

Budapest Hosted the First Work Package 6 Cluster Meeting and Workshop of JA HEROES



25-26th October 2023, Budapest hosted the first WP6 cluster meeting and workshop of the HEROES (**HE**alth workforce to meet health chall**En**ge**S**) joint action.

Activities in HEROES Joint Action are carried out in 7 working packages (WP-s). Funded by the Eu4Health Programme and co-funded by the European Commission, the 3-years long project involves 19 European countries and 51 partner organizations – among them the National Directorate General for Hospitals (OKFŐ) – who all work together in order to improve the health workforce planning capacities and to ensure accessibility, resilience of healthcare workforce so that a sustainable and flexible health workforce will be available in the future.

Hungary participates in the **cluster on Improving Health Work Force Planning Capacity** (workpackage 6). This work package focuses on developing and improving countries' data collection, methods and tools to implement effective planning of health work force (HWF) in order to improve the skills and abilities of the staff in charge of HWF planning in 6 countries: Croatia, Hungary, Romania, Slovenia, Lithuania and Poland. WP6 tasks also include optimizing stakeholder involvement and planning specifications at national-regional, sectoral-integrative and mono-interprofessional levels.

OKFŐ leads the above detailed WP6 cluster activities as the Competent Authority (AC), whereas the Health Services Management Training Centre (EMK) of Semmelweis University participates in the Joint Action as an affiliated entity, fulfilling the role of Task Leader in data provision related activities.

For further information on JA HEROES visit the website: <https://lnkd.in/dPWcfQdd>