



a PeRsOnalized Prevention roadmap  
for the future HEAlThcare

# The Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA) and Roadmap on Personalized Prevention

Results of the PeRsOnalised Prevention roadmap for the future HEAlThcare (PROPHET)  
project in the European Prevention Ecosystem

**26-27 March 2026, Rome, Italy**

Villa Palestro, Via Palestro, 24, 00185 Roma



# Event Rationale

[Personalized prevention](#) is emerging as a cornerstone to effectively address the growing burden of common chronic diseases in Europe, calling for integrated, data-driven, and sustainable approaches across health systems. The EU-funded project "A Personalised Prevention roadmap for the future HEAlThcare in Europe" ([PROPHET](#)) has developed the [Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda \(SRIA\)](#) and the [Personalized Prevention Roadmap](#), providing a comprehensive and structured framework to advance personalized prevention at scale.

The SRIA identifies ten core challenges that must be addressed to enable effective, equitable, and system-wide implementation, while the Roadmap translates these challenges into concrete actions, defined across different levels of priority, urgency, and stakeholder responsibility, from European institutions to national and local actors. This strategic framework is aligned with the objectives of Europe's Beating Cancer Plan 2020–2025, reinforcing its relevance within the broader European health policy landscape.

This event provides a dedicated platform to advance the implementation of the SRIA and Roadmap by showcasing the [PROPHET](#) actions designed to operationalize [personalized prevention](#) across Europe. By bringing together ongoing European research and innovation projects and key stakeholders for personalized prevention, the event aims to promote alignment between ongoing initiatives and the strategic priorities defined by PROPHET. Through structured project exchanges and thematic working groups, participants will explore complementarities, identify opportunities for coordinated action, and define concrete pathways to translate shared efforts into practice. The overarching objective is to strengthen European-level coherence, foster durable synergies, and accelerate the collective transition from strategic planning to tangible implementation of personalized prevention.

# Day 1 | 26 March 2026

## Welcome and Opening Sessions

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### Registration

13:30 – 14:00

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### Welcome and Introduction

14:00 – 14:15

Stefania Boccia, PROPHET  
Coordinator, *Director, University  
Department of Health Sciences and  
Public Health, Faculty of Medicine,  
Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore,  
Fondazione Policlinico 'Agostino  
Gemelli' IRCCS*

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### Opening

14:15 – 14:30

Relevance of prevention in Mission  
Cancer

Walter Ricciardi, Director of the  
Postgraduate Specialization School  
in Hygiene and Preventive Medicine,  
*Faculty of Medicine, Università  
Cattolica del Sacro Cuore,  
Fondazione Policlinico 'Agostino  
Gemelli' IRCCS, Mission on Cancer  
President*

# PROPHET in the EU Landscape

**14:30 – 15:00**

## **The SRIA and Roadmap of PROPHET**

Stefania Boccia, PROPHET coordinator

## **European Living Laboratories for Prevention: The experience of Personalized Prevention of Cancer project (4PCAN)**

Marius Gaenta, 4PCAN coordinator, Romanian Center for Innovation in Medicine

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**15:45 – 16:00** Coffee Break & Networking

# Enabling Systems for Scaling Personalized Prevention in Europe

**15:00 – 15:45**

Moderator: Roberta Pastorino, PROPHET Partner, Fondazione Policlinico 'Agostino Gemelli' IRCCS

## **PROPHET in the EU Health Policy landscape: expectations and relevance**

Carmen La Plaza Santos, Head of Unit Health Innovations and Ecosystems, European Commission

## **European Partnership for Personalised Medicine (EPPerMed)**

Monika Frenzel, EPPerMed representative, International coordinator at ANR, the French National Research Agency

## **Transforming Health and Care Systems Partnership (THCS)**

Giusi Condorelli, THCS representative, Head Internationalization and Promotion of research infrastructure, Italian Ministry of Health

# The European Prevention Ecosystem

Moderator: Roberta Pastorino

**15:45 – 17:30** | Joint Actions and Flagship initiatives that can foster the PROPHET SRIA and Roadmap uptake

## **JANE-2: building a European network of expertise for personalized prevention**

Delia Nicoara, Institutul Oncologic, Prof. Dr. Ion Chiricuță Cluj-Napoca

## **EUnetCCC and Prevention Hubs: integrating prevention in the Comprehensive Cancer Centres**

Valentina Margiotta, Centre Léon Bérard

## **Advancing risk-based and organized cancer screening in Europe: EUCanScreen**

Marcis Leja, **EUCanScreen coordinator**, University of Latvia (remote intervention)

## **The Joint Action on Personalized Cancer Medicine (JA PCM)**

Marc Van Den Bulcke, JA PCM coordinator, Sciensano

## **Joint Action on Prevention of Non-Communicable Diseases (JA PreventNCD): strengthening prevention of non-communicable diseases across Europe**

