

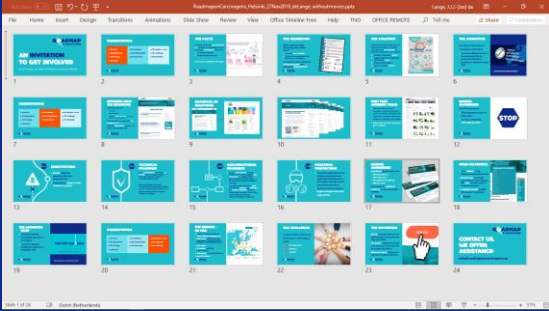


AN INVITATION TO GET INVOLVED

Jos J.J. de Lange - 27.11.2019 - EU Presidency Conference Helsinki

TRAIN-THE-TRAINER SESSION


We need YOU to multiply and to add your piece to the puzzle!



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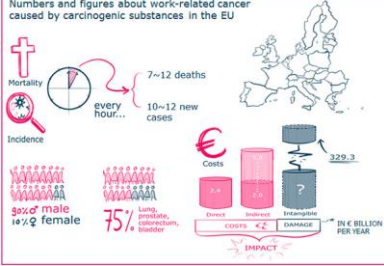


THE FACTS

In Europe each year 100.000 people die because of work related cancer caused by carcinogenic substances

- 7-12 deaths every hour
- 10-12 new cases every hour

It is not just a problem of the past!



Numbers and figures about work-related cancer caused by carcinogenic substances in the EU

Mortality: 7~12 deaths every hour... 10-12 new cases every hour

Incidence: 10-12 new cases every hour

Costs: 329.3 IN € BILLION PER YEAR

75% Lung, prostate, colorectum, bladder

60% male 40% female

Direct Indirect Intangible COSTS DAMAGE IMPACT

THE MOMENTUM

Dutch conference 2016
'Preventing work-related cancer':

- A need for more ambition
- The start of a new initiative, the Roadmap on Carcinogens

"A voluntary action scheme on raising awareness and exchanging good practices"



THE STRATEGY

A journey through Europe towards tackling carcinogens by raising awareness and offering help to business and workers to comply by:

1. Building a community of friends
2. Engage stakeholders by organising and attending events
3. Delivering facts & figures
4. Collect and publish solutions



THE ANIMATION

Animation 'Roadmap on carcinogens 2016-2019.

- Part of the official kick-off of the roadmap by the six partners at the Dutch presidency conference in May 2016.



Join in,
get active
and follow
the roadmap!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yEj5SMzvnU>

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OFFERING HELP: THE SOLUTIONS

A broad spectrum of:

- Solutions
- Good Practices
- Cases of 'what's been done' to prevent exposure to carcinogens

To inspire others, to show that it is possible to act!

Currently 82 published (and more to come) – Date October 2019

EXAMPLES OF SOLUTIONS

RESPIRABLE CRYSTALLINE SILICA ON CONSTRUCTION SITES

The European Commission's Senior Labour Inspector's Committee (ELIS) launched its Guidance for National Labour Inspectors on Thursday 27 October 2018 in The Hague. The benchmarks, in response to the labour inspectors across the nine member states where they are exposed to respirable crystalline silica (RCS) on construction sites.

The document, developed by ELIS's working group on chemical, CHEMICAL, includes specific advice for RCS on construction sites, the regulatory framework and practical information. This includes the hierarchy of control plus important examples of relevant control measures. Together with the case studies it focuses on the highest priority RCS risks on construction sites, in order together to address the existing group considered the practices of hundreds of inspectors from the 28 member states of the European Union.

DUST FREE WORKING TOOLS

- Fine particulate matter is harmful to health, particularly when it contains carcinogens like respirable crystalline silica (RCS), hardwood, chromium and nickel
- Almost 200 "dust free"-tools have been validated

RAISING AWARENESS:

The STOP-principle

- Which measures to take – in what order?
- It's easy to remember – STOP keeps you safe!



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SUBSTITUTION



- Replace **dangerous** substances with **less dangerous** ones.
- **Substitution** is always the first measure to consider.

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TECHNICAL MEASURES

From closed systems to effective air suction, many techniques help to reduce the exposure towards carcinogens dramatically.

And, as techniques even work automatically and they keep everyone in your surroundings safe, they are an important step to reduce exposure towards carcinogens

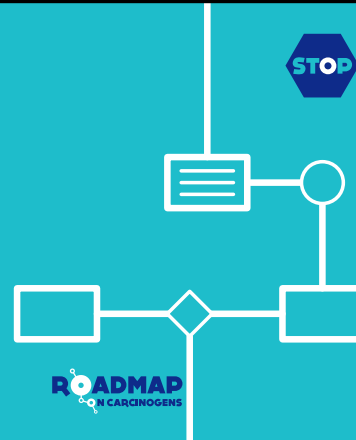


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ORGANISATIONAL MEASURES

- Did you close that door and keep that lid shut? Is your workplace tidy and cleaned on a regular basis? Does everyone wash their hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking?
- Also think about measures to lower the exposure duration and minimize the amount of workers. These are organisational measures which help a lot to reduce the exposure towards carcinogenic substances.



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PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Sometimes substitution is not possible and technical and organisational measures are not enough. Then you need to use personal protection.
- Personal protection helps to keep carcinogens away from lungs and skin.


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RAISING AWARENESS:

Factsheets make briefly clear

- What the problem is,
- Where risks occur,
- How symptoms can affect you,
- What you can do

Give access to published solutions on the roadmap's website



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MORE FACTSHEETS

- As an addition to the substance-focused factsheets
- Generic ways to manage carcinogens at the workplace, like STOP (the hierarchy of controls measures)
- Language versions possible, FOP's deliver translations



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THE ANIMATION 'STOP'

- Animation 'tackling workrelated exposure to carcinogens.
- Part of the Austrian presidency conference in September 2018.

PREVENT EXPOSURE

We need to prevent exposing our workers to these carcinogens at work.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wRul-_HfRD4

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THE RESULTS – SO FAR

- Launch of a dedicated website: www.roadmaponcarcinogens.eu
- 1039 friends: individual persons, organisations, companies and 17 European countries (October 2019)
- 100+ events
- 82 solutions published (and counting)
- 18 factsheets on specific substances
- General factsheet



THE CHALLENGE

To gain further results the Roadmap on Carcinogens needs

- **Your** innovative ideas,
- **Your** solutions,
- **Your** network!



THE INVITATION

Join in: become friend of the roadmap, get connected and stay up to date

Get active: organize and add your events or activities and be inspired by others

Help each other: share your solutions or good practices



JOIN IN!





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