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Work Package 4:
*tools to improve the health equity focus in
cross government policy making*

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Objective

To promote a health equity focus in policy making through identifying the policy implications of a health equity in all policies approach and developing, using and assessing tools such as HIAef and HEA as well as learning from practice.

Recap, update and way forward

What we have singed up to do

Recap



Agreed deliverables I

- HIA(ef)/HEA in 75% of MS – polices at national level
- EU level HEA – agreed with EC
- Agreed framework and programme of HIA/HEA
- ***Feb 2013***



Agreed deliverables II

- Project report
 - Learning to improve cross-government equity focus
 - Tools and methodologies
- ***Feb 2014***



WP3: Evaluation

- Meetings have clear focus
- HIA(ef) framework developed
- HIA(ef)/HEA used to inform policy making
- HIA(ef)/HEA is used in practice within HiAP approach
- HIA course developed and delivered - *to increase understanding of HIA processes*
- If there has been an increase knowledge of what works of equity being considered in policy making



Milestones

- Doc describing common understanding of project partners of Health equity in All Policies approach to address HI and policy implications (**Dec 2011**)
- Report on the current situation re. HIA(ef) & HEAs in MS involved (**June 2012**)

What we have achieved so far

Update



Achievements so far...

- Kick off meeting (April 2011)
- Rapid review of HIAef
- Pre-meeting Q-aire HIA
- Series of questions to address equity in HIA policy making process
- HIA training provider
- Review HiAP

What we have to do next

Way forward



By the end of the meeting

- Shared understanding and ethos
 - Terminology
 - Agreement on approach
 - Collective working and
 - Sharing experiences i.e. country-to-country exchanges
- How to collate what action is needed to support cross-government working to tackle the SDH of HI
- A clear idea of what we need to do and by when

Thank you

Questions?