gram-positive bacillus (organism)
59206002	Gram-positive coccus (organism)
44470000	Haemophilus influenzae (organism)
51593004	Haemophilus parainfluenzae (organism)
80774000	Helicobacter pylori (organism)
32452004	Hepatitis A virus (organism)
81665004	Hepatitis B virus (organism)
62944002	Hepatitis C virus (organism)

74871001	Human adenovirus (organism)
19965007	Human herpes simplex virus (organism)
19030005	Human immunodeficiency virus (organism)
407498006	Human parainfluenza viruses (organism)
6415009	Human respiratory syncytial virus (organism)
1838001	Human rhinovirus (organism)
407479009	Influenza A virus (organism)
407480007	Influenza B virus (organism)
407482004	Influenza C virus (organism)
414561005	Kingdom Fungi (organism)
62592009	Klebsiella aerogenes (organism)
40886007	Klebsiella oxytoca (organism)
56415008	Klebsiella pneumoniae (organism)
36094007	Listeria monocytogenes (organism)
24226003	Moraxella catarrhalis (organism)
113858008	Mycobacterium tuberculosis complex (organism)
110379001	Mycobacterium, non-tuberculosis (organism)
444877006	Nakaseomyces glabratus (organism)
17872004	Neisseria meningitidis (organism)
417937002	Order Enterobacterales (organism)
115015008	Pantoea agglomerans (organism)
16452009	Pichia kudriavzevii (organism)
716346000	Pluralibacter gergoviae (organism)
73457008	Proteus mirabilis (organism)
45834001	Proteus vulgaris (organism)
52499004	Pseudomonas aeruginosa (organism)
5595000	Salmonella enterica subspecies enterica serovar Typhi (organism)

73525009	Salmonella Enteritidis (organism)
50136005	Salmonella Typhimurium (organism)
23787004	Serratia liquefaciens (organism)
33522002	Serratia marcescens (organism)
1263733001	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus (organism)
840533007	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (organism)
3092008	Staphylococcus aureus (organism)
60875001	Staphylococcus epidermidis (organism)
83452006	Staphylococcus haemolyticus (organism)
116197008	Staphylococcus, coagulase negative (organism)
113697002	Stenotrophomonas maltophilia (organism)
43492007	Streptococcus agalactiae (organism)
9861002	Streptococcus pneumoniae (organism)
80166006	Streptococcus pyogenes (organism)
19551004	Varicellovirus humanalpha3 (organism)
49872002	Virus (organism)
62093005	Yeast (organism)

Table 11: List of microorganisms whose detection is submitted to ECDC

In the case of Streptococcus Pneumoniae also the serotype as shown in Table 12 is to be transmitted.

SNOMED CODE	FSN
415607008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 1 (organism)
415621005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 10 (organism)
415608003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10A (organism)
428124003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10B (organism)
698103009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10C (organism)
441602004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10F (organism)
363768008	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 11 (organism)

419071000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11A (organism)
698104003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11B (organism)
698105002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11C (organism)
698106001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11D (organism)
763392007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11E (organism)
698107005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11F (organism)
116500005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 12 (organism)
698108000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 12A (organism)
698109008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 12B (organism)
419305002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 12F (organism)
428366009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 13 (organism)
103498008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 14 (organism)
415609006	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 15 (organism)
443239003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15A (organism)
415610001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15B (organism)
1339010008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15B or Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15C (finding)
443240001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15C (organism)
698110003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15F (organism)
131362008	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 16 (organism)
698111004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 16A (organism)
698112006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 16F (organism)
131361001	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 17 (organism)
698113001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 17A (organism)
420138009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 17F (organism)
418147001	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 18 (organism)
698114007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18A (organism)
698115008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18B (organism)

418451009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18C (organism)
698116009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18F (organism)
127541006	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 19 (organism)
415611002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19A (organism)
698117000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19B (organism)
698118005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19C (organism)
419915004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19F (organism)
419527005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 2 (organism)
767202000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 20 (organism)
698097002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 21 (organism)
363767003	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 22 (organism)
441566007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 22A (organism)
420216004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 22F (organism)
415613004	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 23 (organism)
698098007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 23A (organism)
427741005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 23B (organism)
418217008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 23F (organism)
698099004	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 24 (organism)
698119002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 24A (organism)
698120008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 24B (organism)
698121007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 24F (organism)
698122000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 25 (organism)
698123005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 25A (organism)
698124004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 25F (organism)
698125003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 27 (organism)
443155000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 28 (organism)
444352000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 28A (organism)
444353005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 28F (organism)

131363003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 29 (organism)
103497003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 3 (organism)
443670000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 31 (organism)
698126002	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 32 (organism)
698127006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 32A (organism)
698128001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 32F (organism)
415614005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 33 (organism)
442049002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33A (organism)
698129009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33B (organism)
698130004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33C (organism)
698131000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33D (organism)
420148006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33F (organism)
767201007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 34 (organism)
429569005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 35 (organism)
698132007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35A (organism)
698133002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35B (organism)
698134008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35C (organism)
698135009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35F (organism)
698136005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 36 (organism)
698137001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 37 (organism)
767204004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 38 (organism)
767208001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 39 (organism)
415616007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 4 (organism)
767274003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 40 (organism)
698138006	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 41 (organism)
698139003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 41A (organism)
698140001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 41F (organism)
767285001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 42 (organism)

767284002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 43 (organism)
767283008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 44 (organism)
767282003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 45 (organism)
767281005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 46 (organism)
698146007	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 47 (organism)
698147003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 47A (organism)
698148008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 47F (organism)
767275002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 48 (organism)
419871001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 5 (organism)
415618008	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 6 (organism)
443156004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6A (organism)
418902003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6B (organism)
698095005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6C (organism)
719028004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6D (organism)
441523000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 7 (organism)
415619000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7A (organism)
698102004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7B (organism)
698096006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7C (organism)
103499000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7F (organism)
418759005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 8 (organism)
417270004	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 9 (organism)
419167001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9A (organism)
418883007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9L (organism)
103500009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9N (organism)
418322006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9V (organism)

Table 12: SNOMED codes and fully specified names for the *Streptococcus pneumonia* serotypes collected by ECDC.

Among the laboratory tests, the microbiology procedures such as those shown in Table 13 allow for coding the type of investigation performed, while also providing the option to further specify the methodology used via the FHIR Observation.method element:

LOINC ID	Fully Specified Name
41852-5	Microorganism or agent identified in Specimen
11475-1	Microorganism identified in Specimen by Culture

Table 13: LOINC codes to describe the procedure for the detection of a microorganism without specifying a method and via culture.

LOINC offers additional codes that include specific methodologies, such as PCR. However, discussions are still ongoing among experts regarding the appropriate level of detail to include when describing the test performed.

Considering the increasing global health threat caused by antimicrobial resistance the value sets concerning susceptibility tests are also very important. In particular, we highlight those whose results are collected by ECDC as illustrated in Table 14. In the same table also tests detecting presence of resistant agents are included at the bottom.

LOINC	Fully specified name
18863-1	5-Fluorocytosine [Susceptibility]
18862-3	Amikacin [Susceptibility]
18878-9	Amoxicillin [Susceptibility]
51724-3	Amoxicillin+Clavulanate [Susceptibility]
32378-2	Amoxicillin+Clavulanate [Susceptibility]
18908-4	Amphotericin B [Susceptibility]
18910-0	Ampicillin [Susceptibility]
73603-3	Azithromycin [Susceptibility]
73602-5	Beta lactamase.extended spectrum [Susceptibility]
18916-7	Caspofungin [Susceptibility]
100049-6	Cefamandole [Susceptibility]
6984-9	ceFAZolin [Susceptibility]
99280-0	Cefepime [Susceptibility]
18855-7	Cefiderocol [Susceptibility]
18923-3	Cefotaxime [Susceptibility]
18924-1	cefOXitin [Susceptibility]
25596-8	Cefpirome [Susceptibility]
18927-4	cefTAZidime [Susceptibility]
18937-3	cefTAZidime+Avibactam [Susceptibility]
18945-6	Ceftolozane+Tazobactam [Susceptibility]
88892-5	cefTRIAxone [Susceptibility]
18952-2	Cefuroxime [Susceptibility]
18954-8	Cephalothin [Susceptibility]
18994-4	Ciprofloxacin [Susceptibility]
73592-8	Clarithromycin [Susceptibility]

18972-0	Clindamycin [Susceptibility]
23640-6	Cloxacillin [Susceptibility]
41739-4	Colistin [Susceptibility]
18998-5	DAPTOMycin [Susceptibility]
18993-6	Dicloxacillin [Susceptibility]
18991-0	Doripenem [Susceptibility]
18900-1	Eravacycline [Susceptibility]
18876-3	Ertapenem [Susceptibility]
18889-6	Erythromycin [Susceptibility]
60535-2	Floxacin [Susceptibility]
18964-7	Fluconazole [Susceptibility]
18907-6	Fosfomycin [Susceptibility]
18919-1	Fusidate [Susceptibility]
18866-4	Gentamicin [Susceptibility]
20629-2	Gentamicin.high potency [Susceptibility]
31039-1	Imipenem [Susceptibility]
18888-8	Ketoconazole [Susceptibility]
18961-3	levoFLOXacin [Susceptibility]
18906-8	Linezolid [Susceptibility]
18974-6	Meropenem [Susceptibility]
29258-1	Meropenem+Vaborbactam [Susceptibility]
35789-7	Methicillin [Susceptibility]
18864-9	Moxifloxacin [Susceptibility]
18861-5	Nalidixate [Susceptibility]
18929-0	Netilmicin [Susceptibility]
19000-9	Norfloxacin [Susceptibility]
18989-4	Ofloxacin [Susceptibility]
18862-3	Oxacillin [Susceptibility]

18886-2	Penicillin [Susceptibility]
18893-8	Piperacillin [Susceptibility]
18895-3	Piperacillin+Tazobactam [Susceptibility]
18879-7	Plazomicin [Susceptibility]
18928-2	Polymyxin B [Susceptibility]
18996-9	Quinupristin+Dalbapristin [Susceptibility]
18860-7	rifAMPin [Susceptibility]
18959-7	Sulbactam [Susceptibility]
18956-3	Teicoplanin [Susceptibility]
18932-4	Temocillin [Susceptibility]
18943-1	Tetracycline [Susceptibility]
35802-8	Ticarcillin [Susceptibility]
42357-4	Tigecycline [Susceptibility]
18912-6	Tobramycin [Susceptibility]
18970-4	Trimethoprim+Sulfamethoxazole [Susceptibility]
18969-6	Vancomycin [Susceptibility]
48813-0	Methicillin resistance mecA gene [Presence] by Molecular method
104864-4	Beta lactamase.extended spectrum [Presence]
86930-5	Carbapenemase [Presence] in Isolate

Table 14: List of microbiology tests concerning resistance submitted to ECDC.

The following Information shown in Table 15 on the type of encounter between patient and healthcare provider is relevant to monitor, control and find root causes of infections and are reported to the ECDC.

Variable	FHIR	Values
Department type	Encounter.serviceType	702877000 Internal medicine clinic (environment) 309945009 Pediatric department (environment) 309910001 Pediatric intensive care unit (environment) 418433008 Surgical intensive care unit (environment) 309902002 Clinical oncology department (environment) 309942007 Obstetrics and gynecology department (environment) 309904001 Intensive care unit (environment) 225728007 Accident and Emergency department (environment) 309932005 Genitourinary medicine department (environment) 309934006 Infectious diseases department (environment) 74964007 Other (qualifier value) 261665006 Unknown (qualifier value)
Patient type	Encounter.class	416800000 Inpatient (person) 373864002 Outpatient (person) 74964007 Other (qualifier value) 261665006 Unknown (qualifier value)

Table 15: List of data elements relevant for the ECDC data collections.

Tumour-specific information is not explicitly addressed in the IPS+R dataset, but it is partly covered by the problem ad medication list. The following cancer-specific information are collected by ENCR through ECIS and are relevant for cancer monitoring. The specific value sets can be found in Annex III.

Basis of diagnosis	This variable indicates the degree of certainty with which the diagnosis of cancer has been established.
Topography	This variable indicates the anatomic site of the primary tumours.
Morphology	This variable records the type of cell that has become neoplastic, the specific histological term.

