

## ITALY

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### 3. Participation in EUROCHIP Meeting

One Italian delegate participated in the majority of meeting listed in paragraph 2.1

### 4. Area of the action

Information: prevention diffusion on diet and physical activity

### 5. Aim and description of the work (for details see Annex 10)

The "Italian Task Force for a National Plan of Dietary Prevention and against Sedentary" was created related with other projects in Italy ("I TUMORI IN ITALIA" and "CUORE") and Europe ("EUROCISS").

### 6. Results of the work (for details see Annex 10)

- Production of "Good Practice/health education Pills" providing information on Diet and Health. They were distributed to General Practitioners in the Italian regions of Lombardy and Piedmont
- Organization of a meeting in Salerno (Campania) on Italian dietary habits in October 2006
- An harmonised reply to the European Commission green book on Promoting healthy diets and physical activity: a European dimension for the prevention of overweight, obesity and chronic diseases"
- The preparation of the project "The Community of promoters" subsidized by the Italian Centre of Disease Control (CCM) and started in March 2007. This project had the following results:
  - The "Diet and Health" website created and available at [www.tumori.net/dieta\\_e\\_salute/](http://www.tumori.net/dieta_e_salute/)
  - A first contact and meeting with Italian media to increase the journalist information
  - Start of discussion in the Community to produce a list of recommendations on healthy diet and physical activity common to all chronic diseases

### 7. Added Value of the work (for details see Annex 10)

Creation of a group of researchers in connection with various stakeholders with the aim to promote good and scientific information on healthy diet and physical activity.

### 8. Publications related to EUROCHIP (with acknowledgments to EUROCHIP)

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