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Dear Diana,

CPME is planning to raise awareness on the fact that EU Patient Safety policy is at a halt and in particular an expert group composed of Member States is no longer active. To do so, from the existing possibilities, we were invited to form a thematic network on Patient Safety (PS) within the EU Health Policy Forum online platform. This forum is composed of main EU health NGOs at EU level.

Last Thursday, the CPME Executive Committee decided to go ahead and contact the organisations that could be interested such as AEMH and FEMS but also (EFN, CED, HOPE and EPF) and form a **temporary** thematic network on patient safety.

Its mandate is **specific**, namely **to draft and adopt a statement/declaration and raise awareness on the need to continue the work of the Expert Group on PSQC** (given that Council Conclusions from 1 Dec 2014 state that by Dec 2016 **the Commission and Member States** should present a proposal for sustainable collaboration on PS).

Would AEMH and FEMS be interested to join us in drafting and co-signing such a statement?

If so, could you register under the EU Health Policy Forum online platform? The contact person is: [Caroline.CONER@ext.ec.europa.eu](mailto:Caroline.CONER@ext.ec.europa.eu) .

We plan to create this thematic network as part of this online platform and have it active in the following weeks.

Many thanks in advance for your answer and we look forward to our cooperation.

Kind regards,  
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