



Join our Stakeholder Community

We collaborate with organisations and professionals across Europe who contribute to improve **patient-centred, evidence-based prostate cancer care**.

Why collaborate with CLEAR-PC?

- Contribute to European research.
- Gain early access to project knowledge.
- Connect with key actors across healthcare, research, and policy.
- Increase the visibility of your organisation.



Engagement is flexible and adapted to your expertise and availability.

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Empowering People to Understand And Manage Prostate Cancer Prevention And Care



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The CLEAR-PC Project

CLEAR-PC (Cancer Literacy Education and Awareness Resources for Prostate Care) is a project **co-funded by the European Union** in the framework of the EU4Health programme. Our mission is to **enhance health literacy** regarding prostate cancer prevention and care, and to **reduce health inequalities** across Europe.

Background

In Europe, prostate cancer is the most common cancer in men, with an estimated 323,000 cases and 77,300 deaths reported in 2024.

Effective prostate cancer care requires **informed decision making** at every stage – from screening and diagnosis to treatment and palliative care. Clear, **accessible information** is essential to enable all patients and healthcare professionals to make collaborative, informed choices. However, **low health literacy** hinders this process and increases health inequalities.

What is the goal of CLEAR-PC?

CLEAR-PC adopts a **participatory approach**, actively involving patients, the general public, vulnerable populations, healthcare professionals, educators, and policy makers in the design, development, and evaluation of a **practical strategy**.

Our goal is to improve health literacy at **every stage of prostate cancer**. By doing so, we aim to help people better understand medical information, counter misinformation, and facilitate **shared decision-making**.

Specific Objectives

- 1 Map the **levels of digital and non-digital health literacy** across the EU.
- 2 Conduct a review of **existing strategies and tools** in healthcare and educational contexts.
- 3 Analyse the impact of **social determinants** on health literacy competences and knowledge.
- 4 Develop a **CLEAR-PC strategy** by providing evidence-based, accessible tools, strategies and best practices.
- 5 Pilot the developed strategy through **several studies at different stages** of the healthcare process.
- 6 Disseminate the strategy and develop **follow-up actions** for long-term integration into healthcare systems and education.

CLEAR-PC In a Nutshell

- 36 months
- 17 participating organisations
- 6 European countries
- 998.050,64€ EU contribution
- 1.247.563,29€ overall budget

SPAIN



BELGIUM



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