

A STRONG PATIENTS' VOICE TO DRIVE BETTER HEALTH IN EUROPE

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- It aims to respond to needs and concerns identified by EPF membership during previous activities of EPF
- It builds on other EPF capacity building activities
- It acknowledges a large variation in levels of skills of patient organisations and also the existence of specific needs



- Overall objective of strengthening the capacity of both Member State and European level Patients' Organisations
- To enable them to be more effective in feeding their expertise and work into EPF and in a national or disease specific context
- Focus on advocacy and organisational capacity

Europeanpatients' forum Targeted organisations 2012-14

- <u>National Patient Organisations</u>: 60 organisations (ten per country) in 6 countries to be selected in collaboration with National Coalitions
- <u>European Patient Organisations</u>: Secretariat will identify with the members, 8 organisations with specific capacity building needs. Priority will be given to organisations which are recently established, are at a formative stage and have few financial/human resources.



## 2012

- Select 30 Patient Organisations in 3 out of 6 countries and 8 European organisations
- Conduct strategic planning exercise and needs' assessment with the national organisations
- Conduct needs' assessment with the European organisations
- Development of training modules



## 2013

- Implementation of training modules for both national and European organisations selected
- Select 30 Patient Organisations in remaining 3 countries and Conduct strategic planning exercise and needs' assessment with them



## 2014

- Implementation of further training modules
- Evaluation of programme and planning for next phase



## Thank you for your attention!

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