Behaviour	This variable indicates whether a tumour is malignant, benign, in situ, or of uncertain behaviour.
Grade of differentiation / immunophenotype	This variable describes how much a tumour resembles the normal tissues from which it arose and is also used to denote cell lineage for leukaemias and lymphomas.
Tumour Stage	This variable describes the stage of the tumour

Table 16: *List of cancer-related elements from the ECIS protocol to be considered for IPS+R.*

Table 16 shows cancer-related elements that could be added to the IPS+R. As the European Cancer data Model is in progress, we believe it appropriate to wait until it is published before taking further actions in this field.

7. Pilot Dashboards

To show the potentiality of using the European EHRxF for data from primary use to secondary use, the three Partners Charite, Monasterio and Sciensano propose three possible dashboards useful for Public Health where data from the categories prioritised by EHDS can be visualised for public health purposes.

The three planned dashboards to be realised through Tasks 4.4 and 4.5 will be described here below as well as their link to the European EHRxF. The partner CINECA is in charge of developing the dashboards and the partner BRIDG OU will take care of the AI functionalities

It is important to underline that transferring patient data from the data owners' servers to external infrastructures such as CINECA or BRIDG—both of which are independent organizations located in different countries—has proven to be a complex and challenging process. This complexity arises primarily from the stringent data protection regulations in place across jurisdictions, which can significantly delay or even prevent the movement of sensitive health data.

Despite these obstacles, all three partners have made considerable efforts to overcome these barriers, including submitting multiple data access applications and engaging with various working groups to obtain relevant permissions. These efforts are ongoing, and we remain hopeful that they will ultimately be successful, enabling us to access and utilize the necessary data to support and populate the dashboards.

Data security

Data will be handled according to the CINECA security procedures and deleted according to the agreement with the data holder after the end of the project. All data collection and processing activities by CINECA will adhere to applicable data protection regulations, including the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and relevant national laws. CINECA follows industry best practices and holds ISO/IEC 27001 and ISDP 10003 certifications, ensuring a high standard of information security and data protection. The data will be handled securely, maintaining confidentiality, integrity, and restricted access to authorised personnel only. Before being received by CINECA, the data requested and processed within this protocol will undergo an anonymisation process. To mitigate the risk of re-identification—particularly in cases where aggregated datasets may still allow for individual identification—confirmation will be required to ensure that the data is fully anonymised and contains no personally identifiable information (PII). Additionally, appropriate safeguards will be in place to prevent unauthorised access, disclosure, or misuse. BRIDG OU will use the requested data exclusively for the ideation of artificial intelligence functionalities as defined in Task 4.5 of the xShare project. No data will be shared with third parties under any circumstances. Only aggregated and anonymised data will be processed unless a specific legal basis permits the use of identifiable data. Strict technical and organisational measures will be implemented to ensure data security, including controlled access, encryption, and secure storage. Data subjects' rights, including access, rectification, and objection, will be upheld in accordance with GDPR.

7.1 The Charite Pilot: Nosocomial infections and circadian cycle

This pilot intends to develop a dashboard to provide information on the incidence of Hospital-acquired bacterial or fungal superinfections requiring antibiotic or antifungal therapy in a cohort of patients infected with the SARS-CoV-2 virus who were admitted to Intensive Care Units (ICU) in a large university hospital in Germany.

The dashboard will display data related to patients' clinical course, offering a visual representation and the opportunity to investigate the relationship of the administration of antibiotic or antifungal therapy

in the context of superinfections and its correlation with circadian patterns. These patterns will be assessed using continuous measurements of blood pressure, heart rate and oxygen saturation.

In addition, the dashboard will integrate additional medication data, relevant laboratory results, critical care scores such as APACHE (Acute Physiology and Chronic Health Evaluation), SOFA (Sequential Organ Failure Assessment), CAM-ICU (Confusion Assessment Method for the ICU), and RASS (Richmond Agitation-Sedation Scale). This integrated dataset will enable a comprehensive analysis of the interplay between circadian disruption, disease progression, and therapeutic response in critically ill patients.

The data is based on cohort of 1,400 patients admitted to the ICUs of Charité University Hospital in Berlin between January 2020 to December 2022.

7.1.1 Aims

This pilot aims to assess critical data on the incidence of hospital-acquired superinfections in COVID-19 patients with an ICU stay of at least 5 days. In addition to characterizing infection patterns, the study will leverage continuously monitored vital and physiological parameters to explore the potential associations between the occurrence of superinfections and disruptions of the circadian rhythm, used as a proxy marker of immune system dysregulation. By integrating temporal physiological signatures with infection data, this work is expected to yield novel insights that may inform the development of personalized strategies for infection prevention and control in critically ill patients.

7.1.2 Scientific Background

Over recent decades, healthcare systems have faced repeated outbreaks and spreads of emerging and re-emerging infections, culminating in the COVID-19 pandemic, which has caused over 7 million deaths globally. Among hospitalized COVID-19 patients, particularly those requiring intensive care therapy, bacterial and fungal superinfections have emerged as significant complications, contributing to increased mortality, and prolonged mechanical ventilation¹. While empirical antibiotic therapy is commonly administered in these settings, its indiscriminate use can promote antimicrobial resistance, highlighting the need for personalized and targeted therapeutic strategies.

One relevant, yet underexplored factor that may influence susceptibility to infection and recovery is the circadian rhythm, the body's internal 24-hour clock that regulates a wide range of physiological processes, including sleep-wake cycles, hormonal secretion, and immune function. It is synchronized primarily by environmental cues, such as light and darkness. In critically ill patients, however, circadian rhythms are frequently disrupted due to ICU-related factors like inadequate light exposure, sedation and mechanical ventilation. This disruption can impair immune regulation, thereby potentially increasing vulnerability to infection and worsening treatment outcomes.

Emerging evidence increasingly points to circadian rhythm disruption as a contributing factor to increased infection susceptibility. Still, the current literature does not provide direct evidence or studies linking circadian rhythm disruption to the occurrence of bacterial or fungal superinfections, especially in the context of ICU-treated COVID-19 patients.

In this context, the use of advanced data analysis methods to continuously monitored vital signs such as blood pressure, heart rate, and oxygen saturation, presents a valuable opportunity to identify associations between circadian rhythm disruption and the risk of superinfections in COVID-19 patients at an individual level. By analyzing these temporal patterns in relation to infection onset, we may uncover individual-level associations between circadian disruption and superinfection risk. This knowledge could enhance our understanding of how critical illness influences —or is associated to— circadian regulation.

7.1.3 Materials and Methods

Inclusion Criteria

- COVID-19 patients admitted at the ICU of the Charité University Hospital in Berlin
- ICU stay of ≥ 5 days with continuous monitoring of vital signs

- Patients with documented consent for data reuse

Variables

The variables describe the data collected for about 1,400 COVID-19 ICU patients at Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin hospital between 2020 and 2022, each with a minimum stay of 5 days with continuous monitoring of vital signs. The data will be used for statistical analyses and the development of predictive models by the xShare partners CINECA and BRIDG.

Data will be anonymized and transferred to CINECA and BRIDGE using secure protocols and supplied in a CSV format by Charité.

The variables covered in this pilot are included in the six prioritised categories of the EHDS regulation and could be collected using a standard format from primary care to secondary use. Table 17 below shows the mapping between the pilot variables and the x-Bundles. The planned dashboard could be extended to any hospital, and the same analysis or data transformation algorithms could be re-used across hospitals when using the same formats.

Category	Variable	x-Bundle	FHIR	eHN datasets
Demographics	Age	Discharge Report	Patient.birthDate	A.1.1.3
	Sex		Patient.gender	A.1.1.6
	Covid-19 Immunisation status		Immunisation.status	A.2.5.1.4.1
Vital Measurements	Invasive blood pressure measurements	Discharge Report	Observation.code/ Observation.component .code/value	2.7.1.4
	Heart Rate		Observation.code/value	2.7.1.4
	Oxygen Saturation		Observation.code/value	2.7.1.4
	Scales and scores		Observation.code/value	2.7.1.4
	Height, Weight, BMI		Observation.code/value	A. 2.7.1.3
Microbiology	Detection of infectious microorganism	Laboratory Report	Observation.code/value	A.5.2.3 A.5.2.11
	Antimicrobial resistance results		Observation.interpretation	A.5.2.12

	Date of results		Observation.issued	
	Date sample was collected		Specimen.collected	A.4.4
Diagnosis	Comorbidities/Diagnoses	Discharge Report/Synthesis	Condition.code	A.2.6.7.1
	Duration		Condition.onset/abatement	A.2.6.7.1
Treatment	Prescribed /dispensed Medication	Discharge Report/ Pharmacotherapy	Medication.code	A.2.6.5
	Procedures	Discharge Report/Significant procedures	Procedure.code	A.2.5.1.3
Outcome	ICU length of stay	Discharge Report	Encounter.period	A.2.3.6.1
	Discharge medication		Medication.request	A.2.8.2
	Disease status at discharge from ICU		Condition. clinicalStatus	A.2.5.1.1.4
	Vital Status at discharge from ICU		Encounter.admission. dischargeDisposition	A.2.3.5.2
Admission	Type of ICU		Encounter.location	A.2.3.6

Table 17: Charite Pilot variables and their Mapping to the x-Bundles

Foreseen data analytics

- Incidence of HAIs for COVID-19 patients admitted to the ICU unit
- Incidence of antimicrobial resistant (AMR) infections for the detected HAIs
- Prescription and dispensation of antimicrobial substances used to treat the patients
- Incidence of HAIs for COVID-19 patients admitted to the ICU unit in relation to the temporal patterns of vitals
- Incidence of antimicrobial resistant (AMR) infections for the detected HAIs in relation to the temporal patterns of vitals
- Differences of response to treatment based on the temporal patterns of vitals
- Incidence of HAIs for COVID-19 patients, with at least one vaccination, admitted to the ICU unit in relation to the temporal patterns of vitals
- Incidence of post operative delirium in relation to the circadian rhythm

Foreseen AI functionalities

- Predict the risk of developing a hospital-acquired infection in ICU COVID-19 patients.
- Build a deep learning model to analyse how circadian rhythm disruptions correlate with the timing and severity of hospital-acquired superinfections.
- Evaluate how circadian misalignment affects response to antimicrobial treatment.
- Identify if vaccinated patients show different infection patterns or treatment responses when circadian rhythms are disrupted
- Predict postoperative delirium using vitals and demographic data

Ethics committee

This pilot study is covered under an amendment to the existing Charité Ethics Committee approval for the project ‘Retrospective Investigation of Circadian Disruption and Clinical Phenotypes in ICU Patients with COVID-19 (CP-COVID-19)’.

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7.2 The Monasterio pilot: Surveillance of Healthcare-Associated Infections in a Specialised Cardiac Centre

This pilot proposes a close view on the epidemiology of Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAIs) at the Monasterio Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery Hospital in Massa and Pisa, Italy. Given Monasterio's specialised focus on complex cardiac conditions and surgical interventions, its patient population is inherently at high risk for HAIs, including surgical site infections (SSIs), central line-associated bloodstream infections (CLABSIs), catheter-associated urinary tract infections (CAUTIs), and ventilator-associated pneumonia (VAP).

This pilot aims to implement systematic surveillance using standardised international definitions, collect comprehensive data on patient characteristics, procedures, device usage, and microbial isolates, and analyze local HAI rates, trends, risk factors, and outcomes.

The findings have the potential to provide crucial local epidemiological data to inform and evaluate targeted infection prevention and control (IPC) strategies, enhance antimicrobial stewardship, and ultimately improve patient safety and clinical outcomes within this specialised high-risk setting.

7.2.1 Aims

Primary Aims

To determine the incidence density rates (e.g., infections per 1000 patient-days or device-days) and types of major HAIs (specifically SSIs including deep sternal wound infections/mediastinitis, CLABSIs, CAUTIs, VAP) among patients admitted to Monasterio Hospital over a defined monitoring period.

Secondary Aims

- To identify patient-related, procedure-related, and device-related risk factors associated with the development of HAIs within Monasterio's cardiac patient population.
- To characterize the most common pathogens causing HAIs at Monasterio and determine their antimicrobial susceptibility patterns.
- To evaluate the impact of specific HAIs on patient outcomes, including length of hospital stay, ICU stay, re-operation rates, and in-hospital mortality.
- To provide baseline data for evaluating the effectiveness of current and future IPC interventions implemented at the hospital.

