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The European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies: An Effective Partnership for knowledge brokering

Core Mission: to support and promote evidence-based health policy-making

International Agencies

WHO Regional Office for Europe

European
 Commission

(host)

- European
 Investment Bank
- World Bank

National and Regional Authorities

Austria

Belgium

Finland

Ireland

Norway

Slovenia

• Spain

Sweden

- UK
- the Netherlands
- French Union of Health Insurance Funds
- Veneto Region of Italy

Academia

- London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)
- London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (LSHTM)
- Technical University of Berlin (TUB)



How to communicate evidence to policy-makers: printed tools



Full study:

- Edited volume
 - Editors
 - Coordinate writing process A-Z
 - Instruct authors, develop template (Grid?)
 - Authors
- Outline
 - Who will write, and who will edit?

 HIGH TOURS IN THE TOU
 - Lessons / findings
 - Section 2: Country chapters
- Professional editing / external review
- Logos

- A report that:
 - begins with a policy issue
 - mobilises the relevant synthesized research evidence (problems, policy, practices onti
 - How can optimal skill mix be effectively implemented
- Tar a How to create an attractive and supportive working environment for health professionals
- Strict Do lifelong learning and revalidation ensure that physicians are fit to practice?



Policy summary:

- A summary of a larger study focusing on policy relevant findings
- Outline:
- Addressing needs in the public health workforce in
 - Europe

Assessing future health workforce

- Using audit and feedback to health professionals to improve the quality and safety of health care
- Ca. 50 pages
- More flexibility



How to communicate evidence to policy-makers: face-to-face tools



Policy dialogues:

- Country/ regional meeting
- Tailor-made, focussed on one specific issue
- Bring together evidence (<u>Handbook authors</u>), assess options and formulate implementation options
- Two-way dialogue



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Longevity of JA outcomes

- Dissemination strategy
- Printed products
- Face-to-face tools

