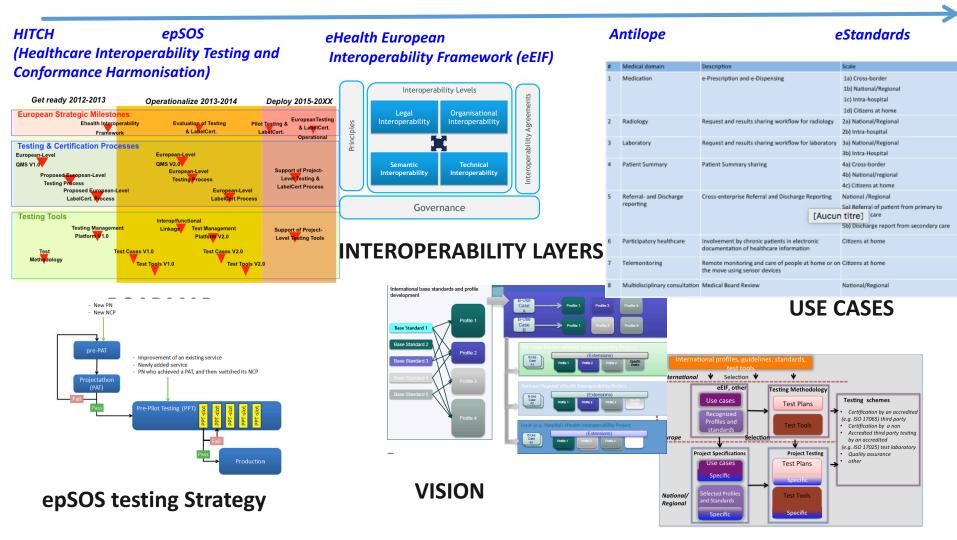
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EURO-CAS – Conformity Assessment for Europe

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From European results and recommendations to EURO-CAS

2011 2012 2015 2016



HARMONISATION

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Main Objective

Establishment of the sustainable Conformity
Assessment Scheme (CAS) for Europe.
Adoption of the identified Standards and
profiles of the ReEIF
Aligned with international best practices

Target

- Partners of EURO-CAS project (17 partners, 12 countries)
- Regions and countries deploying IHE profiles
- Duration
 - December 2016 November 2018
- Main deliverables:

Europe
Guidelines for implementing CAS for
Europe at the European and national
levels

Conformity Assessment Scheme for

Expected Benefits

Vendors and IT companies

- Reduced effort in interoperability testing
- Investments redirected to innovative product features and usability
- Broadened market opportunities in a single open European market and beyond
- New opportunities for test labs

Professionals, patients

- Quality, interoperability, usability of solutions
- Better time-to-market of innovative solutions
- Enhanced patient's engagement and mobility through such innovative solutions
- More resources, directly or indirectly, redirected towards the patient

eHealth Initiatives, governments, policy makers, procurers, payers

- An independent benchmark
- Reduced effort and expenses in specification and testing

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