7.2.2 Scientific Background

Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAIs) represent a significant cause of morbidity, mortality, and increased healthcare costs worldwide. Patients undergoing cardiac surgery or complex cardiac interventions are particularly vulnerable due to factors such as prolonged surgical times, use of cardiopulmonary bypass, extensive use of invasive devices (central venous catheters, urinary catheters, mechanical ventilation, pacemakers, ventricular assist devices), underlying cardiac comorbidities, and frequent ICU admissions.

Surgical Site Infections (SSIs), especially deep sternal wound infections and mediastinitis following cardiac surgery, are associated with devastating consequences. Similarly, CLABSIs, VAP, and CAUTIs contribute significantly to patient burden in this population.

While general HAI epidemiology is known, rates and risk factors can vary substantially between institutions, particularly in specialised centers like Monasterio. Local surveillance data, using standardised definitions, are essential for understanding the specific challenges, identifying targets for intervention, monitoring trends, and benchmarking performance. Furthermore, tracking causative pathogens and their resistance patterns is critical for guiding empirical antibiotic therapy and informing antimicrobial stewardship programs to combat the growing threat of antimicrobial resistance (AMR).

7.2.3 Materials and Methods

Study Design

Prospective, observational cohort study.

Study Setting

Monasterio Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery Hospital sites (Massa and Pisa). Wards included will be Cardiac Surgery, Intensive Care Units (ICU), Cardiology.

Study Population

All patients admitted to the participating wards for >48 hours during the defined study period. Specific inclusion/exclusion criteria will be defined (e.g., excluding patients admitted with pre-existing infections).

Variables

Trained infection control personnel or research staff will conduct active surveillance. Data will be collected prospectively using standardised case report forms (CRFs), potentially integrated with the hospital's Electronic Health Record (EHR) system. Data points include:

- Patient Demographics: Age, sex, relevant comorbidities (e.g. diabetes, renal failure, obesity, smoking status, immunosuppression).
- Admission & Procedure Details: ward; type of cardiac procedure (CABG, valve surgery, transplant, VAD, catheterisation, device implantation), duration, emergency vs. elective, use of cardiopulmonary bypass.
- Device Exposure: Dates and duration of central venous lines, arterial lines, urinary catheters, mechanical ventilation, temporary pacemakers, ECMO, VADs.
- Microbiology: Results of relevant cultures (blood, urine, respiratory secretions, wound swabs/tissue), identified pathogens.
- Infection Data: Date of onset, type of HAI, treatment administered.
- Outcomes: Length of ICU stay, total hospital stay, re-operation, in-hospital mortality.

Category	Variable	x-Bundle	FHIR	eHN datasets
Demographics	Age	Discharge Report	Patient.birthDate	A.1.1.3
	Sex		Patient.gender	A.1.1.6
Admission	Admission urgency	Discharge Report	Ecounter.type	A.2.3.3.1
	Duration		Encounter.period	A.2.3.6.1
Comorbidities	Comorbidities		Condition.code	2.6.7.1
Device exposure	Device type	Discharge Report	Device.type	A.2.5.1.2.1
	Duration		DeviceUseStatement.timing	A.2.5.1.2.3 A.2.5.1.2.4
Microbiology observations	Identification of microorganism	Laboratory Report	Observation.code	A.5.2.3
	Observation Result		Observation.value	A.5.2.11
Infections	Type of HAI	Discharge Report	Condition.code	A.2.6.1.2
	Date of onset		Condition.onset	A.2.6.1.3
	Treatment administered		Medication.code	A.2.6.5.2
Outcome	ICU length of stay	Discharge Report	Encounter.period	A.2.3.6.1

	Discharge medication		Medication.request	A.2.8.2
	Vital Status at discharge from ICU		Encounter.admission.dischargeDisposition	A.2.3.5.2

Table 18: *Monasterio Pilot variables and their Mapping to the x-Bundles.*

Data Management

Data are collected in the EEHRxF Format, according to the specifications of xShare project WP2, using common vocabularies for coded concepts (ICD9 for conditions and procedures, LOINC for laboratory measurements and observations). Collected data are transmitted to CINECA for appropriate processing and representation. Data won't contain personal or sensitive information.

Foreseen data analytics

1. **Overall HAI Incidence Density Rate:** Number of HAIs per 1000 patient-days.
2. **SSI Incidence Rate:**
 - Number of SSIs per 100 relevant surgical procedures.
 - Incidence rate of deep sternal wound infections/mediastinitis per 100 relevant cardiac surgeries.
3. **CLABSI Incidence Density Rate:** Number of CLABSIs per 1000 central line-days.
4. **CAUTI Incidence Density Rate:** Number of CAUTIs per 1000 urinary catheter-days.
5. **VAP Incidence Density Rate:** Number of VAPs per 1000 ventilator-days.
6. **Distribution of HAI Types:** Percentage of total HAIs represented by SSIs, CLABSIs, CAUTIs, VAP, and other HAIs.
7. **Mean/Median Length of Hospital Stay:**
 - Overall.
 - For patients with HAIs vs. without HAIs.
 - Attributable increase in length of stay due to specific HAIs.
8. **Mean/Median Length of ICU Stay:**
 - Overall.
 - For patients with HAIs vs. without HAIs.
 - Attributable increase in ICU length of stay due to specific HAIs.
9. **Re-operation Rate:**
 - Overall.

- For patients with SSIs vs. without SSIs.

10. In-hospital Mortality Rate:

- Overall.
- For patients with HAIs vs. without HAIs.
- Attributable mortality due to specific HAIs

Foreseen AI functionalities

Possible AI functionalities for the Monasterio HAI Pilot, assuming the synthetic data is designed to mimic real-world complexities or for future application with real data:

1. Predictive Risk Stratification for HAIs:

- **Functionality:** Develop machine learning models (e.g., logistic regression, random forests, gradient boosting, neural networks) to predict the individual risk of a patient developing specific HAIs (SSI, CLABSI, CAUTI, VAP) upon admission or post-procedure.
- **Input Data (from the described variables):** Patient demographics, comorbidities, admission/procedure details (type, duration, emergency vs. elective, cardiopulmonary bypass).
- **Benefit with Synthetic Data:** Allows for model development, feature importance identification, and hypothesis generation in a safe environment. These models can be refined and validated before potential deployment with real data.
- **Benefit (Future/Real Data):** Could help identify high-risk patients for targeted preventative measures, optimizing resource allocation for IPC.

2. Early Detection/Alerting for Potential HAIs (Anomaly Detection):

- **Functionality:** AI models could monitor streams of (synthetic) patient data (e.g., simulated lab results, vital signs if available in the model, device usage duration) to flag patients whose patterns deviate significantly from a "healthy" trajectory or resemble early signs of known infection profiles.
- **Input Data:** Simulated daily data points (if the synthetic data generation model includes time-series elements for vitals, lab markers, or device in-situ duration).
- **Benefit with Synthetic Data:** Test the feasibility of such systems and identify key early indicators within the simulated environment.
- **Benefit (Future/Real Data):** Potentially earlier intervention, even before overt clinical signs are recognized.

3. Pathogen and Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) Pattern Analysis & Prediction:

- **Functionality:**
 - Use AI (e.g., clustering, association rule mining) to identify patterns in pathogen distribution and their association with specific patient profiles, procedures, or wards.

- Predict trends in antimicrobial resistance based on historical (simulated) susceptibility data.
 - **Input Data:** Microbiology results (pathogens, susceptibility patterns), patient characteristics, procedure types.
 - **Benefit with Synthetic Data:** Explore complex relationships between pathogens, resistance, and patient factors within the model. Test algorithms for AMR trend prediction.
 - **Benefit (Future/Real Data):** Inform empirical antibiotic choices, guide antimicrobial stewardship programs, and highlight emerging resistance threats.
4. **Natural Language Processing (NLP) for Enhanced Data Extraction:**
- **Functionality:** since some data are free-text (e.g., nursing notes, surgical reports), NLP could extract nuanced information about risk factors, early infection signs, or adherence to IPC protocols not captured in coded fields.
 - **Input Data:** free-text clinical notes.
 - **Benefit with Synthetic Data:** Could be used to develop and pre-train NLP models on synthetic text generated to mimic real clinical notes.
 - **Benefit:** Richer dataset for all other AI applications, more comprehensive surveillance.
5. **Optimizing IPC Intervention Strategies (Simulation & Reinforcement Learning):**
- **Functionality:** If the synthetic data generation can be dynamically influenced (i.e., an "in silico model"), AI (potentially reinforcement learning) could be used to simulate the impact of different IPC interventions (e.g., enhanced hand hygiene, specific device care bundles) on HAI rates.
 - **Input Data:** Baseline HAI rates from the synthetic cohort, intervention parameters.
 - **Benefit with Synthetic Data:** Allows "what-if" scenario testing to see which (simulated) interventions have the most significant impact on reducing (simulated) HAIs, guiding future real-world trials.

Ethics committee

Not needed, only synthetic data will be used. Random generation in ranges defined for each variable, according to the physiological model constraints and event to be simulated. Real world event schema follow-up: random values generation based on in silico model defined on real-world scenarios.

7.3 The Sciensano Pilot:

7.3.1 Aims

This pilot intends to develop a dashboard using standardised laboratory surveillance data on Salmonella infections collected across Belgium via the EPILABO sentinel network and the National Reference Center (NRC) for Salmonella and Shigella infections. Salmonella surveillance in Belgium is conducted within these two complementary laboratory networks, and the collected data allows Sciensano to produce harmonised datasets for surveillance and epidemiological analysis.

The aim is to showcase how routinely collected data from diagnostic labs can be reused in real-time to monitor public health threats—specifically Salmonella incidence and AMR patterns—by aligning with the European Electronic Health Record Exchange Format (EEHRxF). The dashboard hopes to allow public health authorities to visualize weekly and regional incidence of Salmonella infections, make predictions concerning the spread and epidemiology of Salmonella, and assess trends in antibiotic resistance (AMR) in Salmonella bacteria over time. This use case intends to demonstrate the potential for secondary reuse of microbiology and epidemiologic data from primary care diagnostic systems for European public health monitoring.

7.3.2 Scientific Background

Salmonella is a leading foodborne pathogen in Europe with growing antimicrobial resistance (AMR), especially in zoonotic vectors such as poultry and pork. Resistant strains, often linked to international food supply chains, pose dangerous risks to both human and animal health. Invasive infections increasingly show reduced susceptibility to critical antibiotics, which complicates treatment and public health control. Surveillance is needed for tracking infection trends, identifying outbreaks, and monitoring AMR.

Integrating microbiological, genomic, and epidemiological data is critical for timely outbreak detection and effective AMR management. Currently, Belgian labs report Salmonella detections to Sciensano through EPILABO and National Reference Centers, which feed into national dashboards, confirmed case databases, and the be.Prepared architecture. Be.prepared is an interoperable infrastructure which aims to facilitate the secure central collection, processing and linkage of laboratory, clinical and epidemiology data with microbial genomic indicator data from whole genome sequencing (WGC) analyses. The integration of data intends to strengthen surveillance, tracking of AMR, and support preparedness for possible future health threats.

However, data standardisation remains a challenge due to format heterogeneity and lack of automated coding in laboratories. Aligning with EEHRxF and HL7 FHIR could facilitate integration across diagnostic systems and enable reuse of structured lab data for European-level monitoring and AI predictive applications. Additionally, the timeliness and cross-border ease of data exchange are key for preparedness and surveillance.

7.3.3 Materials and methods

This prospective pilot envisions integrating microbiological and epidemiological data from Belgium's Salmonella surveillance system. While Sciensano coordinates the National Reference Center and sentinel lab network (Epilabo), actual data access remains complex: ownership is decentralised, and permissions are required from hospitals, labs, and regulatory bodies. Data requests are handled by healthdata.be and the Belgian Health Data Agency (HDA), often with lengthy approval processes. Ongoing discussions with the Be.Prepared team are also exploring potential synergies and how xShare could build on national efforts to scale surveillance infrastructure to the European level.

If data access is granted, variables could include pathogen type, resistance profiles, outbreak location, and associated metadata, structured according to EEHRxF standards to enable dashboard development.

