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Building a federated research infrastructure for a rapid policy response

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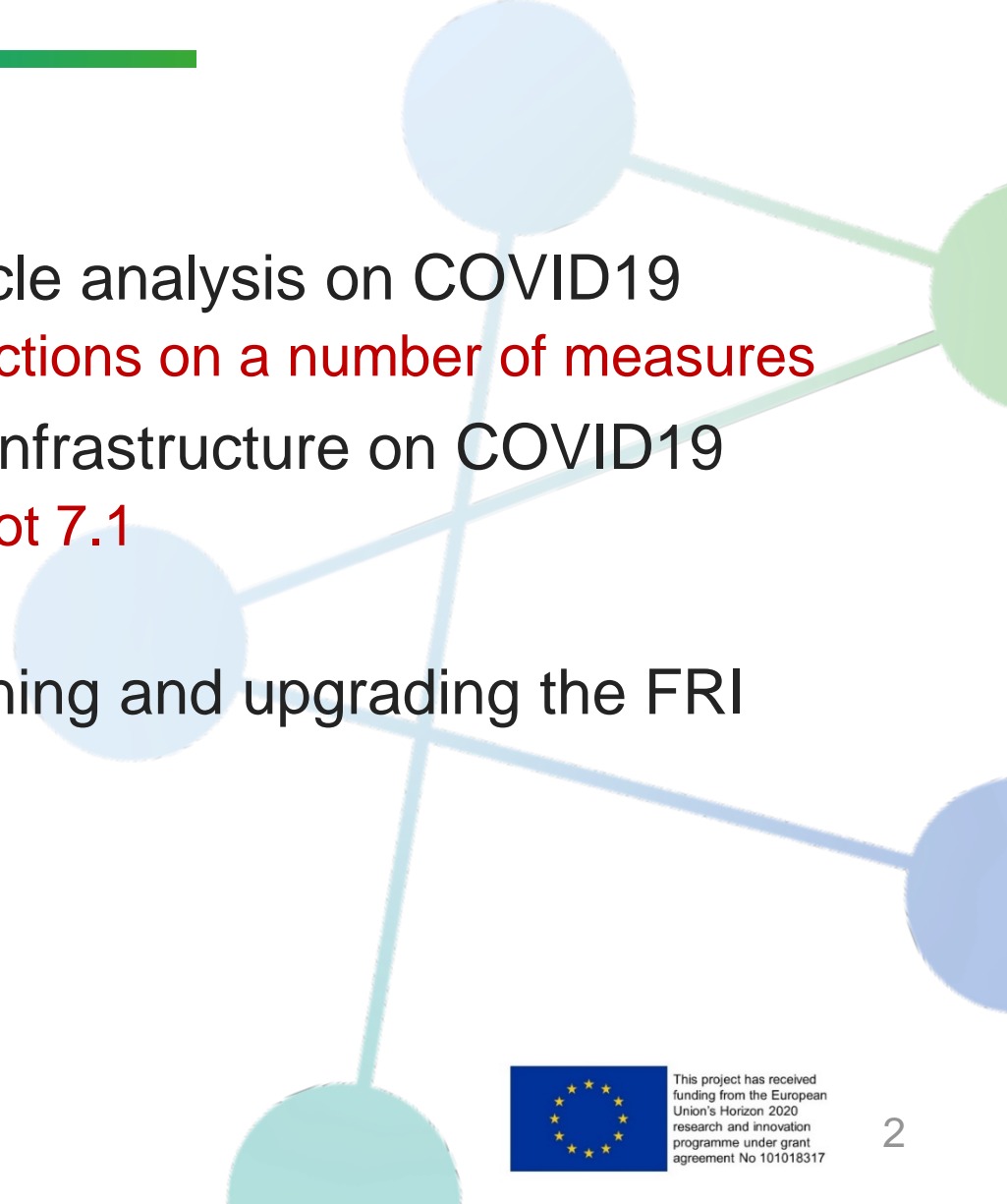
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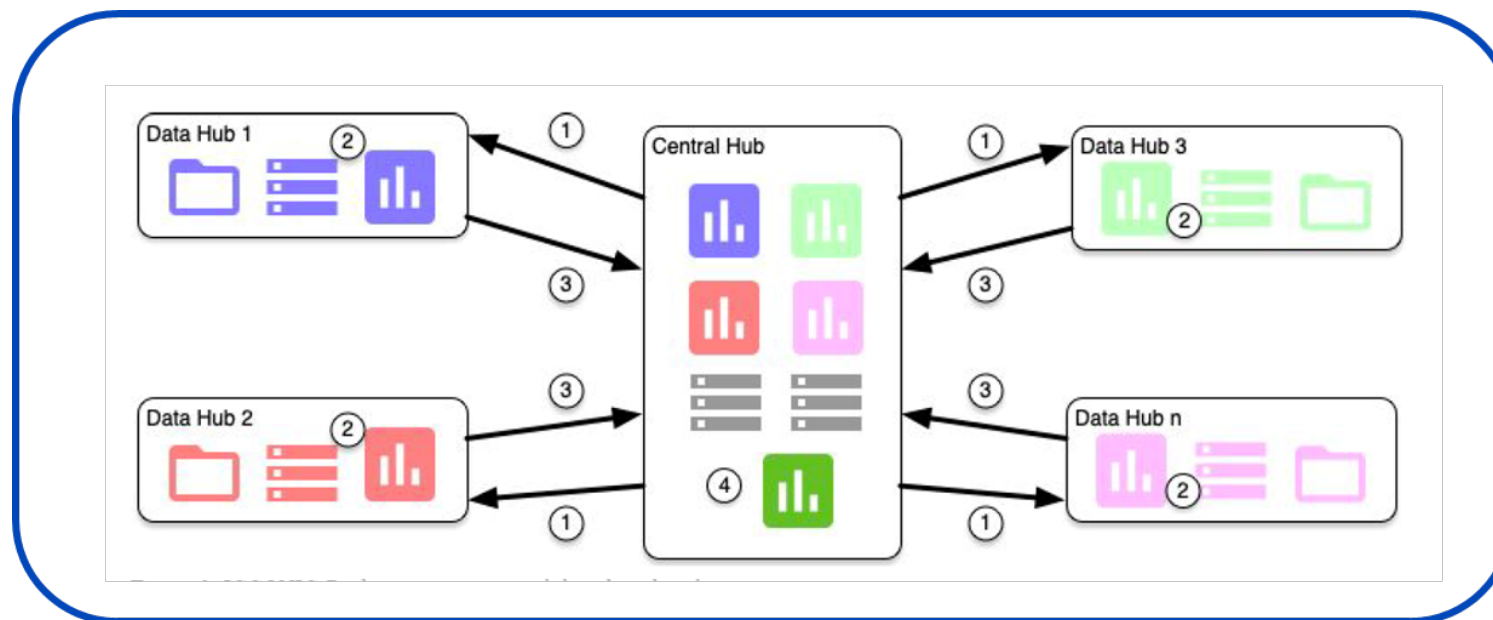
Outputs

