

EPF WORKING GROUP ON ACCESS

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Objectives of the meeting

Why a working group on access?

What Terms of Reference?

Place of the WG in EPF Structure? (Board, PAG)

Role of Members / Co-chair?

What can we achieve SMART objectives

Synergies and Partnership

What the working group can achieve



- mapping exercise to ensure better coordination and exchange of knowledge between members
- The first task of the group is to come to a common concept of access – what it means, access to what?
- Better data and indicators from the patients perspective are needed
- Evidence of the cost of non access
- Patient organisations' can show what happens behind the numbers

Practicalities

- We discussed the multistakeholder partnership on access: It should be patient focuses and patient led + collaborating on prevention
- Liaison persons with Board and Policy Advisory Group
- Need for a liaison with Patient Empowerment WG
- Governance: We discussed that it could be a steering committee instead of a chair

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