Category	Variable	x-Bundle	FHIR	eHN datasets
Demographics	Age	Discharge Report	Patient.birthDate	A.1.1.3
	Sex		Patient.gender	A.1.1.6
	Region		Brussels ; Flanders ; Wallonia	

	Hospitalisation Status		Encounter.class	
Microbiology	Detection of infectious microorganism	Laboratory Report	Observation.code/value	A.5.2.3 A.5.2.11
	Antimicrobial resistance results		Observation.interpretation	A.5.2.12
	Date of results		Observation.issued	
	Date sample was collected		Specimen.collected	A.4.4
	Source of sample (stool, blood, food, etc.)	Laboratory Report	Specimen.type	
Diagnosis	Comorbidities/ Diagnoses	Discharge Report/Synthesis	Condition.code	A.2.6.7.1
Treatment	Duration	Discharge Report/ Pharmacotherapy	Condition.onset/abatement	A.2.6.7.1
	Prescribed /dispensed Medication	Discharge Report/Significant procedures	Medication.code	A.2.6.5
	Procedures		Procedure.code	A.2.5.1.3

Table 19: *Sciensano Pilot variables and their Mapping to the x-Bundles.*

Foreseen data analytics

As data access is not yet guaranteed and depends on approval from numerous Belgian stakeholders (e.g., healthdata.be, hospitals, laboratories), this pilot still remains exploratory. Foreseen functionalities may include:

- Descriptive surveillance dashboards for tracking Salmonella trends, serotypes, and resistance patterns across Belgian regions, and potential benchmarking with neighboring countries
- Early signal detection models, such as threshold-based alerts or anomaly detection on case numbers or resistance rates
- Preliminary linkage across human, food, and environmental data to support One Health insights, where available
- Prototype development of FHIR-based integration pipelines to test reusability of lab data in standardised formats for secondary use

All functionalities will be scoped based on what data is accessible and feasible under Belgian data governance.

8. Conclusions

The work carried out focuses on bridging the gap between the primary and secondary use of data, particularly for public health purposes. Through the presented use cases, we identified key variables, and value sets relevant to public health that could be considered for inclusion in IPS+R. We also provided mapping to international standards such as SNOMED CT, LOINC and FHIR for the three prioritized use cases.

We have initiated a collaboration with the ECDC to support the standardisation of infection-related data. This collaboration goes beyond the scope of Use Cases 1 and 2, aiming for a more comprehensive approach to the standardisation of public health data also in collaboration with HL7 Europe. As part of the next steps we intend to connect ECDC with the ongoing HL7 Europe's efforts to develop specific recommendations for a common standard model for microbiology data, including for the complex definition of type of HAIs. If possible, these will be integrated in the revision of Annexes I and II, particularly with respect to FHIR mapping, which will be part of Deliverable 4.4.

A common data model based on FHIR for cancer is under development under the guidance of HL7 Europe. Should these artefacts become available in time, a review of the value sets in Annex III will be included in D4.4 to ensure consistency and alignment with the latest standards.

The pilots described in Chapter 6 serve as the starting point for building the dashboards that will be released as Deliverable 4.3. These dashboards will demonstrate how the EEHRxF can leverage data collected for primary use to generate useful, real-time analyses that support interventions as well as predictions to minimize risks and improve population health.

9. Annexes

- [Annex I](#) Standardisation of the European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net) dataset
- [Annex II](#), Standardisation of the Protocol for the surveillance of healthcare-associated infections and prevention indicators in European intensive care units HAI-Net ICU
- [Annex III](#), Standardisation of the Data Protocol for European Population-Based Cancer Registries

Annexes refers to the excel files stored in the project SharePoint site. As access to the SharePoint is restricted to project partners, the files have also been added to the present document from page 90.

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Annexes

Annex I

Protocol Variables

This file includes the variables for antimicrobial resistance included in the **EARS-Net** Reporting protocol mapped to international standards such as : HL7, SNOMED CT, LOINC and HL7 FHIR.

The bacterial species under surveillance are:

- Streptococcus pneumoniae (STRPNE)
- Staphylococcus aureus (STAAUR)
- Enterococcus faecalis (ENCFAE)
- Enterococcus faecium (ENCFAI)
- Escherichia coli (ESCCOL)
- Klebsiella pneumoniae (KLEPNE)
- Pseudomonas aeruginosa (PSEAER)
- Acinetobacter species (ACISPP).

All isolates from blood and/or cerebrospinal fluid for which a susceptibility test has been performed, must be included.

EARS-Net

This spreadsheets includes the variables from the Antimicrobial resistance (AMR) reporting protocol 2023 collected by the European Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Network (EARS-Net)

Instructions

The metadata set for isolate-based AMR reporting consists of 8 technical variables (which are not represented in this spreadsheet) and 28 epidemiological variables, which are further classified as variables at the patient/isolate level and variables at the AMR test level. The first level includes data referring to the isolate which are repeated in all records reporting the antimicrobial susceptibility tests performed for that isolate

Existing value sets have been mapped to international terminologies and grouped by topic according to the protocol.

- Table 1: Epidemiological variables at isolate level
- Table 2: Epidemiological variables at AMR test level

The variable for each table have been organised into a different spreadsheet.

The corresponding value sets have been organised into separate spreadsheets whose name starts with VS

The value set which refers to susceptibility tests includes information about the methodology used (Minimum inhibitory concentration , broth dilution, disk diffusion). Although LOINC provides codes for susceptibility tests that include details of the methodology used, following the general evolution of LOINC towards post-coordination, we chose to keep the two concepts separate in our model. Therefore, in our mapping of susceptibility tests, we only considered LOINC codes that refer to the general test—those that include the antibiotic name but not the method used. Methodologies are coded separately using dedicated SNOMED codes.

Specifications

HL7 International Patient Summary FHIR IG STU 1.0

<https://hl7.org/fhir/uv/ips/>

International Patient Summary Implementation Guide

<https://build.fhir.org/ig/HL7/fhir-ips/StructureDefinition-Patient-uv-ips.html>

MyHealth@EU Laboratory Report FHIR IG

<https://fhir.ehdsi.eu/laboratory>

eHN Laboratory Result Guidelines

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Xt-EHR Logical Model

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HL7 Europe Laboratory Report FHIR IG

<http://hl7.eu/fhir/laboratory>

HL7 Laboratory Report FHIR IG

<https://hl7.org/fhir/uv/lab-report/2024Sep/index.html>

The mapping offered is an attempt to express the data included in the EARS-net protocol according to the available specifications

When no terminology code is available, a request for a new code is recommended.

Variable	Description	Required	FHIR	Data Type	Result Code	Answer	Comment
9 - LaboratoryCode	Laboratory code unique for each laboratory within the country.	Yes (Error)	Organisation.identifier	Coded Value			
10 – Specimen	The source of the isolate (i.e. blood or cerebrospinal fluid)	Yes (Error)	Specimen.type	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-Specimen	
11 – PatientCounter	Numeric Code for each patient, unique within lab. Anonymous code by lab to specify patient.	Yes (Error)	Patien.identifier	Identifier			
12 – Gender	Administrative gender	Yes (Warning)	Patient.gender	Coded Value	SNOMED/HL7	VS-Gender	
13 - Age	Age of the patient when the sample was taken.	Yes (Warning)	Patient.birthDate	Date			Needs to be calculated
14 – IsolateId	Isolate ID; Code for each isolate, unique within lab and year.	Yes (Warning)	Specimen.accessionId	Identifier			
15 – HospitalId	Unique identifier for the hospital within each laboratory.	Yes (Warning)	Encounter.location.type	Identifier			
16 – PatientType	Origin of patient. Is the patient at the moment the sample is taken admitted in a hospital (inpatient), or not (outpatient). Patients that go to the hospital for dialysis or other types of day hospital care should be classified as “O” for the field “PatientType”. All other patients that are admitted in the hospital as inpatients should be classified as “INPAT”	Yes (Warning)	Encounter.class	Coded Value	SNOMED/HL7	VS-PatientType	
17 – HospitalUnitType	Hospital department (at time of sample collection)	Yes (Warning)	Encounter.location.type	Coded Value		VS-Dept	
18 – Pathogen	Species and genus of the pathogen which has been isolated from the sample.	Yes (Error)	Observation.code	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-Microorganism	Result as Observation.value / Observation.component.value. FHIR Mapping might change according to the the data model
19 - DateOfHospitalisation	Date of admission in hospital	No	Encounter.period	Date “YYYY-MM-DD”			
20 – ResultPCRMec	Detection of PCR mecA gene	No	Observation.code	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-PosNeg	Result as Observation.value. FHIR Mapping might change according to the the data model
21 - ResultPbp2aAggl	Detection of PBP2a-agglutination	No	Observation.code	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-PosNeg	Result as Observation.value. FHIR Mapping might change according to the the data model
22 – Serotype	Serotype/group of the pathogen isolated from the sample.	No	Observation.code	Coded Value		VS-SteptPne	Result as Observation.value. FHIR Mapping might change according to the the data model
23 – ESBL	Detection of Extended-Spectrum Beta-Lactamase	No	Observation.code	Coded Value		VS-PosNeg	Result as Observation.value. FHIR Mapping might change according to the the data model
24 – ResultCarbapenemases	Detection of Carbapenemase	No	Observation.code	Coded value		VS-PosNeg	Result as Observation.value. FHIR Mapping might change according to the the data model

VariableName	Description	FHIR	Data type	Coding System	Answer	Comment
25 – Antibiotic	Name of antibiotic used in the susceptibility test	Observation.code	Coded Value	LOINC /SNOMED	VS-SuscTests	Methos can be postcoordinated n SNOMED
26 – SIR	Interpretation of the res	Observation.interpretation	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-SIR	
27 – ResultZoneValue (mm)	Numerical result of the s	Observation.value	Quantity			
28 – ResultZoneSIR	Partial result	Observation.interpretation	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-SIR	
29 – ResultMICSign (MIC (> < =))						
30 – ResultMICValue (MIC (Value in mg/L))	MIC value	Observation.value	Quantity			
31 – ResultMICSIR		Observation.interpretation	Coded Value	SNOMED	VS-SIR	
32 – ResultGradSign (Gradient strip (> < =))						
33 - ResultGradValue	Gradient strip value (Value in mg/L)	Observation.value	Quantity			
34 – ResultGradSIR	Interpretation of the gra	Observation.interpretation		SNOMED	VS-SIR	
35 – DiskLoad	This field can be used to	Observation.referenceRange				
36 - ReferenceGuidelinesSIR	Norm	Observation Extension/Observation.interpretation (if val		SNOMED		CLSI values are coded by HL7 and EUCAST by SNOMED

Local code	Value	Code	FSN
1	Type 1	415607008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 1 (organism)
10	Group 10	415621005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 10 (organism)
10A	Type 10A	415608003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10A (organism)
10B	Type 10B	428124003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10B (organism)
10C	Type 10C	698103009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10C (organism)
10F	Type 10F	441602004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 10F (organism)
11	Group 11	363768008	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 11 (organism)
11A	Type 11A	419071000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11A (organism)
11B	Type 11B	698104003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11B (organism)
11C	Type 11C	698105002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11C (organism)
11D	Type 11D	698106001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11D (organism)
11E	Type 11E	763392007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11E (organism)
11F	Type 11F	698107005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 11F (organism)
12	Type 12	116500005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 12 (organism)
12A	Type 12A	698108000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 12A (organism)
12B	Type 12B	698109008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 12B (organism)
12F	Type 12F	419305002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 12F (organism)
13	Type 13	428366009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 13 (organism)
14	Type 14	103498008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 14 (organism)
15	Group 15	415609006	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 15 (organism)
15A	Type 15A	443239003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15A (organism)
15B	Type 15B	415610001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15B (organism)
15B/C	Type 15B/C	1339010008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15B or Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15C (finding)
15C	Type 15C	443240001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15C (organism)
15F	Type 15F	698110003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 15F (organism)
16	Group 16	131362008	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 16 (organism)
16A	Type 16A	698111004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 16A (organism)

