



Cross-border cooperation to foster the resilience of clinical management in cancer patients by establishing best practices in personalized molecular-based diagnostics, treatment, and long-term care

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Administrative, regulatory and technical aspects and challenges within the implementation of the cross-border cooperation project

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1. Project context

- Cross-border cooperation between Serbian and Romanian partners.
- The project supports better coordination around personalized cancer care.
- Scientific objectives were supported by a coordinated administrative, regulatory, logistical and financial framework.

Cross-border partnership

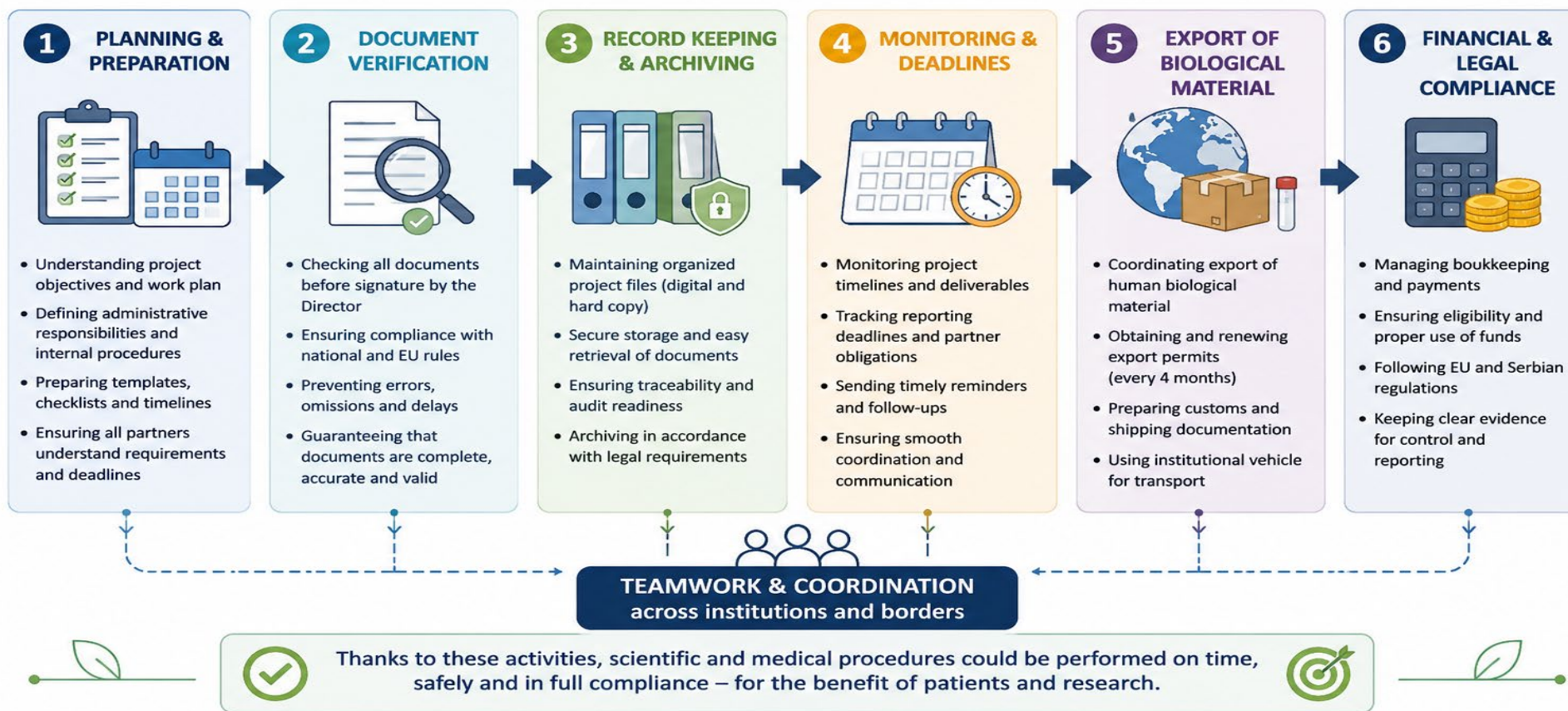


2. Why coordination was essential

- The project brought together different institutions, teams and responsibilities.
- Activities had to remain synchronized despite different national procedures and administrative systems.
- Clear responsibilities and timely communication were essential for smooth implementation.
- The practical lesson: reliable coordination behind the scenes supports the project as a whole.

