# EPIDERM-
## European Prevention Initiative for Dermatological Malignancies

## BACKGROUND

-Increasing rates of skin cancer around Europe

-Aim: To raise awareness about skin cancer prevention and therapy standards

-Target groups:

a) general population
b) health care professionals
c) public officials

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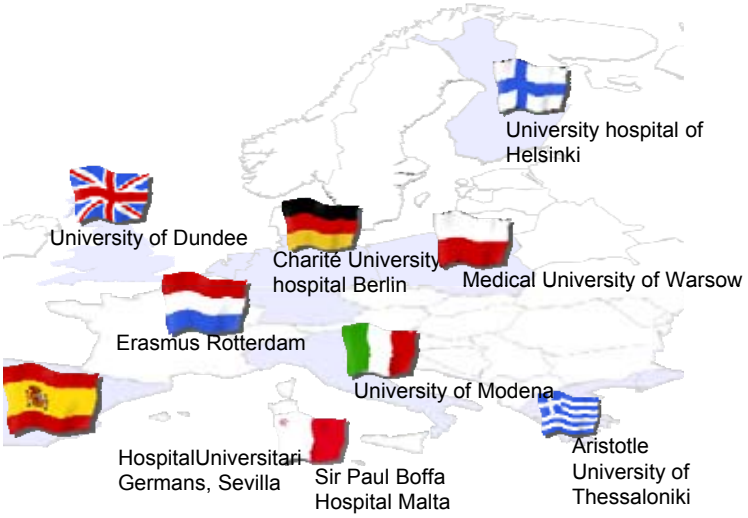
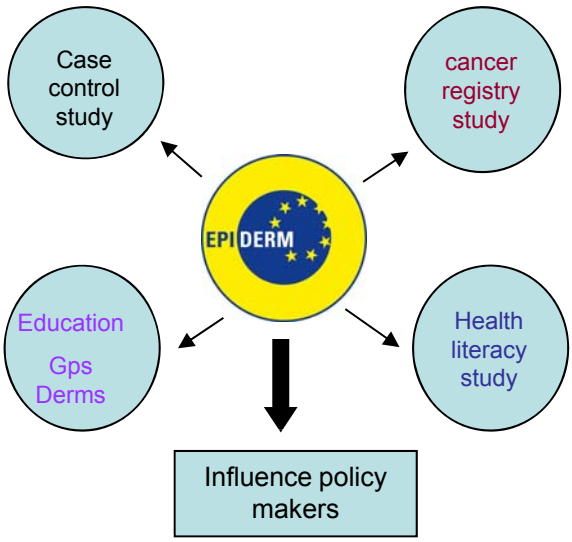
## EPIDERM MEMBERS




**Collaborating Institutions:**
- Finnish Cancer Registry
- Warsaw Cancer Registry
- Northern and Yorkshire Cancer Registry
- Comprehensive Cancer Centre South, Netherlands
- Malta National Cancer Registry

## ABOUT EPIDERM




-Case control study based on questionnaire → identify skin cancer risk factors and possible differences between countries

- cancer registry study → identify possible underregistration of skin cancer

- Health literacy questionnaire

- Education activities → skin cancer training courses for General practioners and dermatologists

- Dissemination of results → influence health policy makers

## MORE INFORMATION

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