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Best Practices Guidelines

Based on the collection of best practices on this platform, ASSET experts prepared a document outlining the guidelines of civil society involvement in public health projects.

Target:

[Decision Makers](#), [Government and Public Health](#), [Healthcare Professionals](#)

Topic:

[Citizens' Mobilization](#), [Human Rights](#), [Prevention](#), [Stakeholders](#)

Tags:

[best practice](#), [science-in-society](#), [risk communication](#), [behaviour](#), [public health](#)

Questions and answers: Health mediation in Bulgaria

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[Bulgaria](#)

Target:

Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

Topic:

Human Rights, Local Activities, Vaccination

Tags:

best practice, Vaccine, communication, Roma

Questions and answers: French Citizen Consultation on Vaccination

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Country:

France

Target:

Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

Topic:

Citizens' Mobilization, Local Activities, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccine, risk communication, science-in-society

Questions and answers: Immuniser Lyon

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France

Target:

Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

Topic:

Stakeholders, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccine, best practice

Questions and answers: European Immunization Week (EIW)

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Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

Topic:

Human Rights, Stakeholders, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccines, public health, engagement

Vaksinko: an informational campaign about vaccines in Bulgaria

Bulgaria has a long immunization experience. Immunizations against tuberculosis, polio, diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus, measles, mumps, rubella, and hepatitis B have been mandatory for decades as well as recently introduced immunizations against pneumococcal diseases and Haemophilus infl.b infections too. Additionally, HPV vaccine was intensively introduced as recommended for 12-year old girls within a national vaccination campaign for prevention of HPV - caused cancers.

Country:

Bulgaria

Target:

Citizens, Government and Public Health

Topic:

Local Activities, Media, Stakeholders, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccines, science-in-society

Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations (CEPI)

Emerging infectious diseases have a potential for great harm, spreading unchecked in naïve populations, usually poorly prepared to deal with the new threat. The devastating effect of infectious diseases is most strongly felt in low income countries, where the health infrastructure and preparedness plans are at best insufficient.

Country:

Norway

Target:

Government and Public Health, Industry & Commerce

Topic:

Stakeholders, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccines, Ebola, epidemic

Immuniser Lyon

In the context of a Europe increasingly hesitant about vaccination, with dropping vaccination coverage, *Immuniser Lyon* was a French campaign aiming to re-inform the population of the greater Lyon area

in centre-east of France, of the proven benefits of vaccination and to incite people of all ages (children, adults, seniors) to be up-to-date with their vaccinations.

Country:

France

Target:

Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

Topic:

Stakeholders, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccine, best practice

European Immunization Week

The fact that some vaccine preventable diseases have disappeared or are very rare following these vaccination programs can lead to parents believing there is no more need to vaccinate. Therefore, it is of huge importance that events like the European Immunization, helping maintain vaccination awareness and giving accurate and understandable information on immunization, exist. In this way, public confidence in immunization is less susceptible to be influenced by groups, websites or campaigns against vaccination. By acknowledging that every child deserves a healthy start in life, countries can use the European Immunization Week to increase awareness of the importance of immunization and to strengthen their immunization systems.

Country:

Europe WHO Region

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Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

Topic:

Human Rights, Stakeholders, Vaccination

Tags:

Vaccine, public health, engagement

Health mediation in France

Since its creation in 2000, the National Human Rights Romeurope alerted the authorities to the need to take better account of difficulties of access to care of foreign Roma people living in France. Following extensive discussions and in order to verify the relevance of these recommendations for access to rights and health, the Directorate General of Health supported in 2008-2009 an action of project engineering intended to present plans of development of mediation pilot projects.

Country:

France

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Citizens, Decision Makers, Government and Public Health, Healthcare Professionals

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