



FH Europe

The European FH Patient Network

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Our journey together so far

Patient Network
Coordinator, Diana
Maxwell, appointed.
Works 3 days per week



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Online
www.fheurope.org



Exhibition presence at major
conferences including ECIM &
the European Atherosclerosis
Society (EAS)



On Twitter
[@fhpatienteurope](https://twitter.com/fhpatienteurope)

Bi-monthly e-flash
to members and
supporters



Regular Network meetings

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New members and continuing to grow



Research across Europe



Legal and charitable status



Supporting decision making with research and knowledge



Member directory



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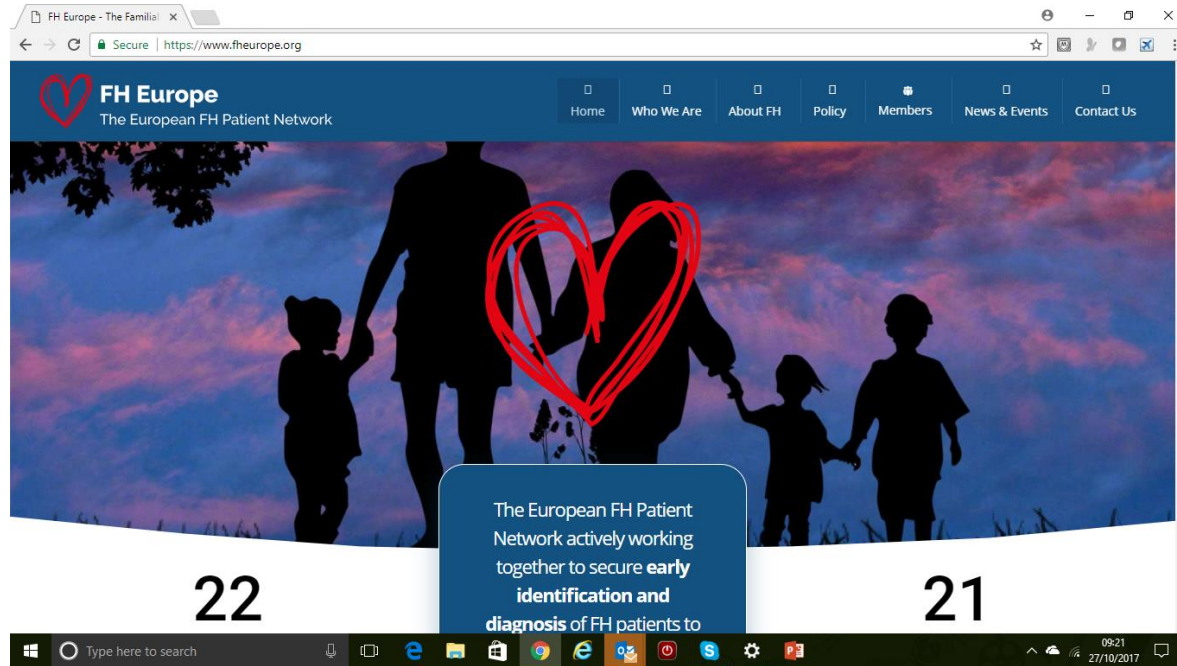
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2017 sharing the FH story



Share member news
Sent to 110 people



Launched website in September (www.fheurope.org)



Twitter (165 followers)
Facebook page (55 followers)



FH awareness day
Promoted member activities

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2017 Together we delivered



Call to Action on Familial Hypercholesterolaemia (FH) & Cardiovascular Diseases

- It is estimated that at least one million people across Europe have FH. Many patients enjoy a 10-fold increase in risk of coronary heart disease than the average population.
- Lack of diagnosis is one of the critical barriers to preventing heart disease and reducing the quality of life and economic and social contributions of individuals with FH.

We therefore call for the following actions to be supported by the European Parliament, the European Commission, the European Council and all concerned stakeholders.



CALL ON THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION TO:

1. Take action to the development of an FH care approach (a) a high number of cardiovascular diseases (CVD) patients in Europe; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (c) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
2. Encourage the EC through the European Health Programme (EHP) 2020 to conduct a high number of studies on the genetic, environmental and lifestyle factors that lead to the development of CVD. This should be supported in the form of grants.
3. Encourage the EC through the European Health Programme (EHP) 2020 to fund research on the genetic, environmental and lifestyle factors that lead to the development of CVD. This should be supported in the form of grants.

