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Joint Action

A total of 34 government appointed organisations from 23 EU Member States, Croatia and Norway and a large number of relevant non-for-profit organisations that produce or contribute to HTA

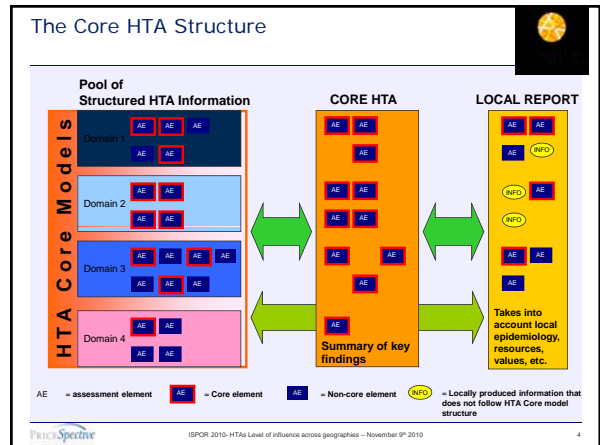
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Domains of HTA

Health problem and current use of technology
Technical characteristics
Safety
Clinical effectiveness
Costs and economic evaluation
Ethical analysis
Organisational aspects
Social aspects
Legal aspects

- Identified in previous EU projects, particularly EUR-ASSESS and ECHTA/ECAHI
- Promote the wide scope and multidisciplinary nature of HTA

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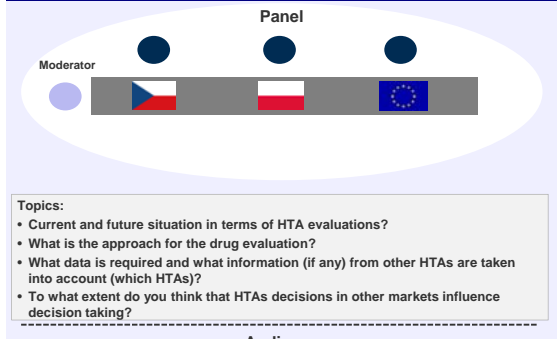
Roundtable discussion

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ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Panel

Moderator



The diagram shows a roundtable discussion setup. A 'Moderator' is positioned on the left. The 'Panel' consists of three members, represented by icons of the Czech Republic, Poland, and the European Union. The 'Audience' is shown at the bottom, separated from the panel by a dashed line.

Topics:

- Current and future situation in terms of HTA evaluations?
- What is the approach for the drug evaluation?
- What data is required and what information (if any) from other HTAs are taken into account (which HTAs)?
- To what extent do you think that HTAs decisions in other markets influence decision taking?

Audience

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AUDIENCE DISCUSSION

Questions?

Audience

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Conclusions

Issue
Do HTAs influence one another?
Which HTAs are or may become the most influential and why?
To what extent will their assessments influence other markets?
Are countries or regions likely to look to external HTA assessment?
What are the challenges to this type of "influence"?

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Future?

EUnetHTA?
Challenges?
Opportunities?

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Adapting existing and common core HTA information

- A toolkit for *adapting the "core"* that may be shareable in existing HTA reports made for one country into advice appropriate to other contexts (social, political, economic and health system)

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      Input[INPUT: Local policy and/or research question] --> Stage1[Stage (1) Search INAHTA database etc.]
      Stage1 --> UseToolkit((Use Toolkit))
      UseToolkit --> Stage2[Stage (2) Speedy sifting  
Decide on relevance]
      Stage2 --> CreateReport[Create new local HTA report]
      Stage2 --> Stage3[Stage (3) Assess reliability and transferability]
      Stage3 --> EndToolkit((End Toolkit))
      EndToolkit --> Output[OUTPUT: Adaptation material]
  
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Toolkit content

Two parts:

- Assessment of relevance (speedy sifting)
- Assessment of reliability and transferability

Currently five domains:

- Technology use and development
- Safety
- Effectiveness (including efficacy)
- Cost-effectiveness
- Organisational aspects

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Thank you