

# SAFEGUARDING CYBERSECURITY IN THE EU HEALTH SECTOR

## ENISA'S ROLE

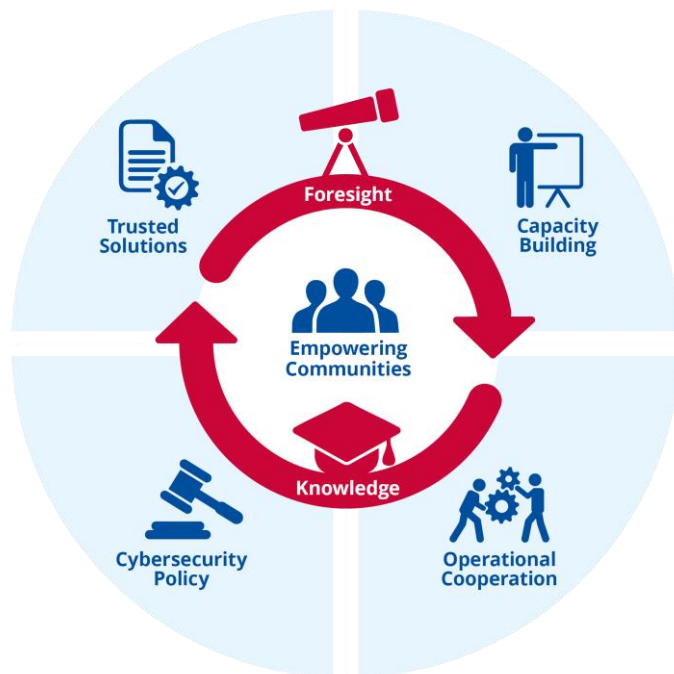
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# AGENDA

- 1. Introduction to ENISA**
- 2. Why does health sector cybersecurity matter?**
- 3. EU Health (cybersecurity) Action Plan (HAP)**
- 4. ENISA health sector services**
- 5. Latest news on EU HAP**

# ABOUT ENISA – THE EU AGENCY FOR CYBERSECURITY



Small office in  
Brussels  
Headquarters in  
Athens  
Small office in  
Heraklion



~150 staff in total. Cybersecurity work program done by:

- **Capacity building:** Cyber exercises, challenges, trainings
- **Operational collaboration:** CSIRTs network, Cyclone
- **Policy:** NIS2, 5G, eIDAS, critical sectors.
- **Certification and standardization:** EU certification schemes

