

# Workgroup 3

- 5 members absent
- 2 new members
- Renewed discussion on strategy
- Presentation of ESENER 2
- Conclusion

# Working group 3: The new strategic framework on OSH 2014-2020

- Who should we know to lobby with
- Who do we know already, which procedure to follow to know
  - UEMS-Commission
  - Etui
  - SLIC
  - ACSH
- What actions to take to full the gap?

# Other influencing factors

- OSH Bilbao
- DG V
- Surveys like ESENER 2
- ....

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- Which statements to make?
- We want to be in the operational plans before the documents come
- Importance and specificity of our specialty, what is the task of occupational physicians,
- Occupational diseases and work related diseases

# Seven key strategic objectives

## 4. Simplifying existing legislation

Objectives of the REFIT program by end 2015, will be taken as part of the 2016 review of the strategic framework

### Statement:

Not demanding periodical medical exams but more important role in reintegration, ageing and fit and ability

### Actions:

- Identify possible simplifications and reductions
- How to simplify the implementation of risk assessment for micro-enterprises in low-risk sectors

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5. Address the ageing of the workforce, emerging new risks, prevention of work-related and occupational diseases

Actions:

- Establish a network of OSH professionals **UEMS must be involved** and scientists
- Promote good practice to improve OSH conditions for specific categories of workers: older workers, younger workers, apprenticeships, workers with disabilities and women???. **We don't agree to differentiate for all these groups. Good work is good for everybody**
- Promote rehabilitation and reintegration measures by implementing the results of the European Parliament pilot project on older workers and of the Healthy Workplaces Campaign in 2016-2017 **We want to help to work this out, this is the main task of occupational medicine**
- Identify and disseminate good practice on preventing mental health problems at work **We want to be in this discussion**

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## 6. Improve statistical data collection and develop the information base

### Actions:

- Assess the quality of data on accidents at work
- By end of 2016: examine options for the availability and comparability of data on occupational diseases **Workgroup 2**
- Before 2016: discussion on starting a database on occupational exposures **Seems very difficult and not relevant**
- Before 2016: develop a tool to monitor the implementation of the EU strategic framework, including policy and performance indicators building on the 2009 strategy scoreboard **Being informed and evaluate**

# Who in the group?

- Alenka
- Christian
- Pedro
- Milan
- ~~Jacques~~
- Simon
- Mari Cruz
- Tom

# To commissioner Marianne Thyssen

- Make some statements:
  - Happy with the new strategic framework
  - Ready to help in achieving the goals certainly in strategic goals 4; 5; 6
- We want to play an active role
- In collaboration with
  - Her administration
  - OSH- Bilbao