

Beste allen.

Zie onderstaand de mededeling dat de eerste landen vandaag live zijn gegaan met de interoperabiliteitsoplossing (EFGS) voor hun nationale notificatieapp. Verder zien jullie ook nog onderstaand de planning voor de overige EU landen. In totaal zullen er 23 landen aansluiten op de Europese oplossing. De overige landen (4) hebben of nog geen notificatieapp of hebben er een ontwikkeld die niet verenigbaar is met het gros van Europa (bijv. Frankrijk). De planning gaat uit van aansluiting van alle (23) notificatieapps per eind november dit jaar. Des te groter de druk op ons (NL) om tijdig mee te doen.

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Subject: 19/10/20: Go-Live of the EFGS

Dear Members of the eHealth Network,

Please find attached the defensives for the go-live of the gateway today. Below you will find details of the European Commission's press release as well as the timetable for further waves of the gateway.

Coronavirus: EU interoperability gateway goes live, first contact tracing and warning apps linked to the system

The Commission, at the invitation by EU Member States, has set up an EU-wide system to ensure interoperability between contact tracing apps - a so-called 'gateway'. After a successful pilot phase, the system goes live today with the first round of national apps now linked through this service: Germany's Corona-Warn-App, Ireland's COVID tracker, and Italy's immune that were downloaded by around 30 million people, more countries will soon follow in the coming rounds. Thierry Breton, Commissioner for Single Market, said: "Many Member States have launched voluntary contact tracing and warning apps, and the Commission has supported them in make these apps safely interact with each other. Free movement is an integral part of the Single Market - the gateway is facilitating this while helping save lives." Stella Kyriakides, Commissioner for Health and Food Safety, added: "Coronavirus tracing and warning apps can effectively complement other measures like increased testing and manual contact tracing. With cases on the rise again, they can play an important role to help us break the transmission chains. When working across borders these apps are even more powerful tools. Our gateway system going live today is an important step in our work, and I would call on citizens to make use of such apps, to help protecting each other." In the fight against coronavirus, most Member States have decided to launch a contact tracing and warning app. In total, 20 apps which are based on decentralised systems can be interoperable through the gateway service. The gateway ensures that apps work seamlessly cross-borders. Thus, users will only need to install one app and when they travel to another participating European country they will still benefit from contact tracing and receiving alerts, be it in their home country or abroad. The information handled by the Gateway is pseudonymised, encrypted, kept to the minimum, and only stored as long as necessary to trace back infections. It does not allow the identification of individual persons, nor to track location or movement of devices. You will find more information in the press release, the Q&A document, the factsheet and on the dedicated webpage. (For more information: Johannes Bahrke - Tel.: +32 229 58615; Charles Manoury - Tel.: +32 229 13391)

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Work on the next waves continues as per below:

	Decentralised	Centralised	TOTAI
Online	AT, IT, LV, DE, PL, DK, IE, HR, ES, NL, FI, EE, PT, MT, BE, CZ, SI	FR, HU	19
Development	CY, NO, SK, LT (app to be launched by early November)		4
TOTAL	21	2	23
Wave 1 (countries joining the EFGS by 19 October) Deadline for submission: 05/10	DE, IE, IT	-	3
Wave 2 (countries joining the EFGS by week of 26 October) Deadline for submission: 12/10	ES, HR, CZ, DK, LV	-	5
Wave 3 (countries joining the EFGS by mid November - tentative) Deadline for submission (tentative): end October	PL, NL, MT, BE(?), CY, LT, SI	-	7
Wave 4	PT, FI	-	2
(countries joining the EFGS by end November - tentative) Deadline for submission (tentative):			
mid-November			
Wave not determined	AT, EE, NO, SK		4
To be confirmed	BG, EL		2
Not planned	LU, SE, RO		3

Best regards,

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