- 1) A federated demonstration pilot on rapid cycle analysis on COVID19
 - Open source dashboard with trends and predictions on a number of measures
 - 2) Validated solutions for a federated research infrastructure on COVID19
 - Based on use cases WP6 & demonstration pilot 7.1
 - Feeding PHIRI portal
 - 3) A network of IT developers capable of sustaining and upgrading the FRI
 - Those technical people in the data hubs
 - Linked to capacity building activities in WP4
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Developing a research infrastructure based on the secondary use of routine data



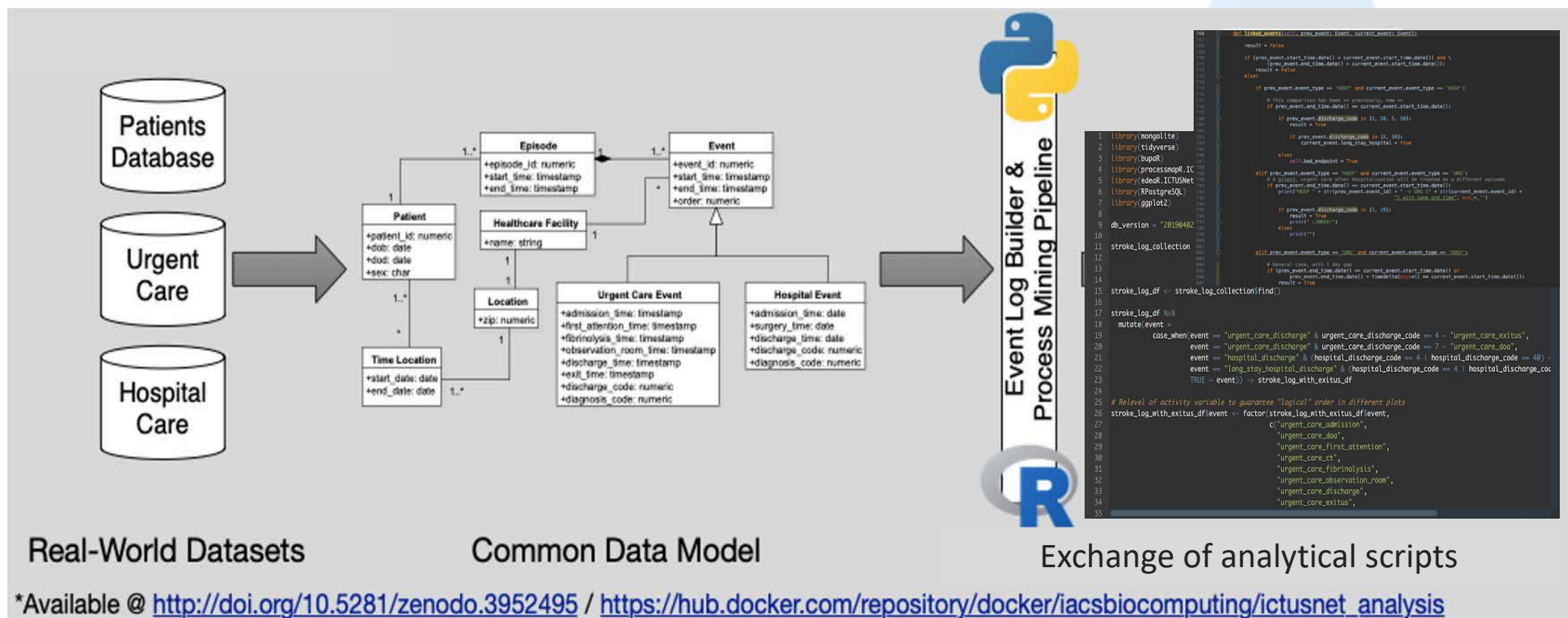
The architecture



- Privacy and safety by design
- No data motion across the FRI – just scripts move
- Data hubs host and curate data and/or have “easy” access to data
- Coordination hub: develops code, coordinates code exchange and supports hubs

