

El impacto futuro de las Joint Actions en nuestro Sistema Nacional de Salud

CRANE: **European Network of comprehensive Cancer Centers (CCC)**

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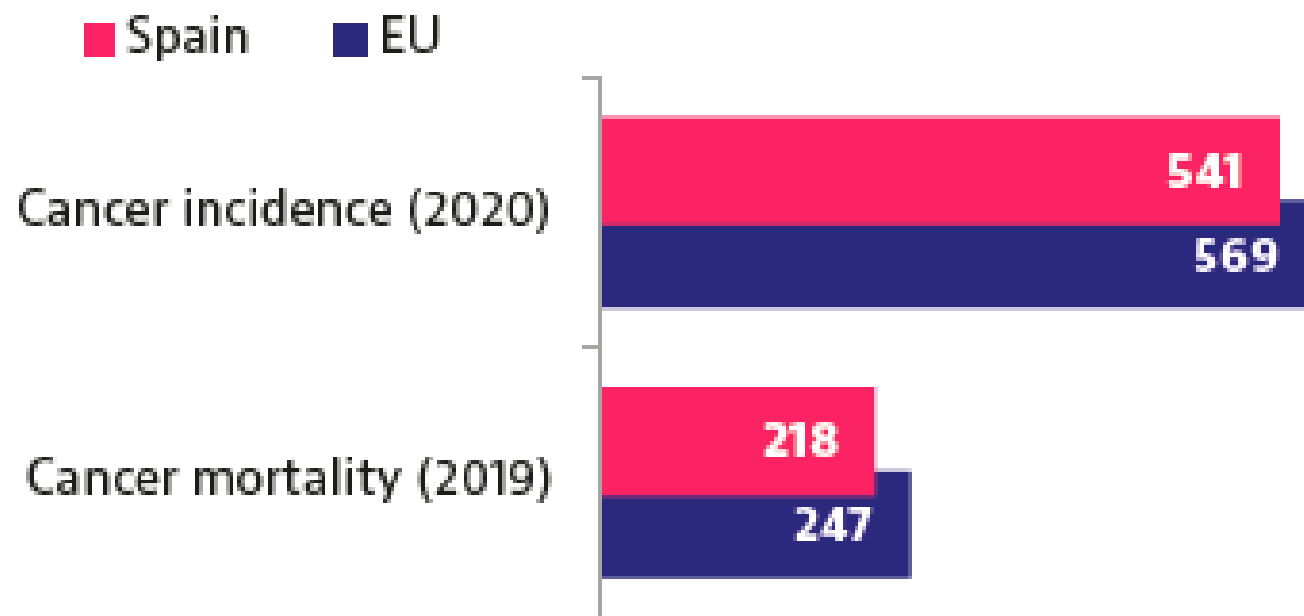
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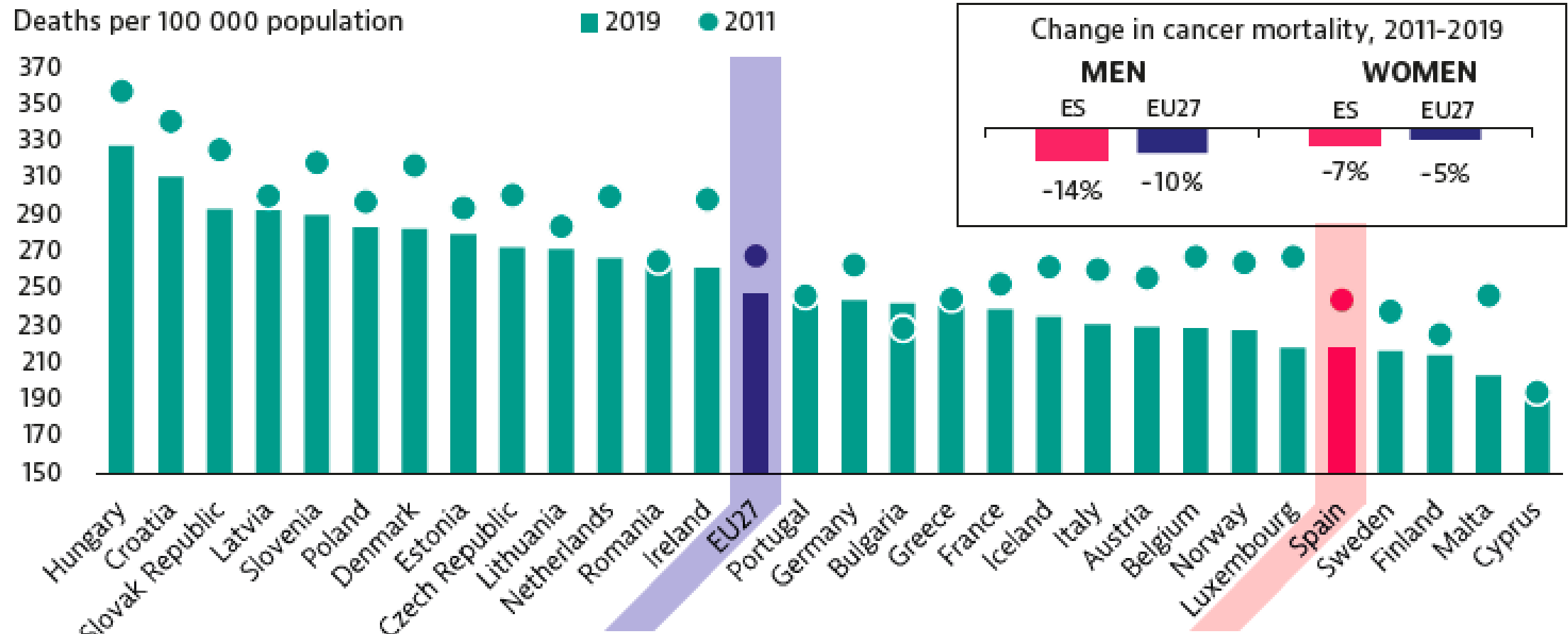
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CANCER INCIDENCE AND MORTALITY IN SPAIN



