

2<sup>nd</sup> special call for Expressions of Interest (EoI)  
**Innovative and rapid health-related approaches to respond to COVID-19  
and to deliver quick results for society  
for a higher level of preparedness of health systems**

Information session - 20 May 2020, 14h00 – 16h30

<https://webcast.ec.europa.eu/2nd-call-infosession-20may2020>

**Agenda:**

- 14:00 Welcome – explanation of format\*
- 14:05 key messages about the call  
Irene Norstedt (DG R&I), Jakub Boratynski (DG CNECT), & Peter Dröll (DG R&I)
- 14:15 Basic principles of call for EoI – Henriette Van Eil (DG R&I)
- 14:30-16:30 Topic presentations:
- 14:30 Repurposing of manufacturing for vital medical supplies and equipment  
Carmine Marzano (DG R&I)
- 15:00 Medical technologies, Digital tools and Artificial Intelligence (AI) analytics to improve surveillance and care at high Technology Readiness Levels (TRL)  
Saila Rinne (DG CNECT)
- 15:30 Behavioural, social and economic impacts of the outbreak response  
Pilar González Pantaléon (DG R&I)
- 16:00 Pan-European COVID-19 cohort(s) united against the pandemic  
Networking of existing EU and international cohorts of relevance to COVID-19 (CSA)  
Christian Desaintes & Beatrice Lucaroni (DG R&I)
- 16:30 (end)

\*No direct dialogue for Q&A: questions can be sent via email (only) during the relevant topic presentation to [RTD-HEALTH-INFODAY@ec.europa.eu](mailto:RTD-HEALTH-INFODAY@ec.europa.eu)