Knut Inge Klepp, **JA PreventNCD coordinator**, The Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Oslo, Norway

## **Joint Action on CARdiovascular Diseases and Diabetes (JACARDI): Strengthening European Action on Cardiovascular Diseases and Diabetes**

Benedetta Armocida, **JACARDI coordinator**, Istituto Superiore di Sanità

# European Initiatives and Partnerships

## Establishing of Cancer Mission Hubs (ECHOs): Networks and Synergies

Hugo Soares, **ECHOs coordinator**, AICIB - Agency for clinical Research and Biomedical Innovation

## The 1+ Million Genomes (1+MG) Genomic Data Infrastructure (GDI)

Serena Scollen, **GDI coordinator**, ELIXIR (remote intervention)

## European Public Health Association (EUPHA)

Charlotte Marchandise, EUPHA

## International Consortium for Personalised Medicine (ICPerMed)

Etienne Richer, Genome Canada

## European Research Area for Health (ERA4Health)

Valeria Puleri, Italian Ministry of University and Research (MUR)

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**17:30 – 18:00** | Wrap-up & outlook to Day 2

**Stefania Boccia**

 **18:00 – Networking Cocktail**

Terrazza Cielo, Independent Hotel Via Volturmo 48, 00185, Roma, Italy

# Day 2 | 27 March 2026

## Parallel Breakout Sessions

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### Welcome & Recap of Day 1

09:00 – 09:30

Stefania Boccia and Roberta Pastorino

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### Coffee Break

11:00 – 11:20

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### Parallel Breakout Sessions

09:30 – 11:00

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### Parallel Breakout Sessions (continued)

11:20 – 11:50

# Parallel Breakout Sessions

09:30 – 11:00

## B1) Evidence and Frameworks

### Moderators:

- Astrid Vicente, Instituto Nacional de Saúde Doutor Ricardo Jorge
- Beatriz Perez Gomez, Instituto de Salud Carlos III
- Carlo Senore, Center for Cancer Prevention (CPO Piemonte)

### Presentation of SRIA Challenges

- Continuous evidence synthesis system
  - PROPHET Framework implementation
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## B2) Data and Infrastructure

### Moderators:

- Magda Chegkazi, ELIXIR Hub
- Benedetta Armocida, National Center for Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Istituto Superiore di Sanità

### Presentation of SRIA Challenges

- Data collection and integration
- Regulatory aspects and private sector synergy

## B3) People, Trust and Behavior

### Moderators:

- Carla van El, Amsterdam University Medical Center (Amsterdam UMC)
- Praghaty Kannan, University of Helsinki, (remote intervention)
- Hugo Soares, AICIB - Agency for clinical Research and Biomedical Innovation

### Presentation of Challenges

- Community Engagement and trust
  - Health Professionals and Policy Makers involvement
  - Changing behavior
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## B4) Systems, Policy and Equity

### Moderators:

- Yasemin Zeisl, European Patients' Forum (remote intervention)
- Stefan Swartling Peterson, Karolinska Institutet (KI)
- Delia Nicoara, Institutul Oncologic, Prof. Dr. Ion Chiricuță Cluj-Napoca

### Presentation of Challenges

- The broad scope of promotion and prevention
- Access, Equity and Coverage
- Ethical, Legal, Social Issues (ELSI)

# Discussion and Closing

Moderator: Anant Jani, University of Oxford



## Plenary session

11:20 – 11:50

Presentation of the outputs from the parallel breakout sessions

## Discussion and Way Forward

11:50 – 12:50

Speaker TBD DG Sante

## Closing

12:50 – 13:00

Stefania Boccia

📅 **13:00 – 14:00** Networking Lunch

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## Accommodation Nearby the Venue

### ★★★★★ Hotel

- Palazzo Montemartini – 550 mt
- Anantara Palazzo Naiadi Hotel – 900 mt

### ★★★★★ Hotel

- The Building Hotel – 170 mt
- Domus Australia – 200 mt
- Hotel Alpi – 240 mt
- Hotel Villafranca Rome – 300 mt
- The Republic Hotel – 400 mt
- The Independent Hotel – 450 mt
- Leon's Place Hotel – 300 mt

### ★★★ Hotel

- Montecarlo Hotel – 40 mt
- Crosti Hotel – 120 mt
- Meininger Roma Termini – 250 mt
- Camplus Hotel Roma Centro – 350 mt
- Hotel St. Martin – 350 mt
- Fair Suite – 350 mt

### B&B

- The Roman Way Repubblica – 80 mt
- Anthony Guesthouse – 120 mt
- Deseo Home – 210 mt
- The Place in Rome B&B – 270 mt
- B&B Euro – 300 mt