

1 Project Aim

To Improve the dissemination of evidence – based recommendations by building on the work of the GRADE Working Group to develop and evaluate methods that address the targeted dissemination of guidelines

Highlights

WP1: The different strategies that are being developed and the linking and preparation of decision aids (DA) are progressing well. The second round of user testing of the Evidence to Recommendations (EtR) table has started – for users in several countries.

WP2: Frameworks are being revised on the basis of input from a workshop held in Rome on 1st March 2013. Group user testing is being organised with a Commission which deals with the introduction of new oral anticoagulants in the regional health care system of Emilia Romagna.

WP3: The obesity guideline for user testing has been updated in light of earlier feedback. Currently, user tests have been arranged in different geographic areas and with different social groups for late May / early June.

WP5: The electronic version of the interactive Summary of Findings table (iSoF) is now ready for users to create their own interactive tables by inputting data. User testing will start in June.

Dissemination

WP7: Our International Conference will take place 2nd – 4th June 2014 at the Royal College of Physicians in Edinburgh.

WP2: DECIDE was presented on 6th May 2013 at the Spring Conference of the Italian Epidemiology Association (AIE). A workshop about “Development of a conceptual framework for dis-coverage decision” has been accepted at the 21st Cochrane Colloquium in Quebec.

WP5: Survey of key considerations of policymakers when looking at the evidence for making health system decisions has been published

Collaboration

- **WP5:** Working with WHO EMRO to carry out user testing in the Lebanon of the Recommendation to Decision (RtD) framework. This is in the context of the WHO recommendations on optimizing health worker roles for maternal and new born health.

Management Timeline - 2013

