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**LV-C[C4]-I[4-1-1-2-i-] Support for strengthening health infrastructure of universities and regional hospitals**

**LV-C[C4]-I[4-1-1-2-i-]-T[140] Number of hospitals with improved infrastructure**

**Date of completion:** **Q3 2026**

**1) Context: description of the measure and relevant context from the CID annex** [text in full from the English version]

The objectives of the measure are to strengthen the resilience of the health sector and the availability of services by developing the necessary infrastructure for integrated health services, ensuring the capacity of health institutions to adapt to crisis situations, and ensuring continued sustainable and high-quality state-funded health services. Investments in hospital infrastructure shall help to improve the availability of both outpatient and in-patient services. The investments are planned to be made in three clinical university hospitals and seven regional hospitals for improving their infrastructure and equipment. Investments shall be based on recommendations for integrated care and epidemiological safety requirements and in accordance with the investment strategy for the development of health care infrastructure for 2021-2027. Investments shall be provided for the renovation, refurbishment and construction of new premises as well as for the procurement of the medical technologies and equipment. The investments to ensure the integrated healthcare approach and make the necessary adaptions for epidemiological safety shall be made in three clinical university hospitals: Riga Eastern Clinical University Hospital, Paula Stradiņa Clinical University Hospital and Children’s Clinical University Hospital and seven regional hospitals: Liepaja Regional Hospital; Daugavpils Regional Hospital, Rēzekne Hospital, North Kurzeme Regional Hospital, Jēkabpils Regional Hospital, Vidzeme Hospital and Jelgava Hospital. The investment shall be implemented by 31 August 2026.

**2) Copy of the milestone/target wording** [text in full from the English version]

| Seq.num | Measure (reform or investment) | Milestone/Target | Name | Qualitative indicators (for milestones) | Quantitative indicators (for targets) | | | Indicative timetable for completion | | Reporting and implementation responsibility | Description of each milestone and target |
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| Unit of measure | Baseline | Goal | Quarter | Year |
| 140 | C4.4-1-1-2-i- Support for strengthening health infrastructure of universities and regional hospitals | Target | Number of hospitals with improved infrastructure |  | Number | 0 | 10 | Q3 | 2026 | Ministry of Health | The target shall be deemed to be achieved when development projects in three university and seven regional hospitals are completed in accordance with the technical description of each project and aimed to ensure the necessary infrastructure for integrated health services, ensuring the capacity of health institutions to adapt to crisis situations, and ensuring continued sustainable and high-quality state-funded health services. |

Verification mechanism:

Summary document duly justifying how the target (including all the constitutive elements) was satisfactorily fulfilled, with appropriate links to the underlying evidence. This document shall include as an annex the following documentary evidence for each of the 10 projects: a) a brief description of the action proving alignment with the description of the target and investment in the CID Annex; b) evidence of completion of works and that the building and/or equipment is operational and meets the quality requirements, such as a copy of project promoter’s report on completion of the project and the Central Financing and Contracting Agency’s confirmation of completion of the project.

Further specification: (if relevant)

**3) List of key evidence provided in FENIX**

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|  | Identifier [same as in FENIX] | Name of the evidence.  For legal acts please provide the full legal reference and date of entry into force | Short description | Link to the requirements below |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |
| 2 |  |  |  |  |
| 3 |  |  |  |  |

**4) Detailed justification**

*[Explain clearly how the achievement of the milestone/target is demonstrated by the evidence provided,* ***covering ALL elements of the milestone/target and the elements of the measure description that are directly or indirectly linked to the milestone/target’s requirements.***  *(e.g. the fact that (i) a certain institution had (ii) to accomplish something (iii) in a certain way in order (iv) to achieve a certain goal (v) by a certain date). Please provide* ***a clear link between all the below elements and the one or more evidence items listed above.***

Requirement 1: ‘[excerpt from the milestones/target or the measure description]’

*[Explanation of fulfilment]*

Requirement 2: ‘[excerpt from the milestones/target or the measure description]’

*[Explanation of fulfilment]*

Requirement 3: ‘[excerpt from the milestones/target or the measure description]’

*[Explanation of fulfilment]*

[…]

Contribution to the achievement of other elements from the measure description: [evidence related to the elements that are not directly addressing the M/T but in the measure, where relevant]