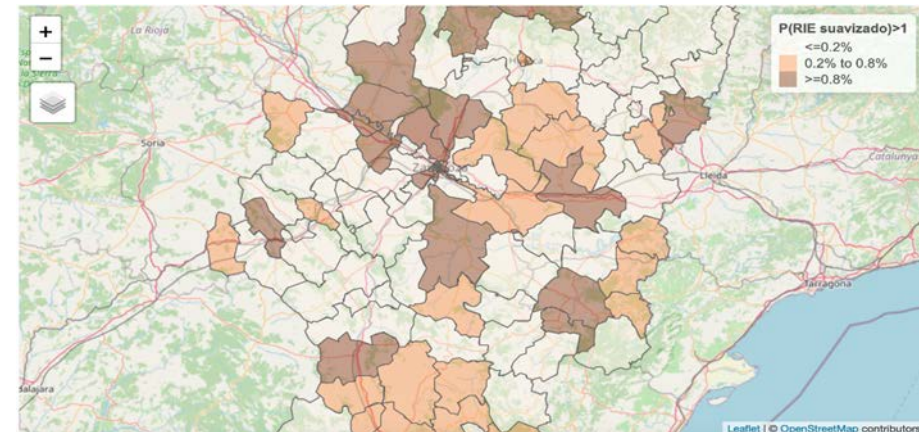
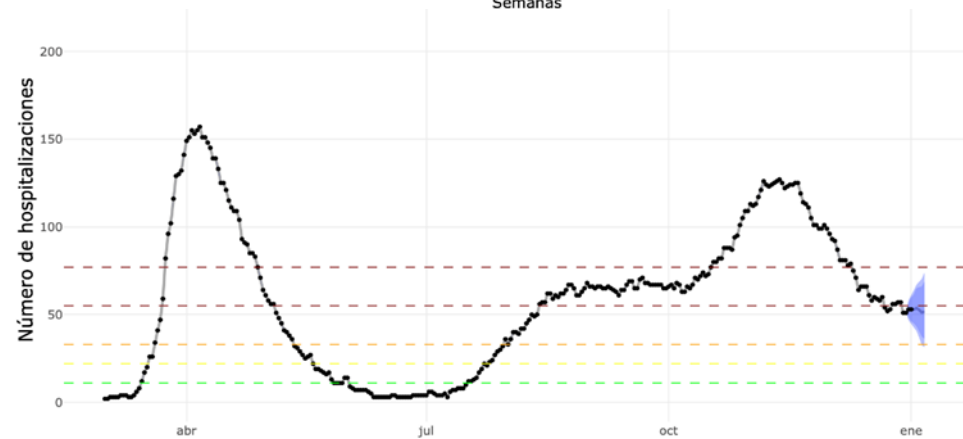
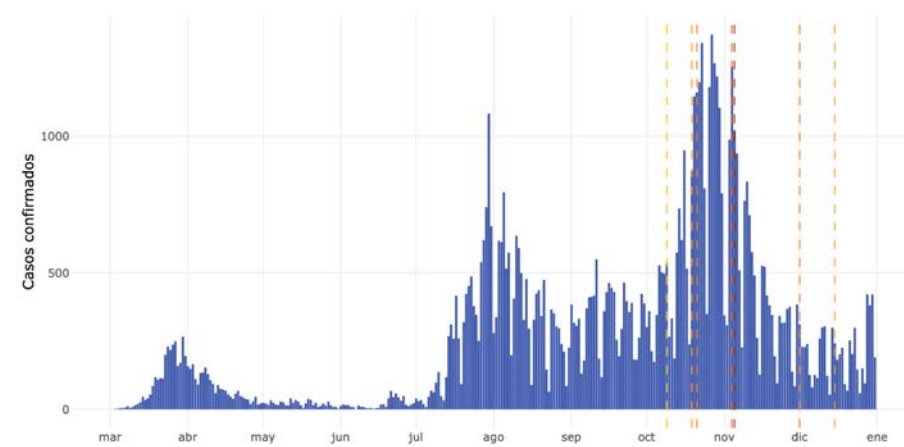
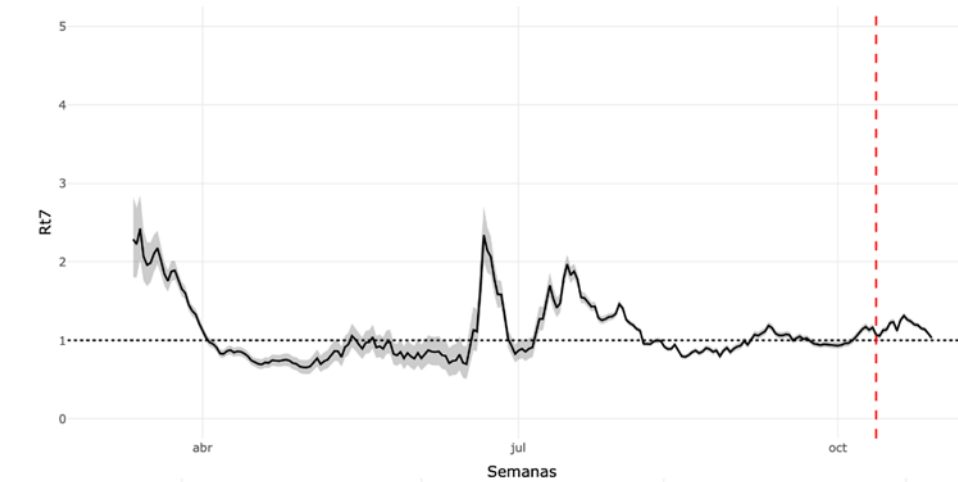
Routine linkable data Individual level (anonymised or pseudonymised)

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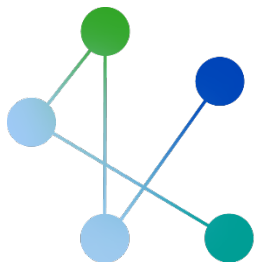
*Available @ <http://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.3952495> / https://hub.docker.com/repository/docker/iacsbiocomputing/ictusnet_analysis

Demonstration pilot on rapid cycle analysis



WP6 use cases ...





