

**The project "Patient-As-Partner Approach in healthcare" (APPS INTEEREG)** aims to improve the quality of aftercare and disease prevention by fostering a culture of partnership between patients and health professionals in the Greater Region. The aim of the project is to challenge and promote the Patient-As-Partner Approach by systematically developing solutions that integrate sociocultural aspects, institutions and regulatory bodies at different levels (micro, meso, macro) of the healthcare system. In concrete terms, the Greater Region (Luxembourg, Belgium, France and Germany) teams will carry out scientific research, mobilize patient associations and committees, raise awareness among healthcare professionals and evaluate the place of new technologies in Patient-as-Partner (APPS) practices.

All the partners



The project will produce:

- A definition of operating principles and a conceptual framework of APPS, in the countries of the Greater Region.
- Recommendations to enable the implementation of APPS.
- An analysis of APPS activities as well as existing interventions in the Greater Region.
- A cross-border network of associations and patient committees.
- Innovative solutions, using new technologies (eg e-health, m-health), to facilitate the sustainable development of APPS practices.
- A program of studies and professional trainings to sensitize healthcare professionals to the APPS.