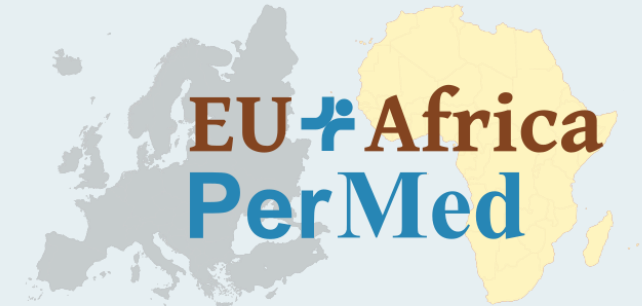




Addressing global health challenges is only possible by building and strengthening international, inter-continental and national scientific cooperation between scientists, decision/policy makers, private practitioners, industries and health professional and civil society.

EU-Africa PerMed is working towards fostering a stronger global collaboration in PM through the umbrella of **ICPerMed**, and by this, to better tackle global health challenges such as infectious diseases and future pandemics, or the prevention of non-communicable diseases.



BUILDING LINKS BETWEEN EUROPE AND AFRICA IN PERSONALISED MEDICINE

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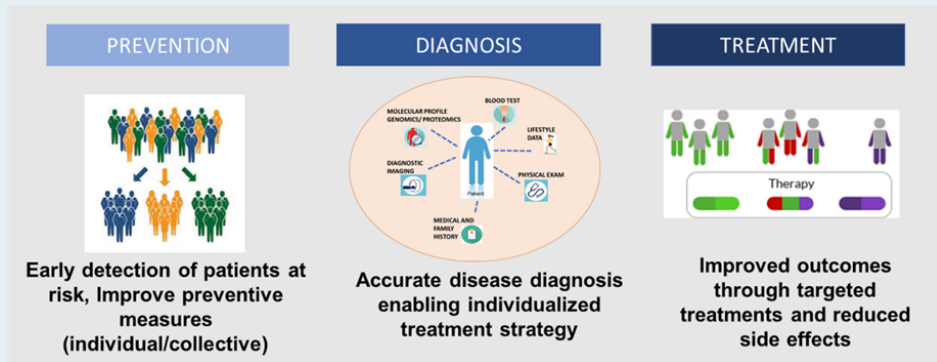
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PERSONALISED MEDICINE

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PROJECT OBJECTIVES

- To understand the scientific and policy PM landscape in Africa
- To explore and analyse with relevant stakeholder, the potential for and advantages of collaboration in PM between Africa and Europe
- To foster and facilitate the integration of health research funding and policy organisations from African Union (AU) countries in the ICPeMed consortium
- To seek synergies and align with activities of ongoing EU-Africa research programmes and other by-regional policy actions
- To carry out capacity building and training activities addressing relevant PM issues for Africa
- To contribute to raising awareness of PM and the benefits of a closer inter and intra-regional collaboration, in order to advance in the implementation of PM approaches

CONSORTIUM MEMBERS



EXPECTED RESULTS AND IMPACTS

- Integrate African organizations in **ICPeMed activities**, and the new European Partnership for Personalised Medicine (EP-PerMed)
- Support the **EU-AU policy dialogues** relevant to health and PM
- **Foster collaboration and networking between EU and African** health research organizations working in PM
- Contribute to **raise awareness and gain knowledge** on the benefits that PM can bring to the populations in Africa

On the long term, contribute to:

- Reducing global inequities in PM research
- The UN sustainable Development Goal 3: *Ensure healthy lives and promote well being for all ages*