

DEVELOP YOUR PUBLIC HEALTH FORESIGHT STUDY (PHFS)

The PHIRI (Population Health Information Research Infrastructure) project aims to facilitate research and generate the best available evidence on population health impacts, one tool being foresight studies. Foresight studies aim at gaining insight in possible future health impacts that policy makers can act upon in the present. To support you in the use of foresight methodology, during 2021 we offered the '[Foresight Capacity Building Course](#)'. Starting January 2022, we invite you to '**Develop your PHFS**'!

WE OFFER YOU SUPPORT:

- On planning or conducting a study with a predefined or self-chosen topic depending on your needs and resources
- Based on a stepwise approach explained in a compact guide
- Facilitating interaction with other participants
- Learning together, both method-wise and content-wise

WE ASK FROM YOU:

- Your active participation
- Sharing your experiences: pitfalls and successes
- Keep track of your study using our template and report back on your study

WHEN WILL THIS HAPPEN?

'Develop your PHFS' is taking place from January to December 2022 in monthly sessions. In January 2023, we will present the national results of the PHFS and draw lessons for the EU.

WHERE TO START?

CHOOSE THE TOPIC OF YOUR PHFS

You can choose the topic of your COVID-19 foresight study according to the priorities and context of your country. You may also use our pre-defined topics: the impact of COVID-19 on

- Mental health
- Control of NCDs
- Delayed care in breast cancer patients
- Healthy lifestyle
- Environmental health
- Occupational health
- Maternal & new-born health
- Non-COVID healthcare & mortality utilization in vulnerable groups

CHOOSE A TRACK

We propose the following 'tracks' that you can follow:

- **Planning a foresight study:** to plan a foresight study; to be followed simply as an exercise or to prepare a grant proposal
- **Planning and executing a foresight study:** to fully plan and (actually) carry out a foresight study.

FOLLOW THE GUIDE TO GET YOU STARTED AND GOING!

We offer a **guide** that follows a stepwise approach to assist you in developing your PHFS.

JOIN US!

If you are interested in foresight studies and want to receive support to plan your own study: **JOIN US** by registering [here](#).

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