



Top 3 Health Reforms in Europe 2019: Overview

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Background

- Follow-up of last year's reform round-up
 - Very positive feedback
- Aim: identify main reform trends across countries
 - Facilitate discussion of main trends in this session
- Plan to write a paper on the basis of the results



The survey

- Three weeks ago (Sept 26th), Anna's email:
 - Send your list of the top 3 recent reforms in your country to Wilm
 - reforms that have occurred recently/are occurring in your country
 - bullet point form: the description should be limited to (1) name of the reform, (2) what it addresses, and (3) why
 - maximum 70 words per bullet point
 - plus: status update of 2018 reforms: “implemented”, “abandoned”, “still ongoing”, etc.



Responses from 30 countries

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Cc: Saunes, Ingr
Subject: SV: HSP

Hi Wilm
 Here is the Nov
 All the best
 Anna

Dear Wilm,
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Regards,
 Laura

On Mon, Oct 7, 2019 :

Dear all,
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 Thank you very muc

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Rade Pribakovic <Rade.Pribakovic@nijz.si>
 An Quentin, Wilm, Dr.

Sie haben am 16.10.2019 23:28 auf diese Nachricht geantwortet.
 Wir haben zusätzliche Zeilenumbrüche aus dieser Nachricht entfernt.

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Antworten Allen antworten Weiterleiten

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Identifying reform patterns: Clustering by areas

- Governance
- Private sector involvement/regulation
- Information/IT/eHealth/Transparency
- Financing
 - Coverage and resource generation
 - Allocation
 - Purchasing and payment
- Human resources
- Public Health
- Primary/ambulatory care
- Hospital care
- Pharmaceuticals
- Integrated and long-term care
 - 2019: and mental and palliative care

Of course,
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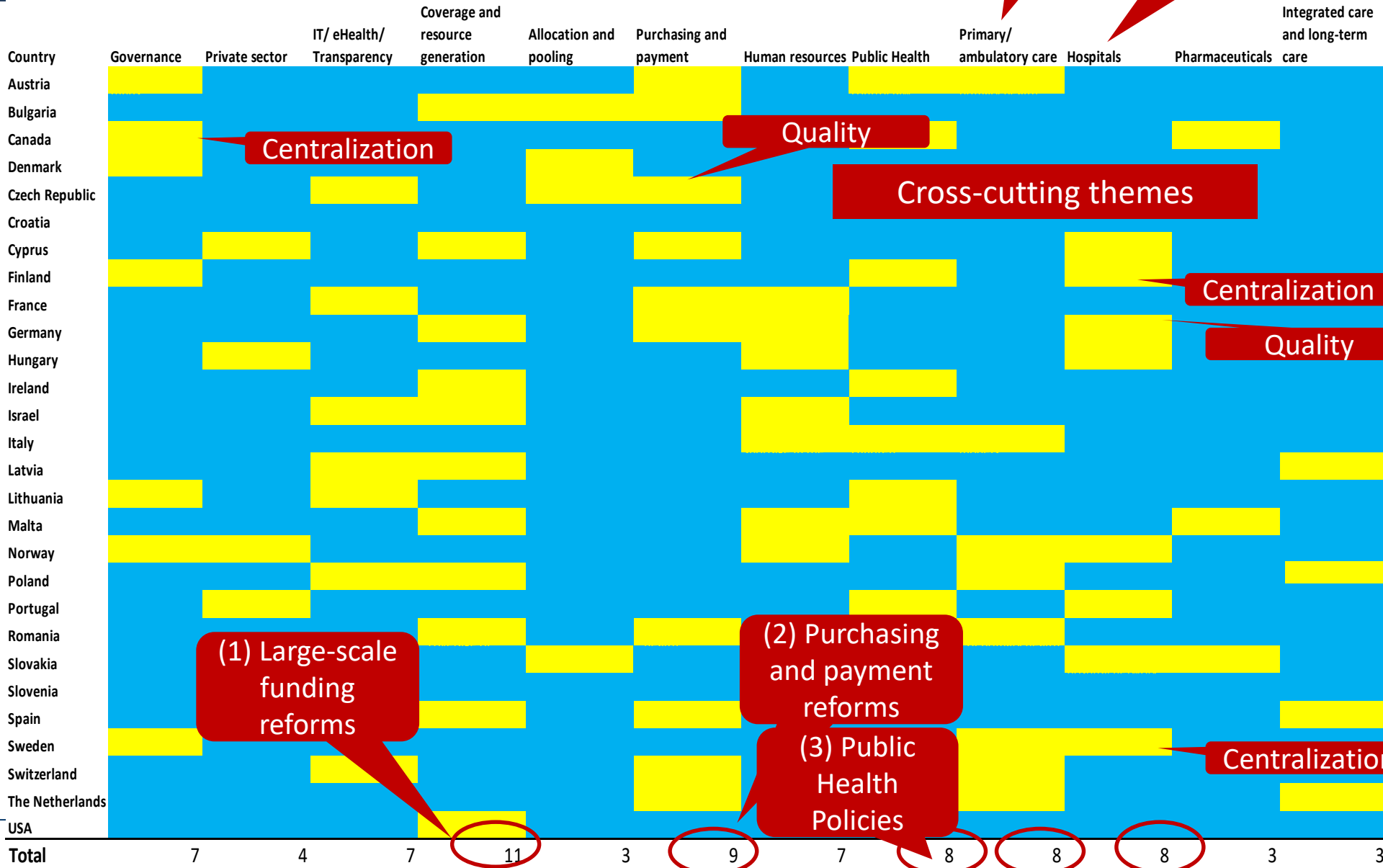
Sometimes one
reform falls into
several
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2018 reforms