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Objectives

Research use cases measuring the impact of COVID-19 on population health

Demonstrate how a broad variety of secondary data (e.g. administrative and survey data) can be pooled and/or reused in a distributed way across Europe:

1. Conduct research through use cases of immediate relevance on the consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic on European population health
2. Pilot activities for the benefits and added value of a research infrastructure by bringing together data from different European countries and feeding the results into the federated research infrastructure

Topics

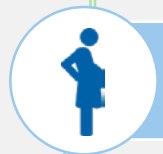
We will look at COVID-19 impacts in specific subgroups by conducting research through real life use cases of immediate relevance



Direct and indirect determinants of COVID-19 infection and outcomes in vulnerable population groups with reference to inequalities



COVID-19 related delayed care in breast cancer patients



The impact of COVID-19 on perinatal health and perinatal health inequalities



COVID-19 related changes in population mental health



The outputs of the use cases will be processed by formalising data models, data management processes and analytical pipelines in an interoperable way to **feed into the federated research infrastructure**

(Preliminary) Research Questions



1. Do area based deprivation measures, or individual measures of socioeconomic position, explain variations in SARS-COV2 infection rates, COVID19 health care **utilisation** and associated mortality between countries/settings?
2. Has the COVID19 pandemic changed existing socioeconomic patterns of non-COVID-19 health care **utilisation** and mortality within and between countries?



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2. The **number of Lumpectomy vs. Mastectomy** has changed?



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2. Were population indicators of maternal and newborn health affected by the pandemic/lockdown?
3. Did these effects differ across countries and by socioeconomic context?



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3. Has the number of **psychiatry visits** changed during the COVID-19 pandemic?
4. Do these effects differ across countries and by socioeconomic context?



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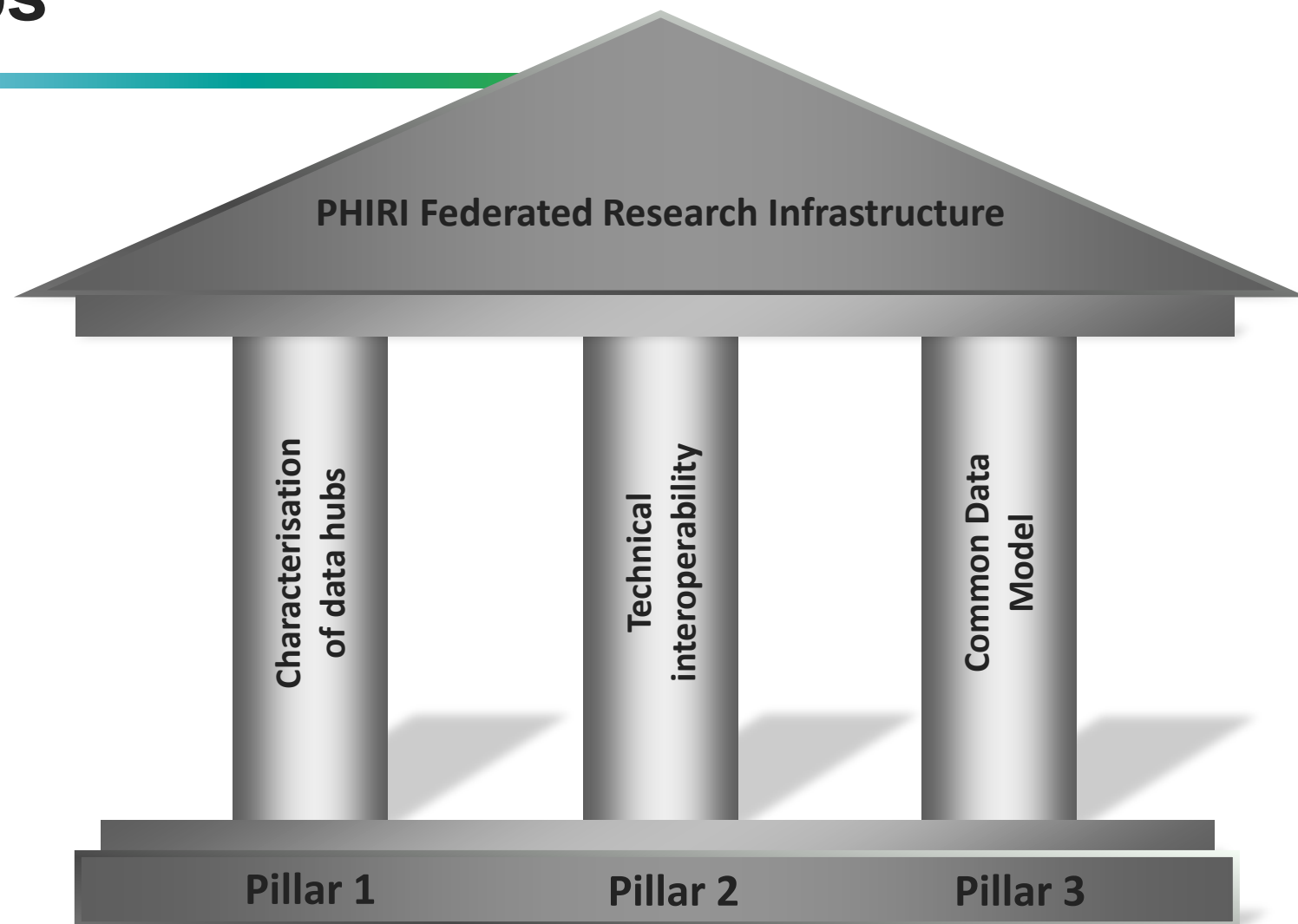


