

Schools4Health

Schools4Health (2023-2025): an EU4Health-funded project which aims to introduce, strengthen, and sustain the adoption of a health promoting school (HPS) approach and other whole school approaches to health.

- It will invest in the overall HPS approach, and good practices in healthy nutrition, physical activity and mental health
- It will engage approximately 16 schools across the EU in a process of selection, transfer, implementation of good practices, with special consideration to school settings in deprived areas.



To promote whole-school for health approaches such as HPS

To engage policy makers and practitioners in the HPS approach

To identify and implement good practices that promote healthy lifestyles and the wider HPS approach



To strengthen the contributions that HPS can make not just to health, but also to equity and the environment



To ensure that EU-level policies and instruments support HPS approaches

To develop and implement an online campaign

Consortium set-up

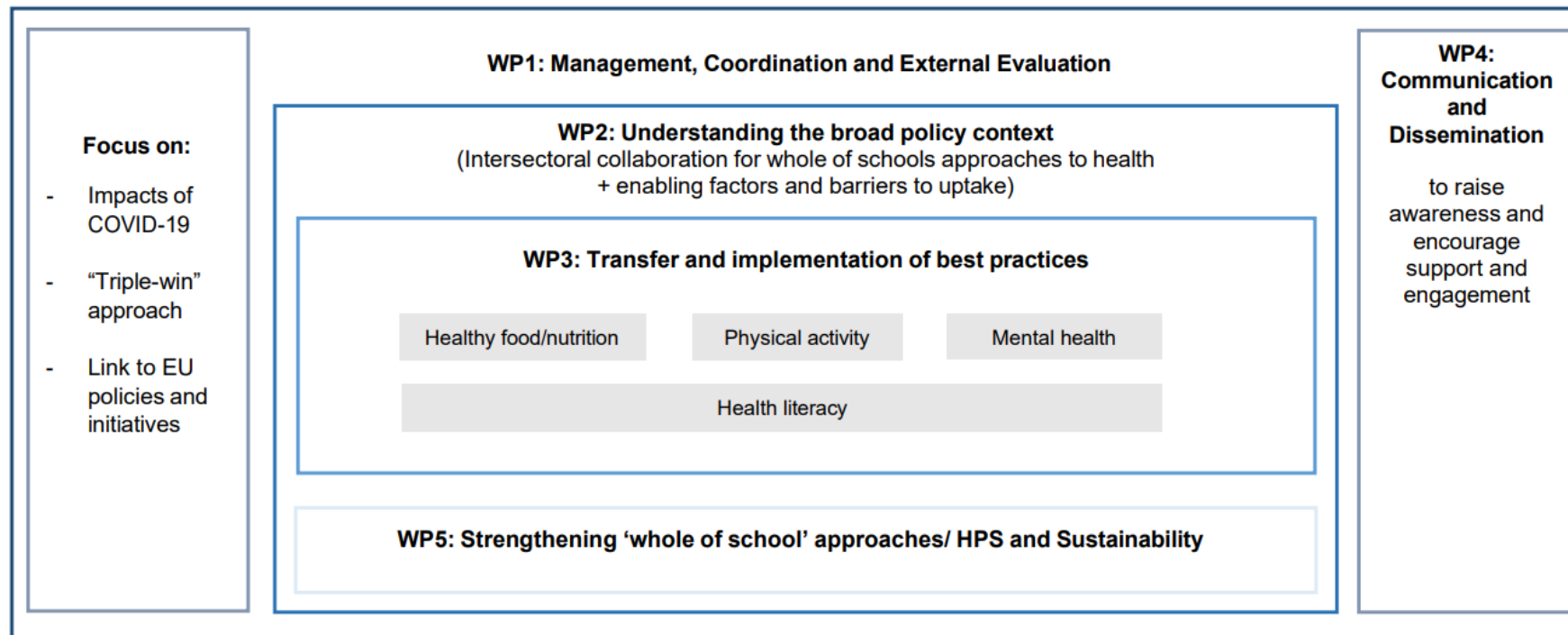
WP leaders and overall steering committee

- EuroHealthNet
- Schools for Health in Europe Network Foundation (SHE)
- International Sport and Culture Association (ISCA)
- Gezond Leven, Flanders Belgium
- Goof Buijs (UNESCO Chair Global Health & Education)
- Technical University Munich, Germany (**evaluator**)



Participating authorities

- Institute of Preventive Medicine, Environmental and Occupational Health (Prolepsis), Greece
- National Public Health Centre, Hungary
- Welfare Department of the City Council, Riga, Latvia
- National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), Netherlands
- National Institute of Public Health (INSP) Romania
- National Institute of Public Health (NIJZ) Slovenia
- Regional Ministry of Health, Andalucía (CSFJA) Spain



Key activities:

- Rapid Situation Analysis and national roundtables, European Seminar early 2024 (WP2)
- Schools4Health Guide on the transfer and implementation of best practices, site/exchange/training visits [Nov '23-Mar '24], implementation [Mar '24-Oct'25] (WP3)
- Development of Schools4Health visual identity and online Hub (WP4)
- Sustainability Plan, including discussions on accreditation processes (WP5)
- Online tools for policymakers and practitioners (WP5)

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