

## Improving patient outcomes, saving lives:

the value of scientific research



### Want your institution to make a real difference to patients' lives?

Access to trustworthy, reliable, and expert scientific research is vital:

- Positively impact patient outcomes and help save lives
- Share best practice with other institutions
- Pool resources across country borders via collective research

Evidence-based practice states that "Decisions about health care are based on the best available, current, valid and relevant evidence".\*

**Sharing research is more important than ever before, with a range of EU-funded initiatives providing trusted research content to health institutions:**

The To-Reach health consortium brings together research evidence to identify more effective ways to organize, manage, and deliver high-quality care. Examples of recent work include the sharing of current research about COVID, vital to health institutions in such rapidly-evolving circumstances.

Similarly, the European Health Data Evidence Network facilitates sharing of health and clinical data amongst countries and provides best practice case studies from health institutions.



*Clinical practice, when based on authoritative research, saves lives and shortens hospital stays.*

### Case Studies

A National Institute for Health Research-funded study, featuring universities from Greece, Italy, and Spain, found that multi-testing is more accurate for diagnosis of tuberculosis meningitis in children. Access to previous research informed this important work, which has now been published in an international journal.

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Based on being able to access scientific research, an evidence-based Royal College of Paediatrics & Child Health study led to the eventual use of steroids to prevent respiratory distress syndrome in premature babies. The result? It's calculated that over **8000** new-borns are saved each year in the UK.

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A joint Israel-UK project developed a new algorithm to assess the risk of people aged over **50** having colorectal cancer, based on data from over **635,000** patients. Initial testing found that **9%** of people identified as being at high risk were then found, after full screening, to have very early stage colorectal cancer, which could be treated.

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