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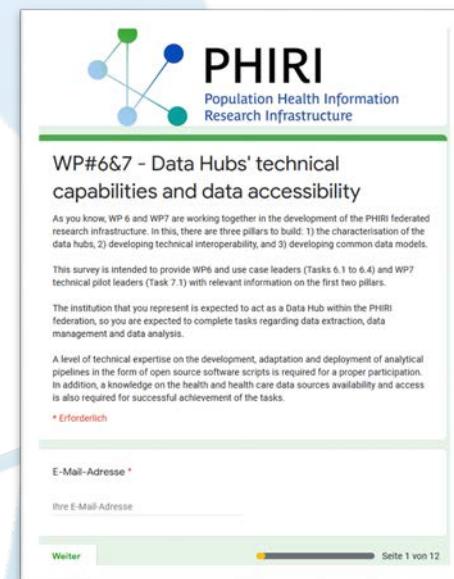
- WP6 and WP7 are working together in the development of the PHIRI federated research infrastructure
- There are three different pillars to build:
 - The first two of them tell us about the actual capacities of each data hub in terms of access to data and technical expertise
 - The third one is meant to achieve semantic interoperability throughout harmonising data differences across data sources and data hubs



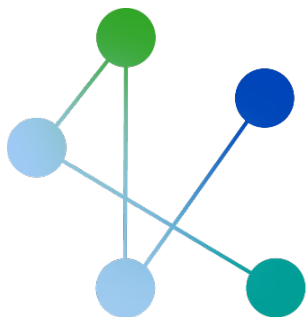
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Two layer questionnaire:

1. Aims to get a better sense on the actual access to data and data hubs' capabilities
2. A second round survey, specific of each use case, to start off the process of harmonising data throughout a common data model



The screenshot shows a questionnaire form for PHIRI (Population Health Information Research Infrastructure). The title is 'WP#6&7 - Data Hubs' technical capabilities and data accessibility'. The text explains that WP 6 and WP 7 are working together to develop the PHIRI federated research infrastructure, with three pillars: 1) characterisation of data hubs, 2) developing technical interoperability, and 3) developing common data models. It states that the survey is intended to provide WP6 and use case leaders (Tasks 6.1 to 6.4) and WP7 technical pilot leaders (Task 7.1) with relevant information on the first two pillars. The form asks the institution to act as a Data Hub within the PHIRI federation, expecting completion of tasks regarding data extraction, data management, and data analysis. It also mentions that a level of technical expertise on the development, adaptation and deployment of analytical pipelines in the form of open source software scripts is required for proper participation, along with knowledge on health and health care data sources availability and access. A red asterisk indicates a required field. The form includes a section for 'E-Mail-Adresse' with a text input field. At the bottom, there is a 'Weiter' button and a progress indicator showing 'Seite 1 von 12'.



