

SLOVENIA

country report 2022



EDUCATION

1. Section of **hospital** pharmacists organized the 13th Symposium with the title: 'Personal Protective Equipment in Healthcare', in November 2021, online.
2. Section of **clinical** pharmacist organized the 10th Symposium of clinical pharmacy with a title: 'Patient and Drugs in Psychiatry', in June 2021, online.
3. National GA with two EAHP Academy Seminars 2019 topics disseminations: 'Antibiotic Stewardship advanced' and 'Qualitative research methods'.

POLITICS and ECONOMICS

- A paper 'Professional standards and time norms in pharmacy activities' was rejected twice by the Health Council at the Ministry of Health (October 2021 and May 2022).
- On the 24 April 2022 Slovenian parliamentary elections were held to elect all members of the Slovenian National Assembly. The Minister of Health is dr. Danijel Bešič Loredan.
- The Ministry of Health allocated certain sums of money from The Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF) to Healthcare. There are at least three projects with a high involvement of hospital pharmacists and pharmacies (details below).

PROJECTS (Ministry of Health-MH) - remunerated by the RRF

DIGITALIZATION

Setting the requirements for electronic patient record. The goal is its implementation in all slovenian hospitals.



ROBOTIZATION

Automation of drug storage, distribution and dispensing. Primary goal are hospital pharmacies.

PROJECT coordinated by MH, remunerated by The Health Insurance Inst of SLO

SEAMLESS CARE

1st step: start the Medication Reconciliation at admission and at discharge of the patient in all hospitals. The goal is the process unification. The data about medicines should be written in a system and available to healthcare professionals. Remuneration from 1.1.2023

2nd step: expand + include primary care (community pharmacists). Remuneration from 1.1.2024