

## **Criteria for Participation**

## The criteria for participating are:

- Being a representative of a representative membership-based patient organisation in Bulgaria;
- Capacity to transfer learning and knowledge to their peers within the organisation and their networks (board representative, director, policy or communication specialist within the organisation);
- Familiarity with the cross-border healthcare legislation or commitment to familiarising themselves with the legislation prior to the workshop.

## The participants will commit themselves to:

- Familiarising themselves with the pre-workshop reading materials;
- Disseminating the workshop outcomes within their organisations and networks;
- Becoming a member of the informal network of patient leaders whose collective task at the national level will be to:
  - Effectively disseminate information to their patient community in that member state on cross-border healthcare
  - o Interact with national government representatives and other stakeholders and advocate the patients' perspective on cross-border healthcare.
  - Interact with the national contact points to ensure information they produce meet patient needs
  - o Feedback information on the implementation of the directive over the next years



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