16F	Type 16F	698112006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 16F (organism)
17	Group 17	131361001	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 17 (organism)
17A	Type 17A	698113001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 17A (organism)
17F	Type 17F	420138009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 17F (organism)
18	Group 18	418147001	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 18 (organism)
18A	Type 18A	698114007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18A (organism)
18B	Type 18B	698115008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18B (organism)
18C	Type 18C	418451009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18C (organism)
18F	Type 18F	698116009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 18F (organism)
19	Group 19	127541006	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 19 (organism)
19A	Type 19A	415611002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19A (organism)
19B	Type 19B	698117000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19B (organism)
19C	Type 19C	698118005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19C (organism)
19F	Type 19F	419915004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 19F (organism)
2	Type 2	419527005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 2 (organism)
20	Type 20	767202000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 20 (organism)
21	Type 21	698097002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 21 (organism)
22	Group 22	363767003	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 22 (organism)
22A	Type 22A	441566007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 22A (organism)
22F	Type 22F	420216004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 22F (organism)
23	Group 23	415613004	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 23 (organism)
23A	Type 23A	698098007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 23A (organism)
23B	Type 23B	427741005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 23B (organism)
23F	Type 23F	418217008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 23F (organism)
24	Group 24	698099004	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 24 (organism)
24A	Type 24A	698119002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 24A (organism)
24B	Type 24B	698120008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 24B (organism)
24F	Type 24F	698121007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 24F (organism)
25	Group 25	698122000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 25 (organism)
25A	Type 25A	698123005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 25A (organism)
25F	Type 25F	698124004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 25F (organism)
27	Type 27	698125003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 27 (organism)

28	Group 28	443155000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 28 (organism)
28A	Type 28A	444352000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 28A (organism)
28F	Type 28F	444353005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 28F (organism)
29	Type 29	131363003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 29 (organism)
3	Type 3	103497003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 3 (organism)
31	Type 31	443670000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 31 (organism)
32	Group 32	698126002	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 32 (organism)
32A	Type 32A	698127006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 32A (organism)
32F	Type 32F	698128001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 32F (organism)
33	Group 33	415614005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 33 (organism)
33A	Type 33A	442049002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33A (organism)
33B	Type 33B	698129009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33B (organism)
33C	Type 33C	698130004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33C (organism)
33D	Type 33D	698131000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33D (organism)
33F	Type 33F	420148006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 33F (organism)
34	Type 34	767201007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 34 (organism)
35	Group 35	429569005	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 35 (organism)
35A	Type 35A	698132007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35A (organism)
35B	Type 35B	698133002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35B (organism)
35C	Type 35C	698134008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35C (organism)
35F	Type 35F	698135009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 35F (organism)
36	Type 36	698136005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 36 (organism)
37	Type 37	698137001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 37 (organism)
38	Type 38	767204004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 38 (organism)
39	Type 39	767208001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 39 (organism)
4	Type 4	415616007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 4 (organism)
40	Type 40	767274003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 40 (organism)
41	Group 41	698138006	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 41 (organism)
41A	Type 41A	698139003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 41A (organism)
41F	Type 41F	698140001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 41F (organism)
42	Type 42	767285001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 42 (organism)
43	Type 43	767284002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 43 (organism)

44	Type 44	767283008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 44 (organism)
45	Type 45	767282003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 45 (organism)
46	Type 46	767281005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 46 (organism)
47	Group 47	698146007	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 47 (organism)
47A	Type 47A	698147003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 47A (organism)
47F	Type 47F	698148008	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 47F (organism)
48	Type 48	767275002	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 48 (organism)
5	Type 5	419871001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 5 (organism)
6	Group 6	415618008	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 6 (organism)
6A	Type 6A	443156004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6A (organism)
6B	Type 6B	418902003	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6B (organism)
6C	Type 6C	698095005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6C (organism)
6D	Type 6D	719028004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 6D (organism)
7	Group 7	441523000	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 7 (organism)
7A	Type 7A	415619000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7A (organism)
7B	Type 7B	698102004	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7B (organism)
7C	Type 7C	698096006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7C (organism)
7F	Type 7F	103499000	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 7F (organism)
8	Type 8	418759005	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 8 (organism)
9	Group 9	417270004	Streptococcus pneumoniae serogroup 9 (organism)
9A	Type 9A	419167001	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9A (organism)
9L	Type 9L	418883007	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9L (organism)
9N	Type 9N	103500009	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9N (organism)
9V	Type 9V	418322006	Streptococcus pneumoniae Danish serotype 9V (organism)
NA	Not applicable	385432009	Not applicable (qualifier value)
NT	Not tested	373121007	Test not done (qualifier value)
NTYP	Not typeable	261988005	No type (qualifier value)
O	Other	74964007	Other (qualifier value)
Unk	Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

SNOMED

Value	Code	FSN
INPAT=Admitted (Inpatient)	416800000	Inpatient (person)
OUTPAT=Outpatient (e.g. emergency room)	373864002	Outpatient (person)
O=Other	74964007	Other (qualifier value)
UNK=Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

HL7

Code	Display
IMP	inpatient encounter
AMB	ambulatory
OBSENC	observation encounter
EMER	emergency
VR	virtual
HH	home health

<https://terminology.hl7.org/6.2.0/ValueSet>

This HL7 VS includes values that are different

ECDC code	Code	FSN
EUCAST=European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing	1306540001	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 (qualifier value)
CLSI=Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute		
NAT=National	255470001	Local (qualifier value)
O=other	74964007	Other (qualifier value)

ECDC	Code	FSN
INTMED=Internal Medicine	702877000	Internal medicine clinic (environment)
PEDS=Paediatrics/neonatal	309945009	Pediatric department (environment)
PEDSICU=Paediatrics/neonatal	309910001	Pediatric intensive care unit (environment)
ICU SURG=Surgery	418433008	Surgical intensive care unit (environment)
ONCOL=Haematology/Oncology	309902002	Clinical oncology department (environment)
OBGYN=Obstetrics/Gynaecology	309942007	Obstetrics and gynecology department (environment)
ICU=Intensive Care Unit	309904001	Intensive care unit (environment)
ED=Emergency Department	225728007	Accident and Emergency department (environment)
URO=Urology Ward	309932005	Genitourinary medicine department (environment)
INFECT=Infectious Disease Ward	309934006	Infectious diseases department (environment)
O=Other	74964007	Other (qualifier value)
UNK=Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

Value	Code	FSN
POS=positive	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)
NEG=negative	260385009	Negative (qualifier value)
UNK=unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

SNOMED

Gender	Code	FSN
M = Male	248153007	Male (finding)
F = Female	248152002	Female (finding)
O = Other	74964007	Other (qualifier value)
UNK = Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

Administrative gender HL7

Code	Display	Definition
male	Male	Male.
female	Female	Female.
other	Other	Other.
unknown	Unknown	Unknown.

<https://hl7.org/fhir/R4/codesystem-administrative-gender.html>

Specimen	Description	Code	FSN
BLOOD =	blood	119297000	Blood specimen (specimen)
CSF =	Cerebrospinal fluid	258450006	Cerebrospinal fluid specimen (specimen)

SIR-EUCAST definition	SNOMED Code Option 1	FSN Option1	SNOMED Code Option 2	FSN Option 1
S - Susceptible, standard dosing regimen: A microorganism is categorised as "Susceptible, standard dosing regimen", when there is a high likelihood of therapeutic success using a standard dosing regimen of the agent.	131196009	Susceptible (qualifier value)	1306577009	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Susceptible, standard dosing regimen (qualifier value)
I – Susceptible, increased exposure: A microorganism is categorised as "Susceptible, increased exposure" when there is a high likelihood of therapeutic success because exposure to the agent is increased by adjusting the dosing regimen or by its concentration at the site of infection.	1255965005	Susceptible with increased exposure (qualifier value)	1306583007	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Susceptible, increased exposure (qualifier value)
R - Resistant: A microorganism is categorised as "Resistant" when there is a high likelihood of therapeutic failure even when there is increased exposure.	30714006	Resistant (qualifier value)	1306581009	European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing category 2019 Resistant (qualifier value)

Test	Code	FSN
Oxacillin (OXA) – Disk diffusion	18961-3	Oxacillin [Susceptibility]
Penicillin (PEN) – MIC test	18964-7	Penicillin [Susceptibility]
Clarithromycin (CLR) – MIC test	18907-6	Clarithromycin [Susceptibility]
Erythromycin (ERY)	18919-1	Erythromycin [Susceptibility]
Azithromycin (AZM) – MIC test	18866-4	Azithromycin [Susceptibility]
Levofloxacin (LVX)	20629-2	levoFLOXacin [Susceptibility]
Moxifloxacin (MFX)	31039-1	Moxifloxacin [Susceptibility]
Norfloxacin (NOR) – Disk diffusion	18956-3	Norfloxacin [Susceptibility]
Cefotaxime (CTX) – MIC test	18886-2	Cefotaxime [Susceptibility]
Ceftriaxone (CRO) – MIC test	18895-3	cefTRIAxone [Susceptibility]
Cefoxitin (FOX) – Disk diffusion	18888-8	cefOXitin [Susceptibility]
Oxacillin (OXA)* – MIC test	18961-3	Oxacillin [Susceptibility]
Ciprofloxacin (CIP)	18906-8	Ciprofloxacin [Susceptibility]
Vancomycin (VAN) – MIC test	19000-9	Vancomycin [Susceptibility]
Rifampin (RIF)	18974-6	rifAMPin [Susceptibility]
Linezolid (LNZ)	29258-1	Linezolid [Susceptibility]
Daptomycin (DAP) – MIC test	35789-7	DAPTOmycin [Susceptibility]
Ampicillin (AMP)	18864-9	Ampicillin [Susceptibility]
Amoxicillin (AMX) – MIC test	18861-5	Amoxicillin [Susceptibility]
Gentamicin-High (GEH)	18929-0	Gentamicin.high potency [Susceptibility]
Vancomycin (VAN)	19000-9	Vancomycin [Susceptibility]
Teicoplanin (TEC)	18989-4	Teicoplanin [Susceptibility]
Amoxicillin-clavulanic acid (AMC)	18862-3	Amoxicillin+Clavulanate [Susceptibility]
Piperacillin-tazobactam (TZP)	18970-4	Piperacillin+Tazobactam [Susceptibility]
Cefotaxime (CTX)	18886-2	Cefotaxime [Susceptibility]
Ceftazidime (CAZ)	18893-8	cefTAZidime [Susceptibility]
Ceftriaxone (CRO)	18895-3	cefTRIAxone [Susceptibility]
Cefepime (FEP)	18879-7	Cefepime [Susceptibility]
Gentamicin (GEN)	18928-2	Gentamicin [Susceptibility]

Tobramycin (TOB)	18996-9	Tobramycin [Susceptibility]
Amikacin (AMK)	18860-7	Amikacin [Susceptibility]
Ofloxacin (OFX)	18959-7	Ofloxacin [Susceptibility]
Norfloxacin (NOR)#	18956-3	Norfloxacin [Susceptibility]
Imipenem (IPM)	18932-4	Imipenem [Susceptibility]
Meropenem (MEM)	18943-1	Meropenem [Susceptibility]
Ertapenem (ETP)	35802-8	Ertapenem [Susceptibility]
Tigecycline (TGC)	42357-4	Tigecycline [Susceptibility]
Colistin (COL) - Broth microdilution	18912-6	Colistin [Susceptibility]
Piperacillin/Tazobactam (TZP)	18970-4	Piperacillin+Tazobactam [Susceptibility]
Piperacillin (PIP)	18969-6	Piperacillin [Susceptibility]

Method	Code (qualifier value)	FSN
MIC	708073008	Minimum inhibitory concentration susceptibility test technique (qualifier value)
Disk Diffusion	1303975003	Disk diffusion technique (qualifier value)
Broth dilution	263696007	Broth dilution (qualifier value)

Local code	Microorganism	Code	FSN
STAAPNE	Streptococcus pneumoniae (STRPNE)	9861002	Streptococcus pneumoniae (organism)
STAAUR	Staphylococcus aureus (STAAUR)	3092008	Staphylococcus aureus (organism)
ENCFAE	Enterococcus faecalis (ENCFAE)	78065002	Enterococcus faecalis (organism)
ENCFAI	Enterococcus faecium (ENCFAI)	90272000	Enterococcus faecium (organism)
KLEPNE=	Klebsiella pneumoniae (KLEPNE)	56415008	Klebsiella pneumoniae (organism)
PSEAER	Pseudomonas aeruginosa (PSEAER)	52499004	Pseudomonas aeruginosa (organism)
ACISPP	Acinetobacter species (ACISPP)	7757008	Genus Acinetobacter (organism)
ESCCOL=	Escherichia coli	112283007	Escherichia coli (organism)

CODE	FSN
48813-0	Methicillin resistance mecA gene [Presence] by Molecular method
104864-4	Beta lactamase.extended spectrum [Presence]
86930-5	Carbapenemase [Presence] in Isolate

Annex II

HAI-Net ICU protocol

This spreadsheet refers to the information collected through the Protocol for the surveillance of healthcare-associated infections (HAI) and prevention indicators in European intensive care units, **HAI-Net** ICU protocol, version 2.3.

