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# Transcare Newsletter No.1



## What is the Transcare Project?

Transcare: "Improving access to healthcare for transgender individuals", (project number 881952), is a two-year project co-funded in the Framework of the European Union's Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme (2014-2020), focusing on raising awareness and educating health care providers regarding safe and non-discriminatory access and provision of healthcare services for transgender individuals. The consortium is composed of the [University of Crete – Department of Social and Family Medicine](#), [Colour Youth – Athens LGBTQ Youth Community](#), [Positive Voice – Red Umbrella Athens](#), [Orlando LGBT+, Medical Association of Athens \(ISA\)](#), [Hellenic Medical Students' International Committee \(HeIMSiC\)](#), [AKMI](#) and [ReadLab – Research Innovation & Development Lab](#), under the coordination of the [MSc programme "Global Health – Disaster Medicine"](#), School of Medicine, [National and Kapodistrian University of Athens \(NKUA\)](#).

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## What's the progress so far?

The consortium members have participated in two online meetings. You can find out more about those in the "News & Events" section of the Project website.

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Transcare Project has been mentioned on 3 Greek websites so far. You can find current or future articles in the "Media" section of the Project website.

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A Policy Roundtable took place in March 2021, where policies in Healthcare for trans individuals and the current situation were thoroughly discussed, while the Medical Association of Athens coordinated the conversation. You can read more about the conclusions of the Roundtable in the “News & Events” section of the Project’s website.

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## Coming Up Soon

During the upcoming Open Info Day, the current Project progress will be presented and relevant data on the access to healthcare for trans individuals will be also discussed.

An online survey will be conducted, aiming to map the current situation regarding trans people’s access to healthcare services, as well as professionals’ familiarisation with the diversity of gender identity and expression and their specialised training needs.



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