WP4: Platform for knowledge exchange

CHRODIS
ADDRESSING CHRONIC DISEASES & HEALTHY AGEING ACROSS THE LIFE CYCLE

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KNOWLEDGE PLATFORM

Repository of validated good practice to prevent and manage chronic disease.

WP#4
PLATFORM FOR KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE

In the Platform for Knowledge Exchange (PKE) decision-makers, caregivers, patients, and researchers across the EU will find and share the best knowledge on “chronic care”. The PKE will include:

- **On line tools** to allow users **to evaluate** practices, interventions and policies using assessment criteria agreed by EU experts
- A **clearinghouse** of excellent chronic disease practices and policies across Europe, selected on those criteria;
- A **digital library** collecting a variety of contents associated to chronic care
- An **online helpdesk** with **expert consultants** to advise users on the development, implementation and evaluation of chronic disease practices.

1. CHRODIS criteria for assessing practices
2. Platform development

TASKS

CHRODIS criteria for assessing practices

Health promotion and prevention (WP#5)

Multi-morbid patients (WP#6)

Organizational or systemic interventions

Patient-driven interventions

Diabetes – as disease-specific case study (WP#7)

FIVE CONSENSUS PANELS

Output from the panels

1. The **list of relevant criteria** for practice assessment
2. The **scale for valuation** within each agreed criteria (*e.g.* establishing categories or levels "*the good, the better and the best*")
3. A **relative weight** to each of those agreed criteria (*i.e.* how relevant each should be when assessing a practice)

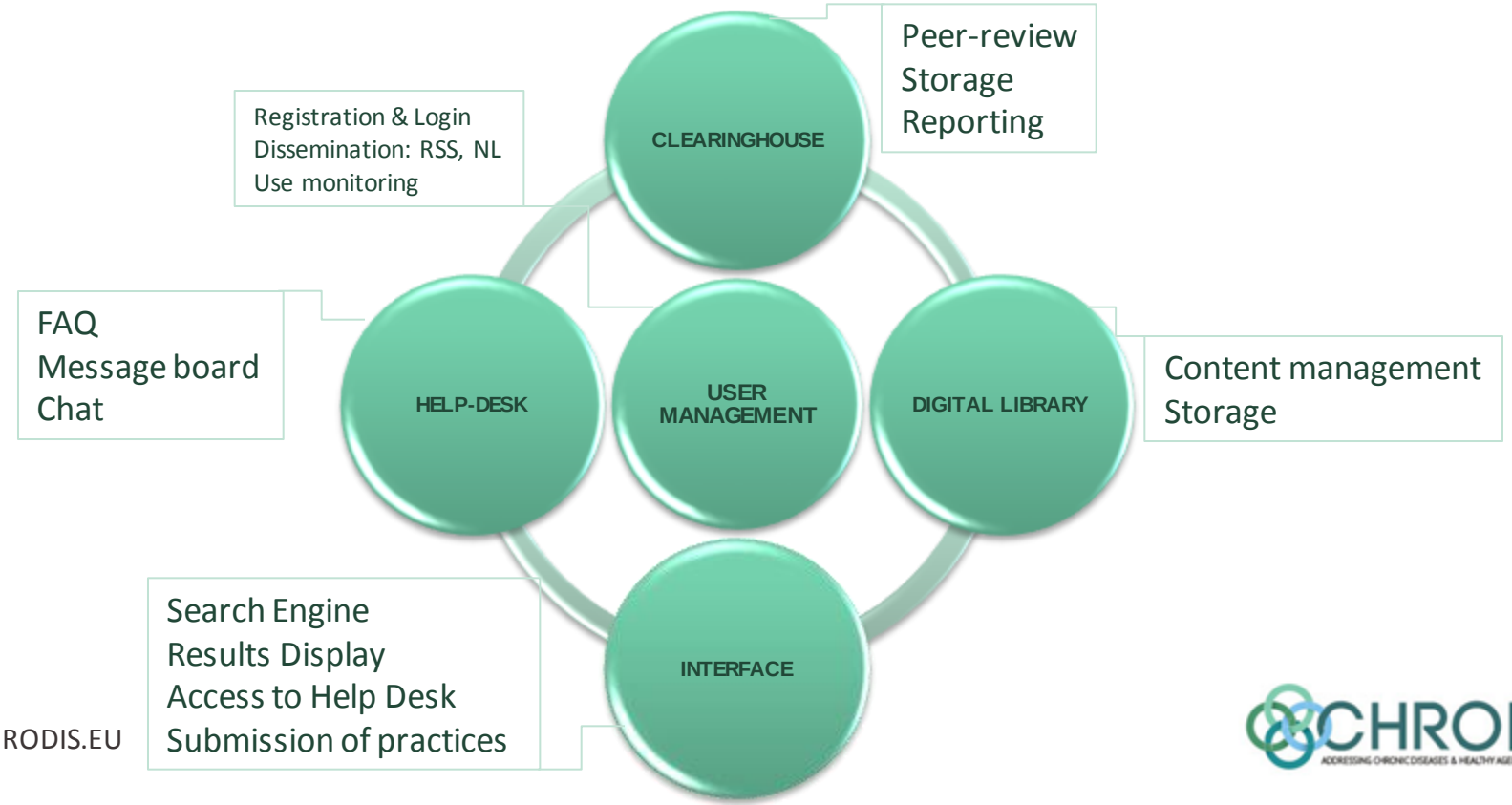
Consensus process

- Experts recruitment
- Processing materials (systematic review of literature)
- Development of the online questionnaire
- Launching first online questionnaire (Q1)
- Processing results and building the second online questionnaire (Q2)
- Launching Q2
- Processing results and building the materials for face-to-face meeting
- F2F meeting
- Final report on assessment criteria for “x” interventions

Experts

- Up to 30 – reputation draws legitimacy
- Expert profiles: structural representation of the **range of views** on the **key elements to assess a practice**
  - **Area of expertise:** clinical, epidemiology, social intervention, management, economics, policy;
  - **Type of stakeholder:** health professionals, patients, decision-makers, academics;
  - **Type of health system**: gate-keeping/free navigation, community anchored/individual patient anchored, in-patient oriented/outpatient and home care oriented, integrated with social care/ coordinated with social care, intensity of cost-sharing, etc.
- Country and gender balance

Platform development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Submission of practices

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