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*Administrative, regulatory, technical and financial support
that enabled the smooth implementation of the CROSSCARE project*





Expert synergy in cross-border cooperation

3. Administrative and financial coordination

- Project activities required continuous coordination of staff, responsibilities, documentation and deadlines.
- Administrative procedures supported procurement, travel, equipment and project reporting.
- Changes in personnel or responsibilities required formal documentation and communication between partners.
- Regular review helped resolve operational issues before they affected implementation.



Administrative and financial coordination

4. Regulatory and legal aspects

- Cross-border activities required compliance with applicable legal, ethical and institutional requirements.
- Key areas included confidentiality, data protection, institutional approvals and appropriate documentation.
- The partners also had to establish clear rules for communication, responsibilities and project results.
- The legal framework provided a secure basis for cooperation between the institutions.

Regulatory framework



Data protection

Approvals

Compliance

5. Technical and logistical support

- Timely technical and logistical support was essential for keeping project activities on schedule.
- Documentation, equipment, communication and transport arrangements had to be planned in advance.
- Information and records needed to be available to the right people at the right time.
- Good preparation reduced the risk of delays and helped the teams react quickly when issues arose.

Technical support



Planning

Logistics

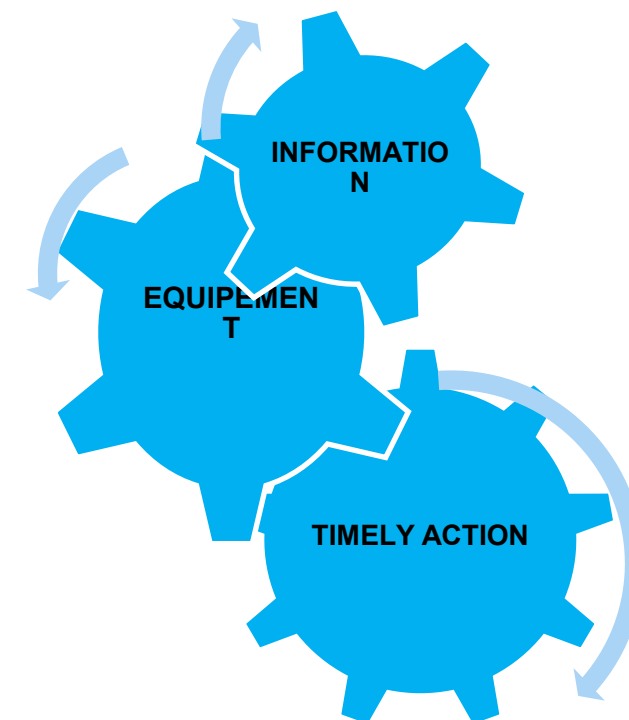
Information flow



6. Technical coordination in practice

- The technical side of the project depended on reliable information exchange between the partner institutions.
- Practical tasks included organizing documents, schedules, equipment and communication channels.
- Small technical issues could become larger delays if they were not identified and addressed early.
- For this reason, day-to-day coordination was an important part of project management.

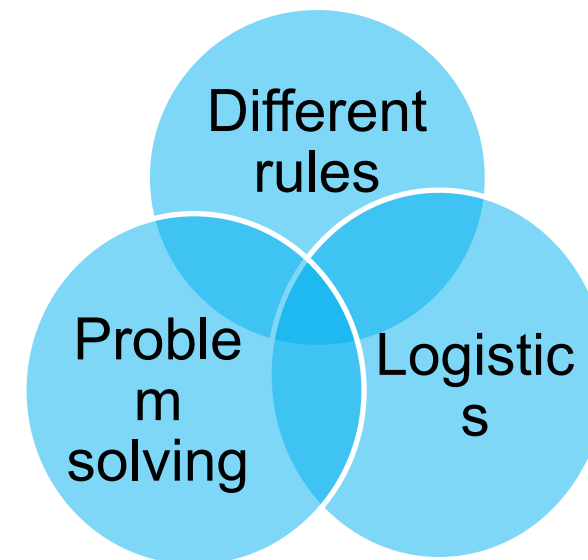
Day-to-day coordination



7. Challenges and how they were addressed

- Different administrative requirements → early coordination and clear division of responsibilities.
- Cross-border logistics and time-sensitive activities → planning and direct communication.
- Complex documentation and reporting → continuous review and timely exchange of records.
- Unexpected operational issues → flexible problem-solving and a shared focus on completing the project successfully.

Challenges



8. Conclusion

- The project demonstrated that cross-border cooperation requires more than scientific expertise; it also requires strong administrative, regulatory, technical and logistical support.
- There were challenges, but teamwork, communication and mutual support enabled the partners to overcome them.
- The common interest throughout implementation was the successful realization of the project activities.
- Ultimately, all efforts were directed towards the shared scientific objectives and the interests of patients.

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