

NEWSLETTER, March/April 2022

EuroHeart - Pilot Phase finishes June 2022!

Dear EuroHeart Friends,

European collaboration, integration and networking are more important than ever. We are very encouraged by the EuroHeart Pilot Phase achievements so far. Therefore, we aim to keep our targets unchanged until the end of the Pilot Phase in June 2022. However, we are aware of the challenges some countries are facing, and endeavour to support their EuroHeart activities as best we can.

Below, you can read a summary of the Pilot Phase progress over the past few months.



EuroHeart countries

Iceland and Singapore have joined the EuroHeart collaboration by adopting the EuroHeart Data Standards. We are in discussion with other countries about joining EuroHeart. If you would like to know more about the EuroHeart project and/or discuss collaboration possibilities, you are welcome to contact us.

EuroHeart map illustrates participating countries: Estonia, Hungary, Portugal, Romania, Sweden, Lithuania, Denmark, Iceland and Singapore.

Publications

We are delighted to announce that EuroHeart has had two papers accepted for publication in the *European Heart Journal*. These seminal papers are:

- "Data standards for acute coronary syndrome and percutaneous coronary intervention: The European Unified Registries for Heart Care Evaluation and Randomised Trials (EuroHeart)"
- "Data standards for heart failure: the European Unified Registries for Heart Care Evaluation and Randomised Trials (EuroHeart) Developed in collaboration with the Heart Failure Association of the European Society of Cardiology"

This accomplishment adds to the already published <u>EuroHeart methodology paper</u>. If you have comments about the published data standards, please <u>contact us</u>.

We are currently working on the papers for the EuroHeart data standards for atrial fibrillation and for transcatheter aortic valve replacement.

EuroHeart IT-platform demo is available!

The online demo versions of the EuroHeart ITplatform ACS-PCI registry and Heart Failure registry are now available. You can log on using web browsers Google Chrome or Microsoft Edge, at:

- https://utbildning.ucr.uu.se/euroheart (ACS-PCI registry), or
- https://utbildning.ucr.uu.se/eurohearthf (Heart Failure registry)

and log in with the below credentials:

Username: doctorisinPassword: doctorisin

Please also see the attached <u>user information</u> for notes about the demo environment and how to use it.

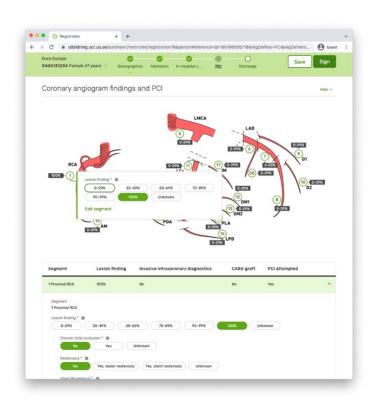
EuroHeart Data Standards

The development process for the EuroHeart Cardiovascular Outcomes domain has started. This is led by Dr. Chris Wilkinson under the supervision of Prof. Chris Gale. A comprehensive systematic review of the literature is currently being conducted with nearly a thousand studies included.



Save the dates!

EuroHeart looks forward to meeting you at the ESC Congress in Barcelona if you are planning to attend the Congress in-person. More information on the EuroHeart presence in the ESC Congress will come in the next newsletter in June 2022.



Statistical Analysis Plan for ACS-PCI

Following discussions with the EuroHeart National Leaders Group, the work on the Statistical Analysis Plan for the EuroHeart ACS-PCI registry is progressing according to plan. The document will provide details of the analysis to be performed on aggregated data from the EuroHeart countries that will result in the EuroHeart annual report. When finalised, the Statistical Analysis Plan will be operationalised in collaboration with the national monitors, data managers and statisticians.

We plan to develop a separate Statistical Analysis Plan for each EuroHeart Registry.

With faith in Europe and a continuing collaboration on the EuroHeart project, we would like to convey our sincere gratitude and thanks to all the EuroHeart countries for their excellent partnership. We hope to welcome more countries to participate in the EuroHeart project in the near future!

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us at euroheart@escardio.org. Please visit our website for updates.