Strengthening primary care

Reorganizing hospital networks



Centralization

Quality

Cross-cutting themes

Centralization

Quality

(1) Large-scale funding reforms

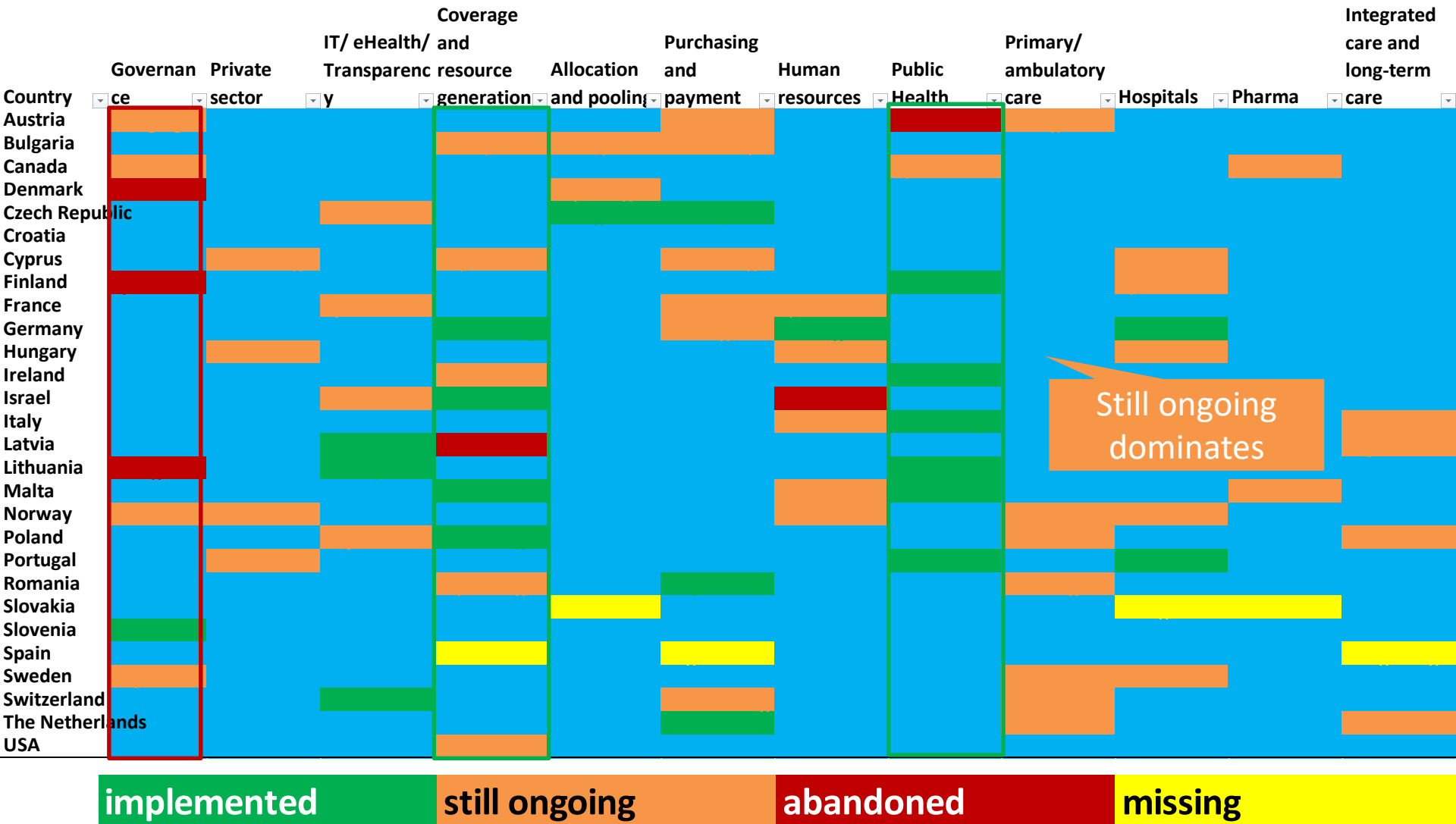
(2) Purchasing and payment reforms

(3) Public Health Policies

Centralization



2018 follow-up

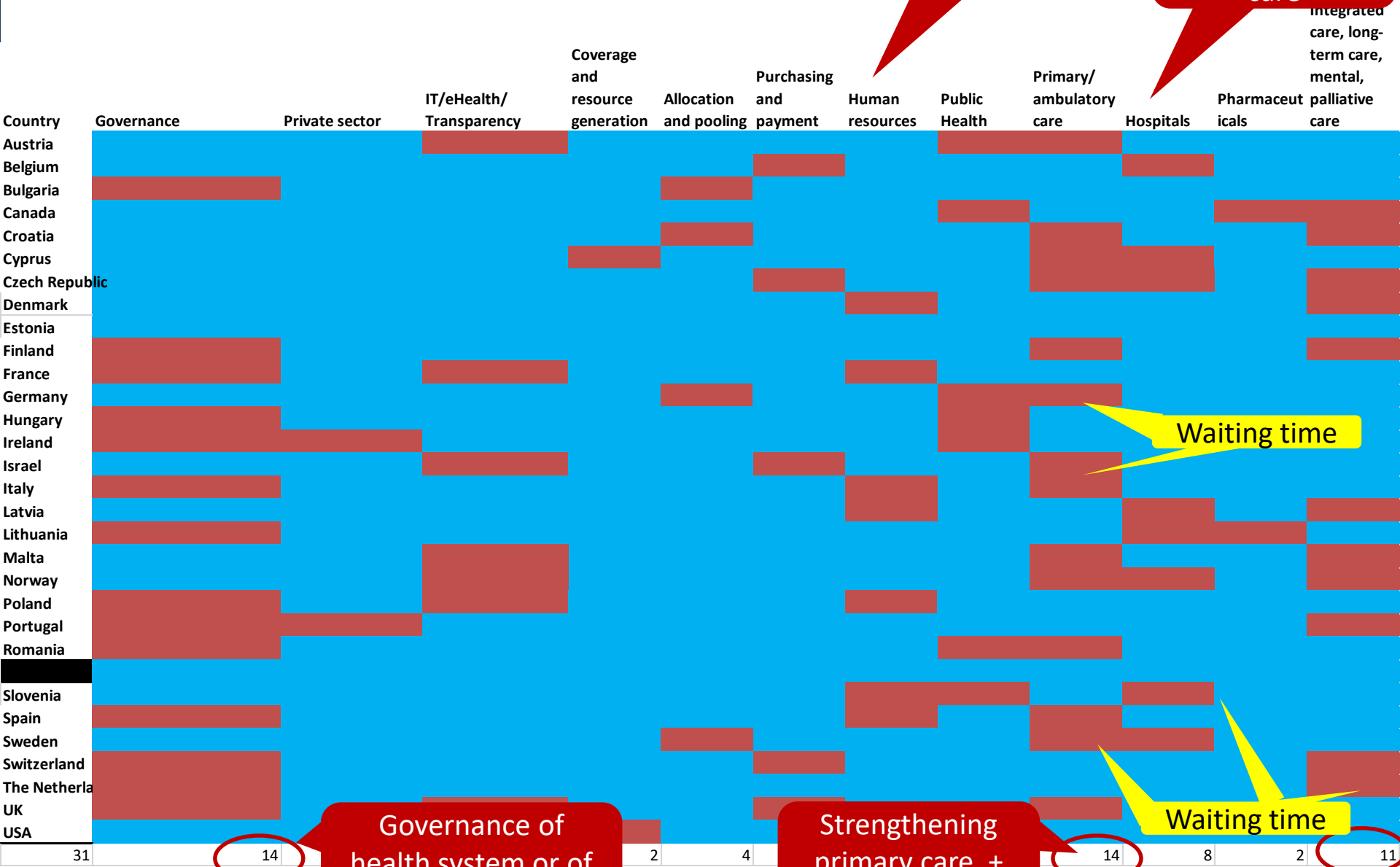




2019 reforms

Nurse training and skill-mix reforms

Reorganizing emergency care



Waiting time

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Governance of health system or of certain services

Strengthening primary care + improving access



Conclusion

- There are a lot of very interesting reforms happening across Europe!
- Many countries have (or had!) reforms in similar areas.
- Selected three main areas for 2019 discussion
 1. Primary care reforms
 2. Integrated, mental, and palliative care
 3. Governance reforms of health systems or certain services
- Interesting reforms in 2019 also with regard to emergency networks and skill-mix innovations



Thank you!

If you have further questions:

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