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Expert Panel on Effective ways of Investing in Health

Publication of three new opinions on 9 February 2018

The Expert Panel on Effective ways of Investing in Health is an interdisciplinary and independent group, established by the European Commission, providing advice in the form of opinions in response to questions submitted by the Commission.

The Panel aims to analyse evidence that could support the EU countries in delivering high quality care and making their health systems more effective, accessible and resilient. In addition, the opinions it produces are intended to generate debate and provoke thinking amongst stakeholders, national authorities and other relevant bodies.

The Panel website: https://ec.europa.eu/health/expert_panel/home_en.

The Panel published three new opinions on 9 February 2018, dealing with the subjects of [Tools and methodologies for assessing the performance of primary care](#), [Benchmarking access to healthcare in the EU](#) and [Innovative payment models for high-cost innovative medicines](#).

Should you be interested in discussing these (or other relevant) topics further with the Panel members at suitable events, you can explore this possibility by contacting the Panel's secretariat via SANTE-EXPERT-PANEL@ec.europa.eu.

EUROFEDOP has regular contacts with the Chair of the Panel, Prof. Em. Jan De Maeseneer, who was interviewed by Secretary General Bert Van Caelenberg on 27.02.2017 at Ghent University. Prof. De Maeseneer is a specialist in Family Medicine.

We will continue to cooperate closely with the European Commission's DG SANTE.81 – Performance of national health systems, with the aim of effectively defending the interests of the personnel of health care.