

COUNSELLING AVAILABILITY: CLIENT PERSPECTIVE

Country	Counselling availability	Patient access to services	Proposed interventions
<b>Belgium*</b>	Not all hospitals (NS)	Not all smokers (when asked by physician in charge)	- NRT (gum, patch) - Bupropion - Antidepressants - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session - Psychotherapy - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking
<b>Czech Rep.*</b>	Not all hospitals (though more than just one)	Not all smokers (due to small capacity)	- NRT (gum, inhaler, tablets, patch) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking
<b>Denmark</b>	Not all hospitals (83%)	Not all smokers (depends on hospital and region)	- NRT (gum, inhaler, tablets, nasal spray, patch) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking
<b>Finland*</b>	Not all hospitals (NS)	Not all smokers (only those with smoking-related disease or upon patient request)	- NRT (gum, inhaler, tablets, nasal spray) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking - Phone service
<b>France</b>	Not all hospitals (10%)	Not all smokers (depends on staff)	- NRT (patch, gum, tablets) - Individual counselling session - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking
<b>Germany*</b>	Not all hospitals (1%)	Not all smokers (NS)	- NRT (gum, inhaler, spray, patch) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking
<b>Greece</b>	Not all hospitals (20%)	Not all smokers (by patient request)	- NRT (gum) - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session
<b>Ireland</b>	Not all hospitals (often larger university/acute centres)	Not all smokers (only offered to all in >50% hospitals with services, sometimes only offered to certain groups like Cardiac Rehabilitation)	- NRT (gum, inhaler, tablets, nasal spray, patch) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session - Distribution of pamphlets on smoking
<b>Italy</b>	Not all hospitals (NS: % not clear)	Not all smokers (depends on physicians)	- NRT (inhaler, patches) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session - Group counselling session
<b>Norway</b>	Not all hospitals (most offer, but not formalized)	All smokers	- NRT (gum) - Bupropion - Group counselling session
<b>Portugal</b>	Not all hospitals (40%)	All smokers	- NRT (gum) - Bupropion - Anxiolytic therapy, antidepressants - Individual counselling session
<b>Romania</b>	Not all hospitals (<1%)	Not all smokers (by patient request)	- NRT (NS) - Bupropion - Individual counselling session

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Smoking cessation counselling services for inpatients in some European hospitals

Country-specific survey data

<b>Spain*</b>	Not all hospitals (25%)	Not all smokers (only high-risk ill patients)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- NRT (gum, patch)</li><li>- Group counselling session</li><li>- Individual counselling session</li><li>- Distribution of pamphlets on smoking</li></ul>
<b>Switzerland*</b>	Not all hospitals (20%)	Not all smokers (by patient request, or if smoking-related dx)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- NRT (gum, inhaler, tablets, patch)</li><li>- Individual counselling session</li><li>- Group counselling session</li><li>- Bupropion</li><li>- Distribution of pamphlets on smoking</li></ul>

\* Pooled results from two country representatives.

SMOKING CESSATION: PROVIDER PERSPECTIVE

Country	Level of financial support	Clinical responsibility for services	Formal smoking cessation training for HCWs	Smoking cessation counseling for HCWs in hospitals
<b>Belgium*</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school - Belgian Cancer League - Social security (if consultation by an MD)	- Physicians - Nurses - Psychologists	Yes (French: organized by universities and FARES, 42+ hour workshop, etc.; Flamish: shorter version)	Yes
<b>Czech Rep.*</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school	- Physicians (cardiologists, oncologists, hygienists) - Nurses - Other (doctoral & medical students)	Yes (2-day course in postgraduate education institute, twice a year)	Yes
<b>Denmark</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school	- Nurses - Midwives - Pharmacists	Yes (3-day instruction course by Danish Cancer Society)	Yes
<b>Finland*</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school - Finnish Lung Association (FILHA)	- Physicians - Nurses	Yes (FILHA courses, local lectures)	Yes
<b>France</b>	- National/federal - [The rest is illegible!]	- Physicians - Midwives	Yes (through "reseau hôpitaux sans tabac")	Yes
<b>Germany*</b>	- Other (sponsoring; patient self-pay)	- Physicians - Nurses - Other HCWs (NS)	Yes (various curriculums by organisations such as German Cancer Research Center, specified on questionnaire)	Yes
<b>Greece</b>	- National/federal	- Physicians (cancer, respiratory disease)	No	Yes (by request)
<b>Ireland</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school	- Nurses - Pharmacists	Yes (by local health authority and voluntary health organizations)	Yes
<b>Italy</b>	- National/federal	- Physicians (pulmonologists)	Yes (post-graduate)	Yes
<b>Norway</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school - Combined hospital funding + low patient fee	- Nurses	No	No
<b>Portugal</b>	- Local/hospital/medical school	- Physicians - Psychologists	Yes (ENSP: smoking cessation training programme, for HCWs who are former- and current-smokers)	Yes
<b>Romania</b>	- World Bank	- Physicians (pneumologists)	Yes (American Cancer Society, Romanian Society of Pneumology)	Yes
<b>Spain*</b>	- UNKNOWN (data don't agree)	- Physicians (pneumologists)	No	No
<b>Switzerland*</b>	- Department/state - Local/hospital/medical school	- Physicians - Nurses	Yes (8-hr training programme for nurses and physicians)	Yes (50% of hospitals)

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