# THE NIS2 IN A NUTSHELL

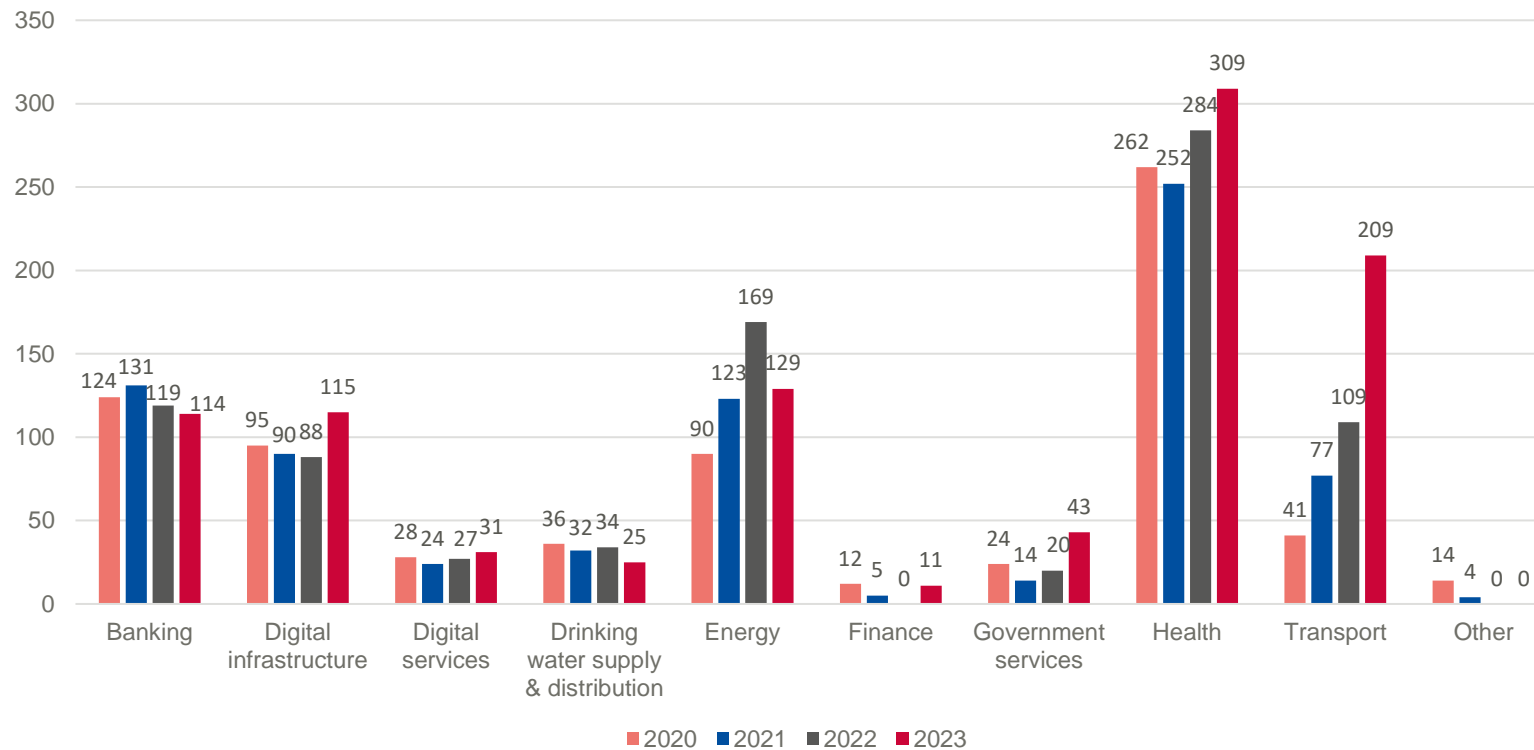


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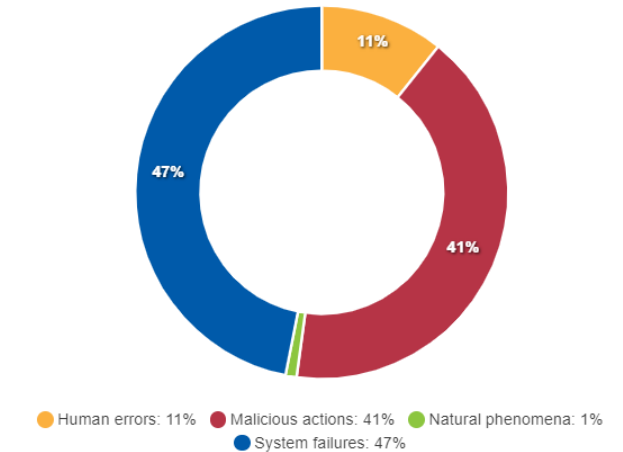
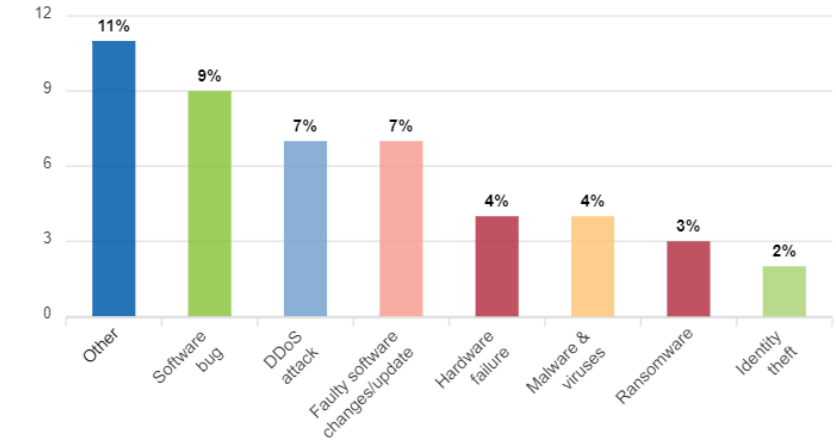
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# NIS2 REPORTING (DATA 2023)