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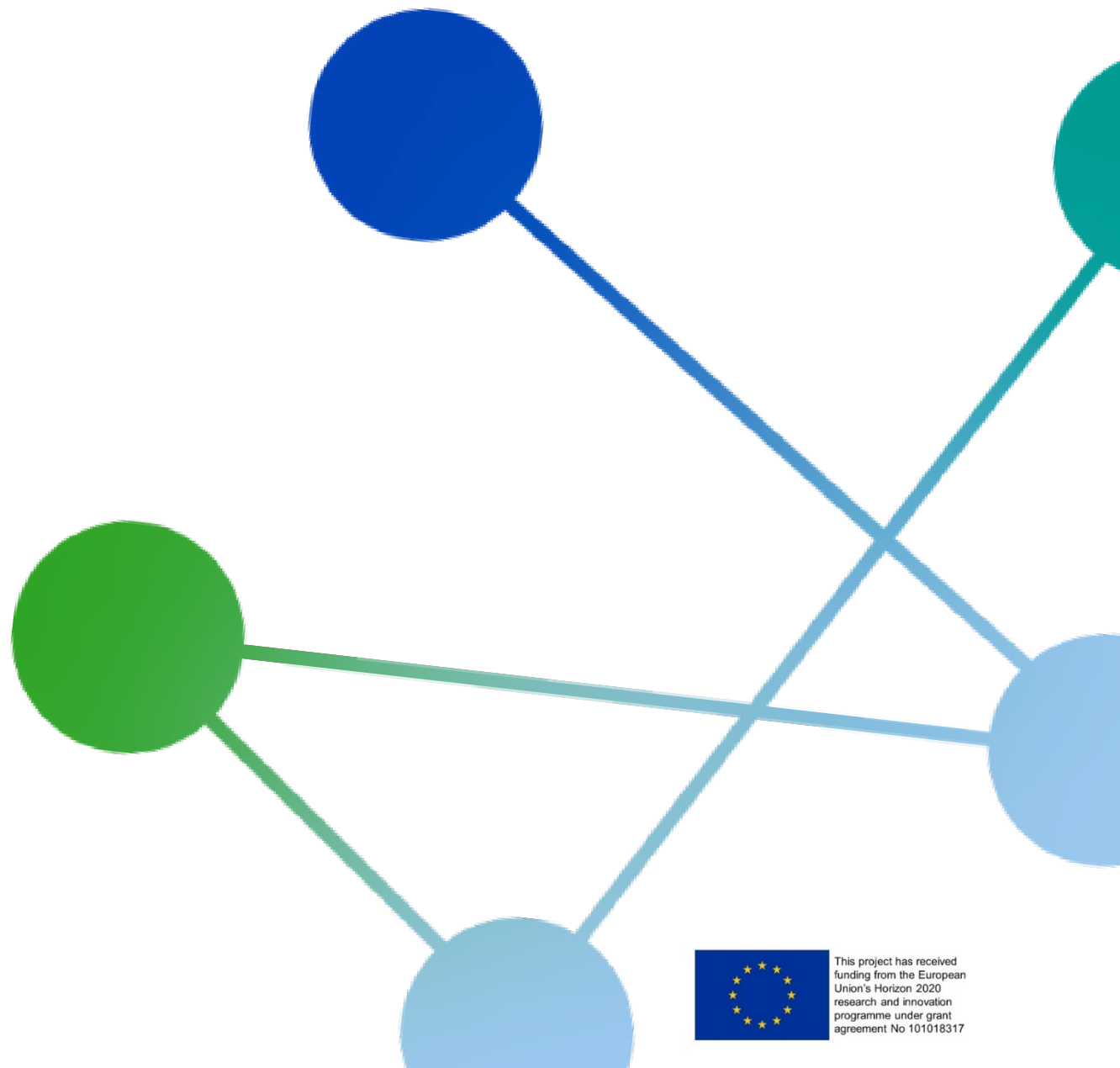
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