

Dear friends of the EU-HIP project,

The EU-HIP project partners are proud to announce that the 2023 EU-HIP Symposium will be held on the 27th and 28th of October in Zagreb, Croatia!

Co-organized by The Croatian Institute for Public Health and Statens Serum Institute (DK) and with the contribution of all EU-HIP partners, the 2023 EU-HIP Symposium will present the first opportunity to share and gain insight into the state of European countries' technological matureness level of IT systems for the assessment of health threats and for intelligence gathering in the area of medical countermeasures at national level. Furthermore, this will be an excellent opportunity to discuss the upcoming HERA ATHENA platform for assessment of health threats and intelligence gathering of serious cross-border health emergencies and what it means for European Member States. This is the first of such meetings, organized by the EU-HIP project, supporting participating countries to enhance and improve national IT systems in an efficient and coordinated manner, with the objective to obtain the needed interoperability with HERA's IT platform.

You will find the agenda for the EU-HIP Symposium on the next page. Online participation is possible both days and for selected sessions.

Register for in person and online participation by following this link or scanning the QR-code:

<https://forms.office.com/e/9xN4WhC9Gm>

Deadline for registration is October 31st.

The venue for the in-person 2023 EU-HIP Symposium is the Journalist's Club on [Perkovčeva ul. 2, Zagreb](#), close to the city center.

Accommodation recommendations for hotels nearby the venue and the city center can be found below (google maps links):

[The Westin Zagreb](#)

[Garden Hotel](#)

[Hotel Park 45](#)

[Hotel Laguna](#)

[Maistra City Vibes Hotel International](#)

[Hotel Centra](#)



We are looking forward to seeing you at the 2023 EU-HIP Symposium!



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2023 EU-HIP Symposium

November 27th - 28th 2023 – Zagreb, Croatia

Day 1 – November 27th 2023

12:30 - Welcome and sign-in

13:00 - 2023 EU-HIP Project Symposium

13:00 – 13:15 Introduction to EU-HIP
 13:15 – 14:00 Site Presentation from Croatia + Q&A
 14:00 – 14:15 Break
 14:45 – 15:00 Collaboration between EU-HIP and HERA + Q&A
 15:00 – 15:10 Break
 15:10 – 16:15 Landscape Analysis – method preliminary results + discussion
 16:15 – 16:50 Next steps for EU-HIP + discussion
 16:50 – 17:00 Closing remarks

19:00 - Informal Networking and Dinner

Day 2 – November 28th 2023

08:30 – 09:00 Welcome and sign-in

09:00 – 09:30 Short introduction of breakout sessions

09:30 – 12:15 Breakout sessions:

<u>Breakout session 1</u>	<u>Breakout session 2</u>	<u>Breakout Session 3</u>
Stakeholder Committee session on EU-HIP Landscape Analysis and broader collaboration with the EC.	State-of-play and Needs Analysis session with EU-HIP project partners.	Sustainability Working Group session with Member States external to EU-HIP

12:15 – 12:50 Insights and Conclusions from Breakout Sessions

12:50 – 13:00 Evaluation and wrap-up of EU-HIP Project Symposium

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch / End of EU-HIP Project Symposium



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