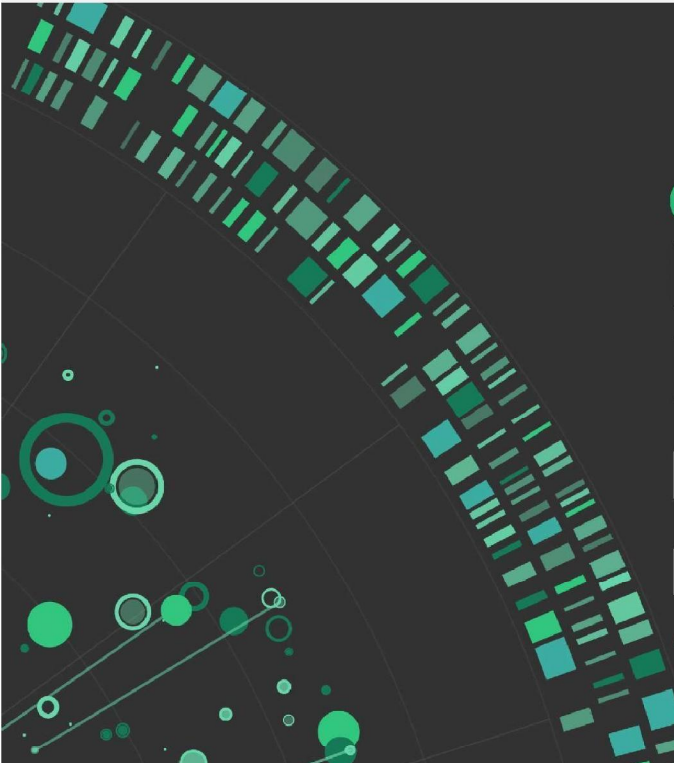


COVID-19 Response

European lessons learned meeting on managing critical medical supplies

April 28th 2020





Welcome

Short introduction



Please share...



Your name and function



How the medical supply chain is set up in your country

- Central or de-central?
- Sourcing and/or local production?
- Scope of medical supplies?
- Type of organization?

Introduction: Finland



- Sets standards
- Gives purchasing orders to NESAs
- Holistic assessment of inventory level as proportion to district population

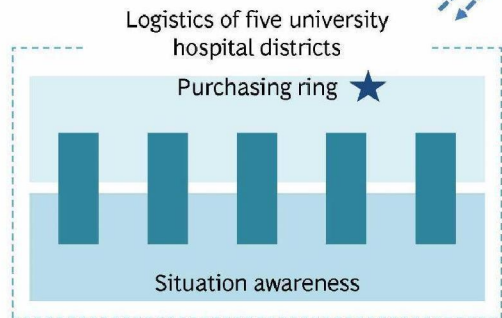
Ministry of Social Affairs and Health

- Supports NESAs
- Encourages national production

Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment

National Emergency Supply Agency (NESAs)

- Supports and fills purchases on national level



- Purchase and supply responsibilities within own districts
- Own international and national purchases
- Close coordination between districts on situation view and purchases
- Provides situation view to Ministry of Social Affairs and Health

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Equipment scope (current)

- PPE
- FFP2 & 3 respirators
- Chirurgical masks (surgical)
- Gloves
- Glasses (visors & frames)
- Gowns & aprons
- Caps
- Test kits
- PCR material (swabs)

Domestic supply

- Very important to mitigate risks within international supply chains
- Main products currently: Chirurgical masks and gowns & aprons
- Companies engaged and benefit from fixed contract



Topic 1 | What are best practices and/or key concerns for the availability of medical supplies?

What products are likely to become scarce?

How to decide between sourcing or domestic production?

How to geographically diversify sourcing?



Topic 2 | What are best practices and/or key concerns about product allocation and distribution?

How to allocate products in case of scarcity?

What sectors (within and outside of healthcare) receive products via a central allocation system?

How to communicate while maintaining trust in the system?



**Thank you for
joining**

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