

**Question for written answer E-003957/2026
to the Commission**
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Subject: European support for local partnerships on preventive healthcare and healthy lifestyles

Promoting good health and preventing disease are central pillars of the EU4Health programme. In many local communities, associations, civil-society organisations, pharmacies and health and social-care professionals are able to identify needs at an early stage, tackle health inequalities and support citizens in adopting healthy lifestyles. However, such networks often face difficulties in terms of coordination, access to resources and keeping their initiatives going.

Can the Commission therefore say:

1. What financial and coordination tools, particularly as part of the EU4Health programme, can support local multi-stakeholder partnerships in providing preventive healthcare and health education as well as promoting a balanced diet, physical activity and mental well-being?
2. Whether it would consider establishing or strengthening a European mechanism to collect, evaluate and disseminate good local practices, involving civil society organisations, pharmacies and professionals, with a focus on rural, inland and disadvantaged areas?
3. Whether it would consider dedicated criteria or calls for proposals for integrated, measurable and replicable initiatives, carried out with the participation of local communities?

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