<https://fhir.ehdsi.eu/laboratory/artifacts.html>.

It specifies the data included in the Annexes 1,2,3 of the protocol

Annex 1	Microorganisms code list
Annex 2	Extended antimicrobial resistance data for ICU-acquired infections
Annex 3	Healthcare-associated infections code list

Specifications

The data were mapped to FHIR, SNOMED and LOINC based on the following guidelines:

MyHealth@EU Laboratory Report FHIR IG	https://fhir.ehdsi.eu/laboratory
eHN Laboratory Result Guidelines	https://health.ec.europa.eu/publications/ehn-laboratory-result-guidelines_en
Xt-EHR Logical Model	https://build.fhir.org/ig/Xt-EHR/xt-ehr-common
HL7 Europe Laboratory Report FHIR IG	http://hl7.eu/fhir/laboratory
HL7 Laboratory Report FHIR IG	https://hl7.org/fhir/uv/lab-report/2024Sep/index.html

The mapping offered is an attempt to express the data included in the HAI-Net protocol according to the available specifications

When no terminology code is available, a request a new code is recommended.

Spreadsheet 3-HAI contains concepts that include information about condition, test results and specimen. To make information more EHRx compliant it has been deconstructed into separate pieces of information matching different FHIR resources: Condition, Observation, Specimen, Device.

Group	Microorganism	ECDC Code	SNOMED ID	FSN
	Staphylococcus aureus	STAAUR	3092008	Staphylococcus aureus (organism)
	Staphylococcus epidermidis	STAEPI	60875001	Staphylococcus epidermidis (organism)
	Staphylococcus haemolyticus	STAHAE	83452006	Staphylococcus haemolyticus (organism)
	Coag-neg. staphylococci, not specified	STACNS	116197008	Staphylococcus, coagulase negative (organism)
	Other coagulase-negative staphylococci (CNS)	STAOTH	116197008	Staphylococcus, coagulase negative (organism)
	Staphylococcus spp., not specified	STANSP	65119002	Genus Staphylococcus (organism)
	Streptococcus pneumoniae	STRPNE	9861002	Streptococcus pneumoniae (organism)
	Streptococcus agalactiae (B)	STRAGA	43492007	Streptococcus agalactiae (organism)
	Streptococcus pyogenes (A)	STRPYO	80166006	Streptococcus pyogenes (organism)
	Other haemol. Streptococcae (C, G)	STRHCG	53490009	Beta-hemolytic Streptococcus (organism)
	Streptococcus spp., other	STROTH	414225004	Family Staphylococcaceae (organism)
	Streptococcus spp., not specified	STRNSP	414225004	Family Staphylococcaceae (organism)
	Enterococcus faecalis	ENCFAE	78065002	Enterococcus faecalis (organism)
Gram-positive cocci	Enterococcus faecium	ENCFAI	90272000	Enterococcus faecium (organism)
	Enterococcus spp., other	ENCOTH	417513008	Family Enterococcaceae (organism)
	Enterococcus spp., not specified	ENCNSP	417513008	Family Enterococcaceae (organism)

	Gram-positive cocci, not specified	GPCNSP	59206002	Gram-positive coccus (organism)
	Other Gram-positive cocci	GPCOTH	59206002	Gram-positive coccus (organism)
	Moraxella catarrhalis	MORCAT	24226003	Moraxella catarrhalis (organism)
	Moraxella spp., other	MOROTH	427501004	Family Moraxellaceae (organism)
	Moraxella spp., not specified	MORNSP	427501004	Family Moraxellaceae (organism)
	Neisseria meningitidis	NEIMEN	17872004	Neisseria meningitidis (organism)
	Neisseria spp., other	NEIOTH	115072003	Family Neisseriaceae (organism)
Gram-negative cocci	Neisseria spp., not specified	NEINSP	115072003	Family Neisseriaceae (organism)
	Gram-negative cocci, not specified	GNCNSP	18383003	Gram-negative coccus (organism)
	Other Gram-negative cocci	GNCOTH	18383003	Gram-negative coccus (organism)
	Corynebacterium spp.	CORSPP	77086004	Genus Corynebacterium (organism)
	Bacillus spp.	BACSPP	44762009	Genus Bacillus (organism)
	Lactobacillus spp.	LACSPP	43690008	Genus Lactobacillus (organism)
	Listeria monocytogenes	LISMON	36094007	Listeria monocytogenes (organism)
Gram-positive bacilli	Gram-positive bacilli, not specified	GPBNSP	83514008	Gram-positive bacillus (organism)
	Other Gram-positive bacilli	GPBOTH	83514008	Gram-positive bacillus (organism)
	Citrobacter freundii	CITFRE	6265002	Citrobacter freundii (organism)
	Citrobacter koseri (e.g. diversus)	CITDIV	114264004	Citrobacter koseri (organism)
Enterobacterales	Citrobacter spp., other	CITOTH	75972000	Genus Citrobacter (organism)
	Citrobacter spp., not specified	CITNSP	75972000	Genus Citrobacter (organism)
	Enterobacter cloacae	ENBCLO	14385002	Enterobacter cloacae (organism)

	Enterobacter aerogenes – renamed to Klebsiella aerogenes*	ENBAER	62592009	Klebsiella aerogenes (organism)
	Enterobacter agglomerans	ENBAGG	115015008	Pantoea agglomerans (organism)
	Enterobacter sakazakii	ENBSAK	445562004	Cronobacter sakazakii (organism)
	Enterobacter gergoviae	ENBGER	716346000	Pluralibacter gergoviae (organism)
	Enterobacter spp., other	ENBOTH	106544002	Family Enterobacteriaceae (organism)
	Enterobacter spp., not specified	ENBNSP	106544002	Family Enterobacteriaceae (organism)
	Escherichia coli	ESCCOL	112283007	Escherichia coli (organism)
	Klebsiella aerogenes	KLEAER	62592009	Klebsiella aerogenes (organism)
	Klebsiella pneumoniae	KLEPNE	56415008	Klebsiella pneumoniae (organism)
	Klebsiella oxytoca	KLEOXY	40886007	Klebsiella oxytoca (organism)
	Klebsiella spp., other	KLEOTH	106544002	Family Enterobacteriaceae (organism)
	Klebsiella spp., not specified	KLENSP	106544002	Family Enterobacteriaceae (organism)
	Proteus mirabilis	PRTMIR	73457008	Proteus mirabilis (organism)
	Proteus vulgaris	PRTVUL	45834001	Proteus vulgaris (organism)
	Proteus spp., other	PRTOTH	50517009	Genus Proteus (organism)
	Proteus spp., not specified	PRTNSP	50517009	Genus Proteus (organism)
	Serratia marcescens	SERMAR	33522002	Serratia marcescens (organism)
	Serratia liquefaciens	SERLIQ	23787004	Serratia liquefaciens (organism)
	Serratia spp., other	SEROTH	42025004	Genus Serratia (organism)
	Serratia spp., not specified	SERNSP	42025004	Genus Serratia (organism)
	Hafnia spp.	HAFSPP	20523001	Genus Hafnia (organism)
	Morganella spp.	MOGSPP	50713005	Genus Morganella (organism)
	Providencia spp.	PRVSPP	112284001	Genus Providencia (organism)

	Salmonella Enteritidis	SALENT	73525009	Salmonella Enteritidis (organism)
	Salmonella Typhi or Paratyphi	SALTYP	5595000	Salmonella enterica subspecies enterica serovar Typhi (organism)
	Salmonella Typhimurium	SALTYM	501360	05 Salmonella Typhimurium (organism)
	Salmonella spp., not specified	SALNSP	27268008	Genus Salmonella (organism)
	Salmonella spp., other	SALOTH	27268008	Genus Salmonella (organism)
	Shigella spp.	SHISPP	77352002	Genus Shigella (organism)
	Yersinia spp.	YERSPP	4668009	Genus Yersinia (organism)
	Other enterobacterales	ETBOTH	417937	002 Order Enterobacterales (organism)
	Enterobacterales, not specified	ETBNSP	417937	002 Order Enterobacterales (organism)
	Acinetobacter baumannii	ACIBAU	91288006	Acinetobacter baumannii (organism)
	Acinetobacter calcoaceticus	ACICAL	82550008	Acinetobacter calcoaceticus (organism)
	Acinetobacter haemolyticus	ACIHAE	77045006	Acinetobacter haemolyticus (organism)
	Acinetobacter lwoffii	ACILWO	83088009	Acinetobacter lwoffii (organism)
	Acinetobacter spp., other	ACIOTH	7757008	Genus Acinetobacter (organism)
	Acinetobacter spp., not specified	ACINSP	7757008	Genus Acinetobacter (organism)
	Pseudomonas aeruginosa	PSEAER	52499004	Pseudomonas aeruginosa (organism)
	Stenotrophomonas maltophilia	STEMAL	113697002	Stenotrophomonas maltophilia (organism)
	Burkholderia cepacia	BURCEP	113669008	Burkholderia cepacia (organism)
	Pseudomonadaceae family, other	PSEOTH	115070006	Family Pseudomonadaceae (organism)

Gram-negative bacilli	Pseudomonadaceae family, not specified	PSENSP	115070006	Family Pseudomonadaceae (organism)
	Haemophilus influenzae	HAEINF	44470000	Haemophilus influenzae (organism)
	Haemophilus parainfluenzae	HAEPAI	51593004	Haemophilus parainfluenzae (organism)
	Haemophilus spp., other	HAEOTH	71268004	Genus Haemophilus (organism)
	Haemophilus spp., not specified	HAENSP	71268004	Genus Haemophilus (organism)
Gram-negative bacilli (continuation)	Legionella spp.	LEGSP	7527002	Genus Legionella (organism)
	Achromobacter spp.	ACHSP	91620006	Genus Achromobacter (organism)
	Aeromonas spp.	AEMSP	88529008	Genus Aeromonas (organism)
	Agrobacterium spp.	AGRSP	33436009	Genus Agrobacterium (organism)
	Alcaligenes spp.	ALCSP	68571003	Genus Alcaligenes (organism)
	Campylobacter spp.	CAMSP	35408001	Genus Campylobacter (organism)
	Flavobacterium spp.	FLASP	18986002	Genus Flavobacterium (organism)
	Gardnerella spp.	GARSPP	69256005	Genus Gardnerella (organism)
	Helicobacter pylori	HELPYL	80774000	Helicobacter pylori (organism)
	Pasteurella spp.	PASSPP	87579009	Genus Pasteurella (organism)
	Gram-negative bacilli, not specified	GNBNSP	87172008	Gram-negative bacillus (organism)
	Other Gram-negative bacilli, non enterobacterales	GNBOTH	87172008	Gram-negative bacillus (organism)
	Bacteroides fragilis	BATFRA	55247009	Bacteroides fragilis (organism)
	Bacteroides other	BATOTH	57522007	Genus Bacteroides (organism)
	Bacteroides spp., not specified	BATNSP	57522007	Genus Bacteroides (organism)
	Clostridioides difficile	CLODIF	5933001	Clostridioides difficile (organism)
	Clostridium other	CLOOTH	8191000	Genus Clostridium (organism)