CALL ON THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND ITS MEMBERS TO:

1. Support the development of a strategy to increase the number of cardiovascular diseases (CVD) patients in Europe; (a) a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
2. Encourage the development of a strategy to increase the number of patients in Europe; (a) a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
3. Consider the possibility of funding a European Health Programme (EHP) 2020 to fund research on the genetic, environmental and lifestyle factors that lead to the development of CVD. This should be supported in the form of grants.

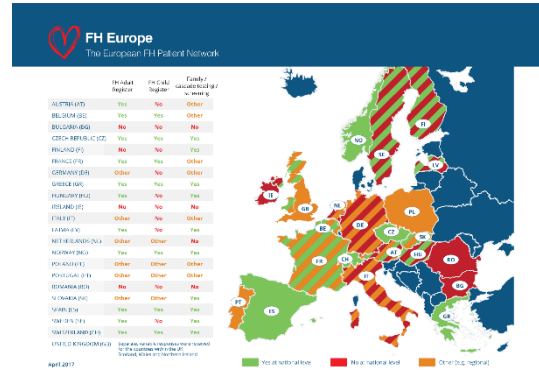
CALL ON THE MEMBER STATES TO:

1. Work together with the European Commission towards the development and implementation of a strategy to increase the number of cardiovascular diseases (CVD) patients in Europe; (a) a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
2. Encourage national health authorities to support the development of a strategy to increase the number of patients in Europe; (a) a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
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CALL ON ALL THE STAKEHOLDERS TO:

1. Support the development of a strategy to increase the number of cardiovascular diseases (CVD) patients in Europe; (a) a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
2. Encourage the development of a strategy to increase the number of patients in Europe; (a) a high number of patients to be treated with statins; (b) the need for a high number of patients to be treated with statins.
3. Consider the possibility of funding a European Health Programme (EHP) 2020 to fund research on the genetic, environmental and lifestyle factors that lead to the development of CVD. This should be supported in the form of grants.

Updated call to action with priorities & engagement with European Commission



Published FH map of Europe which is used around the world



HCP conference : EAS, Prague, Apr & 12th Lipid Club & Therapeutic Apheresis, Rome, May



Advocacy training delivered in Budapest



Advocacy toolkit being provided to members to aid local decision maker engagement

2017 Member Meeting Highlights

Budapest, Hungary 4 – 5 November 2017



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Countries in attendance

- 16 countries
- 20 members
- 5 sponsors
- 2 Hanover representatives
- 2 Healthcare professional speakers
- 14 attendees on live streaming
- Total of 43 attendees

Austria	Latvia
Czech Republic	Poland
France	Romania
Germany	Russia
Greece	Slovakia
Hungary	Sweden
Ireland	Switzerland
Italy	United Kingdom



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14 members viewing
live webstream



- Produce video with highlights for the website
- Produce 30 second film for use on social media and other communications channels to encourage new countries to join



Each country filmed a piece to camera about their organisation and what it means to be in the Network.

This video will be provided for member country websites and also on the FH Europe website.



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Participation and learning

Networking and supporting

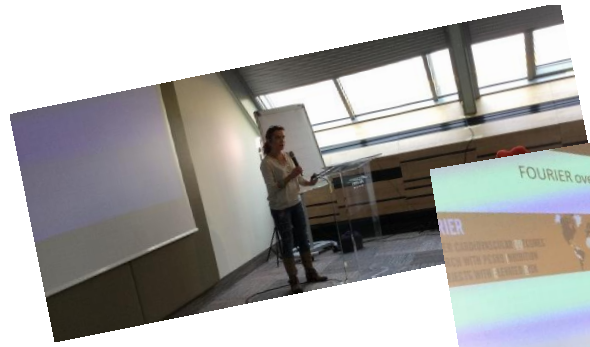


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Presentations from members and healthcare professionals all delivering messages to help support the members



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Advocacy training delivered with the feedback to the workshop sessions



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