STATE OF PLAY

Figure 2. Cancer mortality is among the lowest in the EU and has decreased since 2011



Note: The EU average is weighted (calculated by Eurostat for 2011-2017 and by the OECD for 2018-2019).
Source: Eurostat Database.

* Estimated cases



Europe's Beating Cancer Plan

Communication from the commission to the European Parliament and the Council

5. ENSURING HIGH STANDARDS IN CANCER CARE

Europe's Beating Cancer Plan will seek to ensure that people in the EU have the right to access affordable, preventive and curative healthcare of good quality, as called for under the European Pillar of Social Rights⁵⁴. High-quality cancer care depends on a

number of factors such as a high-quality workforce working in multidisciplinary teams, on timely access to specialised cancer services providing optimal and quality assured treatment, as well as the availability of essential medicines and innovation.

5.1. Delivering higher-quality care

When it comes to accessing high-quality cancer care, and particularly for timely diagnosis and treatment, patients are still faced with substantial differences in the standards of care, leading to unacceptable disparities across the EU. For instance, survival rates following treatment for breast cancer vary by 20% between countries and the five-year survival for colon cancer ranges from 49% to 68%⁵⁵.

patients' access to high-quality diagnostics and care and the latest innovative treatments. It can also help with patient mobility to ensure adequate treatment for patients with complex conditions. A new 'EU Cancer Treatment Capacity and Capability Mapping' project will help to map and share the different capabilities and expertise available across the EU.

Flagship 5: The Commission will establish, by 2025, an **EU Network** linking recognised National **Comprehensive Cancer Centres** in every Member State⁵⁶. It will facilitate the uptake of quality-assured diagnosis and treatment, including training, research and clinical trials across the EU. This cross-border collaboration will improve

This action will help deliver higher-quality care and reduce inequalities across the EU, while enabling patients to benefit from diagnosis and treatment close to home. The Cancer Plan aims to ensure that **90% of eligible patients** have access to such **centres by 2030**.

What is a Comprehensive Cancer Centre? - according to OECC



A **comprehensive cancer centre** is an organisational entity with a **clear central governance** spanning cancer care, research, and education (generally in one geographical location) including:

- a direct provision of an extensive range of **high-quality cancer diagnostics and care covering at least all the major cancers**
- a high level of infrastructure, expertise, and innovation in **cancer research, especially in translational and clinical research** (including early clinical trial units), but also in many cases including basic science and discovery science
- a **university partnership** as part of the centre, or strong links with universities and research institutes
- **extensive international networking** in research and clinical trials
- **educational programmes** for clinicians, researchers, and patients



What are the Domains of the Quality Standards?