	Propionibacterium spp.	PROSPP	34844008	Genus Propionibacterium (organism)
Anaerobes	Prevotella spp.	PRESPP	114129000	Genus Prevotella (organism)
	Anaerobes, not specified	ANANSP	59343002	Anaerobic bacteria (organism)
	Other anaerobes	ANAOTH	59343002	Anaerobic bacteria (organism)
	Mycobacterium, atypical	MYCATY	110379001	Mycobacterium, non-tuberculosis (organism)
	Mycobacterium tuberculosis complex	MYCTUB	113858008	Mycobacterium tuberculosis complex (organism)
	Chlamydia spp.	CHLSPP	16241000	Genus Chlamydia (organism)
	Mycoplasma spp.	MYPSP	78981005	Genus Mycoplasma (organism)
	Actinomyces spp.	ACTSPP	40560008	Genus Actinomyces (organism)
Other bacteria	Nocardia spp.	NOCSP	59674005	Genus Nocardia (organism)
	Other bacteria	BCTOTH	409822003	Domain Bacteria (organism)
	Other bacteria, not specified	BCTNSP	409822003	Domain Bacteria (organism)
	Candida albicans	CANALB	53326005	Candida albicans (organism)
	Candida auris	CANAUR	3,491E+12	Candida auris (organism)
	Candida glabrata	CANGLA	444877006	Nakaseomyces glabratus (organism)
	Candida krusei	CANKRU	16452009	Pichia kudriavzevii (organism)
	Candida tropicalis	CANTRO	47885008	Candida tropicalis (organism)
	Candida parapsilosis	CANPAR	61302002	Candida parapsilosis (organism)
	Candida spp., other	CANOTH	3265006	Genus Candida (organism)
	Candida spp., not specified	CANNSP	3265006	Genus Candida (organism)
	Aspergillus fumigatus	ASPFUM	32684000	Aspergillus fumigatus (organism)
	Aspergillus niger	ASPNIG	89354002	Aspergillus niger (organism)
	Aspergillus spp., other	ASPOTH	2429008	Genus Aspergillus (organism)
	Aspergillus spp., not specified	ASPNSP	2429008	Genus Aspergillus (organism)
Fungi	Other yeasts	YEAOTH	62093005	Yeast (organism)

	Fungi other	FUNOTH	414561005	Kingdom Fungi (organism)
	Fungi, not specified	FUNNSP	414561005	Kingdom Fungi (organism)
	Filaments other	FILOTH	264408003	Filamentous fungus (organism)
	Other parasites	PAROTH	264408003	Filamentous fungus (organism)
Viruses	Adenovirus	VIRADV	74871001	Human adenovirus (organism)
	Cytomegalovirus (CMV)	VIRCMV	407444007	Genus Cytomegalovirus (organism)
	Enterovirus (polio, coxsackie, echo)	VIRENT	243633006	Genus Enterovirus (organism)
	Hepatitis A virus	VIRHAV	32452004	Hepatitis A virus (organism)
	Hepatitis B virus	VIRHBV	81665004	Hepatitis B virus (organism)
	Hepatitis C virus	VIRHCV	62944002	Hepatitis C virus (organism)
	Herpes simplex virus	VIRHSV	19965007	Human herpes simplex virus (organism)
	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)	VIRHIV	19030005	Human immunodeficiency virus (organism)
	Influenza A virus	VIRINA	407479009	Influenza A virus (organism)
	Influenza B virus	VIRINB	407480007	Influenza B virus (organism)
	Influenza C virus	VIRINC	407482004	Influenza C virus (organism)
	Norovirus	VIRNOR	407359000	Genus Norovirus (organism)
	Parainfluenzavirus	VIRPIV	407498006	Human parainfluenza viruses (organism)
	Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV)	VIRRSV	6415009	Human respiratory syncytial virus (organism)
	Rhinovirus	VIRRHI	1838001	Human rhinovirus (organism)
	Rotavirus	VIRROT	417542000	Genus Rotavirus (organism)
	SARS virus	VIRSAR	1263733001	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus (organism)
	SARS-CoV-2	VIRCOV	840533007	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (organism)
	Varicella-zoster virus	VIRVZV	19551004	4 Varicellovirus humanalpha3 (organism)

	Virus, not specified	VIRNSP	49872002	Virus (organism)
	Other virus	VIROTH	49872002	Virus (organism)
Microorganism not identified or not found		_NONID	260415000	Not detected (qualifier value)
Examination not done		_NOEXA	262008008	Not performed (qualifier value)
Sterile examination		_STERI	260415000	Not detected (qualifier value)
Result not (yet) available or missing		_NA	1287211007	No information available (qualifier value)

ECD C Code	Antibiotic tested	LOINC ID	FSN	LOINC ID2	FSN 2	LOINC ID3	FSN 3
AMB	Amphotericin B	18863-1	Amphotericin B				
AMC	Amoxicillin-clavulanic acid	18862-3	Amoxicillin+Clavulanate				
AMK	Amikacin	18860-7	Amikacin				
AMP	Ampicillin	18864-9	Ampicillin				
AMX	Amoxicillin	18861-5	Amoxicillin				
AZM	Azithromycin	18866-4	Azithromycin				
C1G	Cephalosporins, first-generation (cefalotin or cefazolin)	18878-9	ceFAZolin	18900-1	Cephalothin		
C2G	Cephalosporins, second-generation (cefuroxime, cefamandole, ceftiofur)	51724-3	Cefuroxime	18876-3	Cefamandole	18888-8	cefOXitin
C3G	Cephalosporins, third-generation (cefotaxime, ceftriaxone)	18886-2	Cefotaxime	18895-3	cefTRIAxone		
C4G	Cephalosporins, fourth-generation (cefepime, cefpirome)	18879-7	Cefepime	18889-6	Cefpirome		
CAR	Carbapenems (imipenem, meropenem, doripenem)	18932-4	Imipenem	18943-1	Meropenem	60535-2	Doripenem
CAS	Caspofungin	32378-2	Caspofungin				
CAZ	Ceftazidime	18893-8	cefTAZidime				
CIP	Ciprofloxacin	18906-8	Ciprofloxacin				
CLI	Clindamycin	18908-4	Clindamycin				
CLO	Cloxacillin	18910-0	Cloxacillin				
CLR	Clarithromycin	18907-6	Clarithromycin				
COL	Colistin	18912-6	Colistin				
CRO	Ceftriaxone	18895-3	cefTRIAxone				
CTX	Cefotaxime	18886-2	Cefotaxime				
CZA	Ceftazidime-avibactam	73603-3	cefTAZidime+Avibactam				

CZT	Ceftolozane-tazobactam	73602-5	Ceftolozane+Tazobactam
DIC	Dicloxacillin	18916-7	Dicloxacillin
DAP	Daptomycin	35789-7	DAPTOmycin
DOR	Doripenem	60535-2	Doripenem
ETP	Ertapenem	35802-8	Ertapenem
ERV	Eravacycline	100049-6	Eravacycline
ERY	Erythromycin	18919-1	Erythromycin
ESB	Extended beta-lactamase producing	6984-9	Beta lactamase.extended spectrum
FDC	Cefiderocol	99280-0	Cefiderocol
FCT	Flucytosine (5-fluorocytosine)	18855-7	5-Fluorocytosine
FEP	Cefepime	18879-7	Cefepime
FLC	Flucloxacillin	18923-3	Floxacillin
FLU	Fluconazole	18924-1	Fluconazole
FOS	Fosfomycin	25596-8	Fosfomycin
FOX	Cefoxitin	18888-8	cefOXitin
FUS	Fusidic acid	18927-4	Fusidate
GEH	Gentamicin-High	18929-0	Gentamicin.high potency
GEN	Gentamicin	18928-2	Gentamicin
GLY	Glycopeptides (vancomycin, teicoplanin)	19000-9	Vancomycin 18989-4 Teicoplanin
IMR	Imipenem-relebactam	96372-8	Imipenem+Relebactam
IPM	Imipenem	18932-4	Imipenem
ITR	Itraconazole	32603-3	Itraconazole
KET	Ketoconazole	18937-3	Ketoconazole
LNZ	Linezolid	29258-1	Linezolid
LVX	Levofloxacin	20629-2	levoFLOXacin

MEM	Meropenem	18943-1	Meropenem
MET	Meticillin	18945-6	Methicillin
MEV	Meropenem-vaborbactam	88892-5	Meropenem+Vaborbactam
MXF	Moxifloxacin	31039-1	Moxifloxacin
NAL	Nalidixic acid	18952-2	Nalidixate
NET	Netilmicin	18954-8	Netilmicin
NOR	Norfloxacin	18956-3	Norfloxacin
OFX	Ofloxacin	18959-7	Ofloxacin
OXA	Oxacillin	18961-3	Oxacillin
PEN	Penicillin	18964-7	Penicillin
PIP	Piperacillin	18969-6	Piperacillin
PIT	Piperacillin or ticarcillin	18994-4	Ticarcillin
PLZ	Plazomicin	73592-8	Plazomicin
POL	Polymyxin B	18972-0	Polymyxin B
QDA	Quinupristin-dalfopristin	23640-6	Quinupristin+Dalfopristin
RIF	Rifampin	18974-6	rifAMPin
SUL	Sulbactam	41739-4	Sulbactam
SXT	Sulfamethoxazole-trimethoprim (cotrimoxazole)	18998-5	Trimethoprim+Sulfamethoxazole
TCY	Tetracycline	18993-6	Tetracycline
TEC	Teicoplanin	18989-4	Teicoplanin
TEM	Temocillin	18991-0	Temocillin
TIG	Tigecycline	42357-4	Tigecycline
TOB	Tobramycin	18996-9	Tobramycin
TZP	Piperacillin-tazobactam	18970-4	Piperacillin+Tazobactam
VAN	Vancomycin	19000-9	Vancomycin

