

National AMR research program

Country: Spain

There is not any National AMR Research Plan. Research involving Health and the National Health System as a framework of fundamental development, represent a strategic objective for the policies aimed at fostering and coordinating RDI in our country, which must contemplate fundamental aspects such as:

1. research into the most common illnesses;
2. clinical research of human illnesses;
3. public health and health services;
4. rehabilitation and development of assisted environments and those designed to address chronic illness;
5. rare illnesses;
6. the biological bases of the illness and
7. the development of nanomedicine and customised medicine for which the challenge involves treating the individual and not the illness.

This innovative approach becomes increasingly necessary when the Health Services must maximize the use of resources to, within a financial sustainability strategy of the system, become capable of implementing activities aimed at the prevention and early detection of pathological processes which would in the long term allow for extending the culture of health and, therefore, for a reduction of the illness's burden on society as a whole.

National research calls and year

MINECO, through the AEI, supports basic, strategic and applied research on AMR through annual competitive bottom-up calls. The proposals on AMR are managed within the Programme "Health, demographic change and welfare".

The projects recommended for funding in joint transnational calls (in the frame of ERA-NETs or other schemes), are granted under the State programme for Research, Development and Innovation oriented to Societal Challenges 2013-2016 (Programa Estatal de I+D+I Orientado a los Retos de la Sociedad).

National coordinate structure

Interministerial Commission of Science and Technology (CICYT - Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología)

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