Number of incidents per sector per year

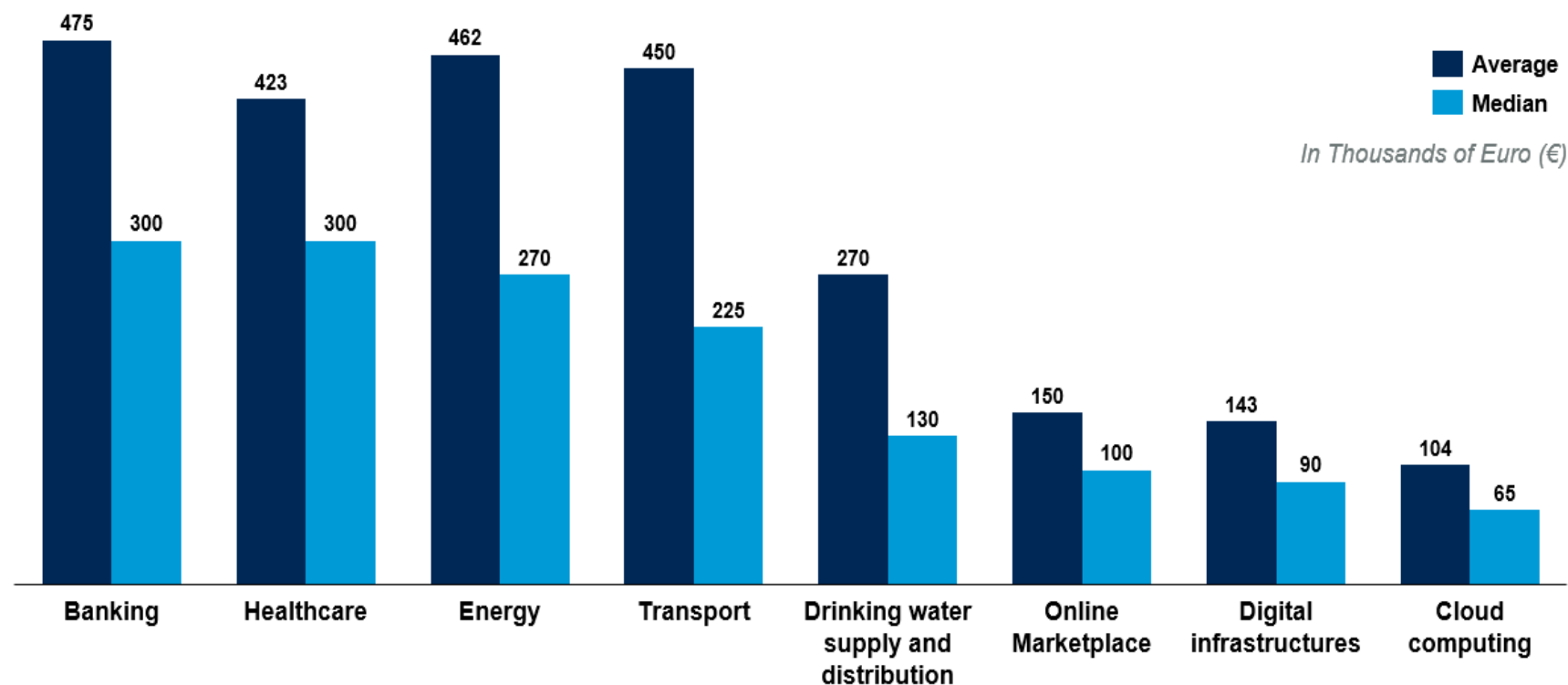


Technical causes (%)



Nature of the incident (%)