HAI code	HAI label	FHIR Condition.code	FSN	FHIR Obsc	FHIR Observation.dat	FHIR Observation.met	FHIR Obsc	FHIR Spec	FHIR Spec	FHIR Device
PN1	Pneumonia, clinical + positive quantitative	233604007	Pneumonia (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	703725008	Culture technique (qualifi	258606004	Contaminated	
PN2	Pneumonia, clinical + positive quantitative	233604007	Pneumonia (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	703725008	Culture technique (qualifi	258606004	Possibly contaminated	
PN3	Pneumonia, clinical + microbiological diagn	233604007	Pneumonia (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	method				
PN4	Pneumonia, clinical + positive sputum cultu	233604007	Pneumonia (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	703725008	Culture technique (qualifi	119334006	Sputum specimen (specimen)	
PN5	Pneumonia: clinical signs of pneumonia wit	233604007	Pneumonia (disorder)		not performed					
UTI-A	symptomatic urinary tract infection, microb	68566005	Urinary tract infectious disease (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	method				
UTI-B	symptomatic urinary tract infection, not mi	68566005	Urinary tract infectious disease (disorder)		not performed					
BSI	Bloodstream infection (laboratory-confirm	431193003	Infection of bloodstream (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)					
CRI1-CVC	Local CVC-related infection (no positive blo	3,28871E+14	Localized infection associated with central	260385009	not performed					
CRI2-CVC	General CVC-related infection (no positive	1440653007	Infection associated with catheter (disord	260385009	not performed					52124006 Central venous catheter, device (physical object)
CRI3-CVC	Microbiologically confirmed CVC-related bl	736152001	Infection of bloodstream associated with	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)					
CRI1-PVC	Local PVC-related infection (no positive blood culture)		Localized infection associated with Periphe	260385009	not performed					82449006 Peripheral intravenous catheter, device (physical object)
CRI2-PVC	General PVC-related infection (no positive	1310643001	Infection of intravenous catheter (disorde	260385009	not performed					82449006 Peripheral intravenous catheter, device (physical object)
CRI3-PVC	Microbiologically confirmed PVC-related bloodstream infection		Infection of bloodstream associated with	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)					
Other HAI codes (optional)		<40733004	Infectious disease (disorder)							
BJ-BONE	Osteomyelitis	60168000	Osteomyelitis (disorder)							
BJ-JNT	Joint or bursa	122482001	Infected bursa (disorder)							
BJ-DISC	Disc-space infection	2304001	Discitis (disorder)							
CNS-IC	Intracranial infection	128117002	Infectious disease of central nervous system (disorder)							
CNS-MEN	Meningitis or ventriculitis	7180009	Meningitis (disorder)							
CNS-SA	Spinal abscess without meningitis	16300007	Spinal cord abscess (disorder)							
CVS-VASC	Arterial or venous infection	234016006	Infection of artery (disorder)							
CVS-ENDO	Endocarditis	56819008	Endocarditis (disorder)							
CVS-CARD	Myocarditis or pericarditis	50920009	Myocarditis (disorder)							
CVS-MED	Mediastinitis	373409004	Inflammatory disorder of mediastinum (disorder)							
EENT-CONJ	Conjunctivitis	9826008	Conjunctivitis (disorder)							
EENT-EYE	Eye, other than conjunctivitis	128351009	Eye infection (disorder)							
EENT-EAR	Ear mastoid	52404001	Mastoiditis (disorder)							
EENT-ORAL	Oral cavity (mouth, tongue, or gums)	275393007	Oral infection (disorder)							
EENT-SINU	Sinusitis	36971009	Sinusitis (disorder)							
EENT-UR	Upper respiratory tract, pharyngitis, laryng	54150009	Upper respiratory infection (disorder)							
GI-CDI	Clostridioides difficile infection	186431008	Infection caused by Clostridioides difficile (disorder)							
GI-GE	Gastroenteritis (excluding CDI)	25374005	Inflammation of stomach and intestine (disorder)							
GI-GIT	Gastrointestinal tract (esophagus, stomach	715852004	Infection of gastrointestinal tract (disorder)							
GI-HEP	Hepatitis	235862008	Hepatitis due to infection (disorder)							
GI-IAB	Intra-abdominal infection, not specified els	128070006	Infectious disease of abdomen (disorder)							
LRI-BRON	Bronchitis, tracheobronchitis, bronchiolitis	32398004	Bronchitis (disorder)							
LRI-LUNG	Other infections of the lower respiratory tr	50417007	Lower respiratory tract infection (disorder)							
REPR-EMET	Endometritis	78623009	Endometritis (disorder)							
REPR-EPIS	Episiotomy	300927001	Episiotomy infection (disorder)							
REPR-VCUF	Vaginal cuff	9,701E+12	Cellulitis of vaginal cuff (disorder)							
REPR-OREP	Other infections of the male or female repr	312155003	Genital infection (disorder)							
SSI-S	Surgical site infection, superficial incisional	609339001	Superficial incisional surgical site infection (disorder)							
SSI-D	Surgical site infection, deep incisional	609340004	Deep incisional surgical site infection (disorder)							
SSI-O	Surgical site infection, organ/space	433202001	Surgical site infection (disorder)							
SST-SKIN	Skin infection	19824006	Infection of skin and/or subcutaneous tissue (disorder)							
SST-ST	Soft tissue (necrotizing fascitis, infectious g	95880003	Soft tissue infection (disorder)							
SST-DECU	Decubitus ulcer, including both superficial	2622007	Infected ulcer of skin (disorder)							
SST-BURN	Burn	125666000	Burn (disorder)							
SST-BRST	Breast abscess or mastitis	266579006	Inflammatory disorder of breast (disorder)							
SYS-DI	Disseminated infection		Disseminated infection							
SYS-CSEP	Treated unidentified severe infection in ad	40733004	Infectious disease (disorder)				417831002	Unidentified isolate (finding)		
NEO-CSEP	Clinical sepsis in neonates	276669000	Bacterial sepsis of newborn (disorder)							
NEO-LCBI	Laboratory-confirmed bloodstream infecti	431193003	Infection of bloodstream (disorder)	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	method				
NEO-CNSB	Laboratory-confirmed bloodstream infection with coagulase-negative staphylococci in		Neonatal Infection of bloodstream	10828004	Positive (qualifier value)	method	116197008	Staphylococcus, coagulase negative (organism)		
NEO-PNEU	Pneumonia in neonates	233619008	Neonatal pneumonia (disorder)							
NEO-NEC	Necrotizing enterocolitis	206525008	Neonatal necrotizing enterocolitis (disorder)							

Annex III

The present file shows the variables of the **European Cancer Information System** (<https://ecis.jrc.ec.europa.eu/>) and their mapping to interoperability standards such as HL7 FHIR, SNOMED, ICD. The mapping was based on the available international IGs such as:

The variables are listed in the Patient, FUP and Treatment sheets.

The corresponding value sets have been organised into separate spreadsheets whose name starts with VS

Specifications

PanCareSurPass Project HL7 FHIR Implementation Guide: <https://hl7.eu/fhir/ig/pcsp/>

minimal Common Oncology Data Elements (**mCODE**) Implementation Guide <https://build.fhir.org/ig/HL7/fhir-mCODE-ig/>

HL7 International Patient Summary FHIR IG STU 1.0 <https://hl7.org/fhir/uv/ips/>

International Patient Summary Implementation

Guide

<https://build.fhir.org/ig/HL7/fhir-ips/StructureDefinition-Patient-uv-ips.html>

The mapping offered is an attempt to express the data included in the ECIS protocol according to the available specifications

When no terminology code is available, a proposal to request a new code is recommended.

ECIS variables	Description	Value Set	comment
PAT1	Patient identification code		
MoB	Month of birth		
YoB	Year of birth		
Sex	Sex at birth	VS-Gender	
Tumour variables			
Geo_code	Geo_code	Geo_code	Geo_code
Geo_label	Name of the geographical area of residence at		
	Diagnosis		
TUM	Tumour identification		
Age	Age at diagnosis		calculated
	(incidence date) in years		
Mol	Month of incidence		
Yol	Year of incidence		
BoD	Basis of diagnosis	VS-Evidence	
Topo	ICD-O-3 topography code		
Morpho	ICD-O-3 morphology code		
Beh	ICD-O-3 behaviour	VS-Behaviour	
Grade	ICD-O-3 grade of differentiation / immunophenotype	VS-Grade	

ECIS variable	Description	ValueSet
Autopsy	Incidental finding of cancer at autopsy	373067005 No (qualifier value) 373066001 Yes (qualifier value) 261665006 Unknown (qualifier value)
Vit_stat	The last known vital status	438949009 Alive (finding) 419099009 Dead (finding)
MoF	Month of last known vital status	
YoF	Year of last known vital status	
Surv_time	Duration of survival in days	
ICD	ICD edition for coding cause of death	
CoD	Official underlying cause of death	According to ICD
Stage variables		
TNM_ed	TNM edition	
cT	Clinical T-category	
cN	Clinical N-category	According to the TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours
cM	Clinical M-category	
pT	Pathological T-category	
pN	Pathological N-category	
pM	Pathological M-category	
ToS	Staging system	
		VS-Tumor staging

ECIS Variable	Description	Coding
Surgery	Resection of the primary tumour	VS-surgery
Rt	Radiotherapy	VS-Radiotherapy
Cht	Chemotherapy	VS-Chemotherapy
Tt11	Targeted therapy (including monoclonal antibodies)	1255831008 Chemotherapy for malignant neoplastic disease using targeted agent (procedure)
It	Immunotherapy (excl. monoclonal antibodies)	76334006 Immunotherapy (procedure)
Ht	Hormone therapy	169413002 Hormone therapy (procedure)
Ot	Other or unspecified systemic therapy	363688001 Administration of antineoplastic agent (procedure)
SCT	Stem cell transplantation	1269349006 Transplantation of stem cell (procedure)

Chemotherapy	SNOMED ID	FSN
No	373067005	No (qualifier value)
Yes, without other specification	367336001	Chemotherapy (procedure)
Yes, neoadjuvant (pre-operative)	394894008	Pre-operative chemotherapy (procedure)
Yes, adjuvant (post-operative)	394895009	Postoperative chemotherapy (procedure)
Yes, both neoadjuvant and adjuvant		

Radiotherapy	SNOMED ID	FSN
0 à No	373067005	No (qualifier value)
1 à Yes, without specification	1287742003	Radiotherapy (procedure)
2 à Yes, neoadjuvant (pre-operative) radiotherapy	168523002	Preoperative course of radiotherapy (procedure)
3 à Yes, adjuvant (post-operative) radiotherapy	168525009	Postoperative course of radiotherapy (procedure)

Surgery	SNOMED ID	FSN
0 à No	373067005	No (qualifier value)
1 à Yes, without specification	387713003	Surgical procedure (procedure) .
2 à Yes, local surgery onlya	110468005	Ambulatory surgery (procedure)
3 à Yes, 'operative' surgeryb	387713003	Surgical procedure (procedure)

Stage	SNOMED ID	FSN
0 → Stage 0, stage 0a, stage 0is, carcinoma in situ, non-invasive	109355002	Carcinoma in situ (disorder)
1 → Stage I, FIGO I, localized, localized limited (L), limited, Dukes A 1A -> Stage IA, FIGO IA, Ann Arbor 1B -> Stage IB, FIGO IB, 1B1 -> FIGO IB1	13104003	Clinical stage I (finding)
2 → Stage II, FIGO II, localized advanced (A), locally advanced, advanced, direct extension, Dukes B 2A -> Sage IIA, FIGO IIA 2B -> Stage IIB, FIGO IIB	60333009	Clinical stage II (finding)
3 → Stage III, FIGO III, regional (with or without direct extension), R+, N+, Dukes C	50283003	Clinical stage III (finding)
4 → Stage IV, FIGO IV, metastatic, distant, M+, Dukes D	2640006	Clinical stage IV (finding)

Value	Code	FSN
Benign neoplasm	3898006	Neoplasm, benign (morphologic abnormality)
Neoplasm of uncertain and unknown behaviour	86251006	Neoplasm of uncertain behavior (morphologic abnormality)
In situ neoplasm	127569003	In situ neoplasm (morphologic abnormality)
Malignant neoplasm	1240414004	Malignant neoplasm (morphologic abnormality)

Value	SNOMED Code	FSN
A → Ann Arbor/ Lugano stage	254372002	Ann Arbor lymphoma staging system (tumor staging)
D → Dukes' stage	254360008	Dukes staging system (tumor staging)
E → Extent of disease		Extent of tumor (tumor staging)
F → FIGO stage	254383006	International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics staging system of gynecological malignancy (tumor staging)
S → TNM stage, unknown whether clinical or pathological	258234001	Tumor-node-metastasis (TNM) tumor staging classifications (tumor staging)
cIS → clinical TNM stage	399537006	Clinical TNM stage grouping (observable entity)
paS → pathological TNM stage	399588009	Pathologic TNM stage grouping (observable entity)
ypS → pathological TNM stage after neoadjuvant therapy		
cpS → combination of clinical & pathological TNM stage		
coS → condensed TNM stage esS → essential TNM stage		
Ti1 → Tier 1 stage for paediatric tumours		
Ti2 → Tier 2 stage for paediatric tumours		
COG → COG Tier 2 stage for Wilms tumours, findings at surgery when NO chemotherapy prior to surgery		
SIO → SIOP Tier 2 stage for Wilms tumours: findings at surgery when chemotherapy prior to surgery		
8 → Other staging system		

Value	SNOMED Code	FSN
Grade I, Well differentiated	1155701009	G1: Well differentiated histologic grade (qualifier value)
Grade II, Moderately differentiated	1155703007	G2: Moderately differentiated histologic grade (qualifier value)
Grade III, Poorly differentiated	1155704001	G3: Poorly differentiated histologic grade (qualifier value)
Grade IV, Undifferentiated, anaplastic	1155702002	G4: Undifferentiated histologic grade (qualifier value)
B-cell; T-precursor	112242009	T-cell origin (qualifier value)
B-Cell; Pre-B; B-precursor	40554008	B-cell origin (qualifier value)
Null cell; Non T-non B	4078008	Non T- non B-cell origin (qualifier value)
NK cell (natural killer cell)	103422004	Natural killer cell origin (qualifier value)
Not applicable	385432009	Not applicable (qualifier value)
Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

Value	SNOMED Code	FSN
Death certificate only	373794000	Cancer diagnosis based on death certificate (finding)
Clinical	373795004	Cancer diagnosis based on clinical evidence (finding)
Clinical investigation	373796003	Cancer diagnosis based on investigations, without a tissue diagnosis (finding)
Specific tumour markers	373797007	Cancer diagnosis based on specific tumor markers (finding)
Cytology	373798002	Cancer diagnosis based on cytological evidence (finding)
Histology of a metastasis	373799005	Cancer diagnosis based on metastatic histological evidence (finding)
Histology of a primary tumour	373800009	Cancer diagnosis based on primary site histological evidence (finding)
Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

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Gender	SNOMED Code	FSN
M = Male	248153007	Male (finding)
F = Female	248152002	Female (finding)
O = Other	74964007	Other (qualifier value)
UNK = Unknown	261665006	Unknown (qualifier value)

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Code	Display	Definition
male	Male	Male.
female	Female	Female.
other	Other	Other.
unknown	Unknown	Unknown.

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