- ✓ Governance of the Cancer Centre
- ✓ Quality systems' organisation of the Cancer Centre
- ✓ Patient involvement and empowerment
- ✓ Multidisciplinarity
- ✓ Prevention and Early Detection
- ✓ Diagnosis (Radiology, Nuclear Medicine, Pathology, Molecular diagnostics)
- ✓ Treatment (Surgery, Radiotherapy, Medical Oncology, Nursing, Pain, Supportive disciplines, Survivorship, Rehabilitation, Palliative Care, End of Life Care.
- ✓ Research (Basic, Translational, Clinical Research)
- ✓ Education and Training in all disciplines.

Centros Integrales de Cáncer (CCC) en ESPAÑA

Acreditados

★ Vall d'Hebron Barcelona Campus Hospitalari

Acreditación en desarrollo

★ Institut Català d'Oncologia ICO

★ Cancer Center Clínica Universidad de Navarra

★ Fundación Jiménez Díaz University Hospital

★ Institut d'Oncologia de la Catalunya Sud
Hospital Universitari Sant Joan de Reus

Nuevos miembros OECI en 2024

- Centro Integral Oncológico Clara Campal
- Hospital Universitario 12 de Octubre
- Clínic Comprehensive Cancer Centre
- Hospital Universitario La Paz
- Hospital Universitario Ramon Y Cajal
- Hospital Universitario Clínico San Carlos
- Hospital Clínico Universitario de Valencia (Departamento de Salud Clínico-Malvarrosa)
- Hospital General Universitario Gregorio Marañón
- Hospital Universitario Puerta de Hierro Majadahonda

Objectives



1. Extending Patient Access

Improving access to high-quality cancer care, research, innovation, prevention, governance and training in existing and new cancer centres.

2. Operationalizing the EU Network

Developing and piloting a framework to link the EU Network of CCCs with existing ERNs and other cancer infrastructures (CCCNs, CCI, NoE).

3. Fostering Collaboration and Research

Enhancing cooperation among cancer centres in the EU and associated countries, and developing research and innovation activities at local, national and international levels.

EUnetCCC : The Largest European Initiative In Healthcare

TO ENSURE THAT 90% OF ELIGIBLE PATIENTS HAVE ACCESS TO HIGH-QUALITY CARE



90M€ EU Funding
~ 20M In-kind



31 COUNTRIES



163 PARTNERS



4 YEARS



9 WORK PACKAGES



100 COMPREHENSIVE
CANCER CENTERS BY 2028
IN EUROPE

EUnetCCC: A Unique European Platform For...



...BUILDING SYNERGIES BETWEEN NATIONAL AND EUROPEAN-LEVEL INITIATIVES

Align cancer care strategies, create cross-border partnerships...



.... ENHANCING PARTICIPATION IN EUROPEAN PROGRAMS

Provide centers opportunities to participate to EU initiatives (eg. EU4Health...)



...EUROPEAN INNOVATION IN ONCOLOGY

Test and deploy new protocols, therapies, clinical trials..



....ACCELERATING THE TRANSFER FROM RESEARCH TO PRACTICE

Mobilize human and material resources, rapid transfer of scientific discoveries to clinical settings...

EUnetCCC's ambitions

EXCELLENCE AND COLLABORATION FOR CANCER CARE IN EUROPE



MAKE HIGH-QUALITY CANCER CARE ACCESSIBLE TO ALL

Providing all patients with equitable access to precision diagnosis, innovating therapies and clinical trials via the CCCs



STRENGTHEN THE QUALITY OF OUTCOMES RESEARCH AND CLINICAL CARE

Measuring and comparing clinical trials results between centers/countries

Fostering data sharing

Integrating clinical care and research in each center for innovation



FOSTER COLLABORATION IN THE FIGHT AGAINST CANCER

Developing network activities: in-person trainings, webinars, mentoring and pairing activities...

Taking part in EUnetCCC: What impact for stakeholders?

AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL



- Integration of national CCCs in a European Network, with better visibility
- Improvement of patients access to high-quality cancer treatments
- Foster national participation to European and international initiatives (ex: G7 Cancer)
- Address inequities in cancer care at the national and regional levels

FOR CANCER CENTERS



- Certification and better visibility
- Faster adoption of best practices and emerging technologies
- Use of the EUnetCCC network to test and deploy innovations (based on transnational clinical trials)
- Specific EUnetCCC fundings to develop pilot projects at the local level, in line with the European objectives

FOR SCIENTISTS & CLINICIANS



- Preparing the next generation of European scientists
- Access to training programs
- Allowing cross-border exchanges and mentorship programs

Muchas gracias