# ESTIMATED DIRECT COST OF MAJOR SECURITY INCIDENTS PER SECTOR

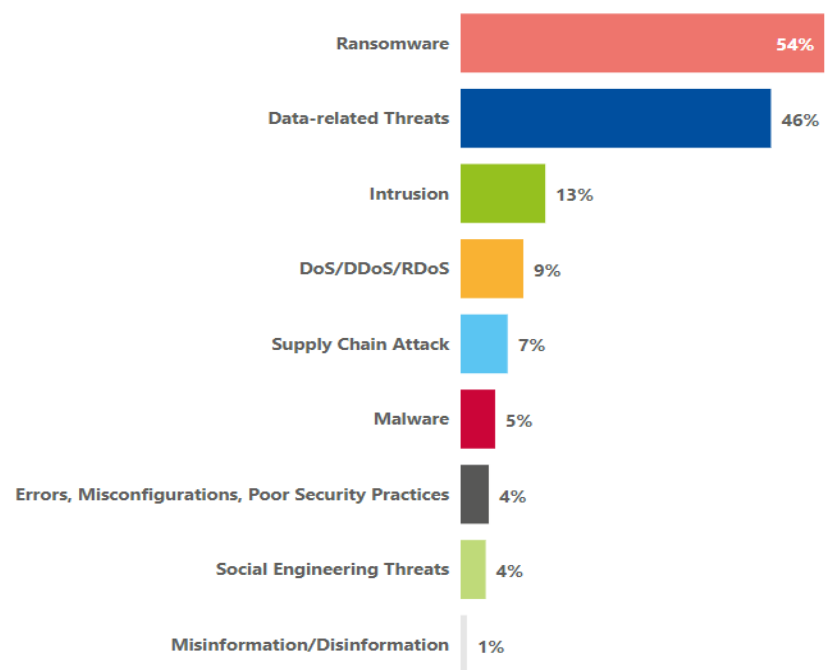


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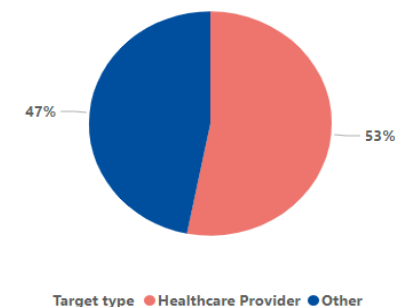
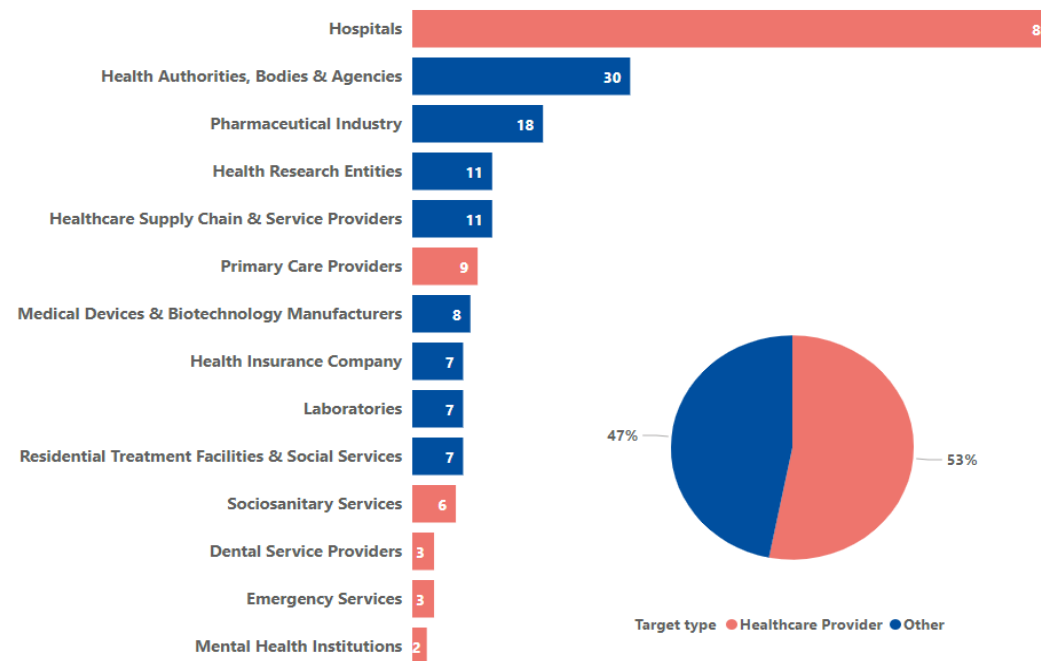
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Incidents in 2023

# ENISA HEALTH THREAT LANDSCAPE

## Threats in health sector (2023)



## Number of incidents per entity type (targets)



# CYBERESECURITY CHALLENGES IN HEALTH

- Ransomware attacks
- Increase in data breaches
- Supply chain attacks – complex supply chains
- Poorly cyber-designed medical devices
- Low cybersecurity maturity
- Lack of security awareness
- Legacy systems
- Shortage in cybersecurity skills





# 2024 ENISA NIS360 IN A NUTSHELL

## 1st

A new ENISA product to support national authorities tasked with NIS2 implementation



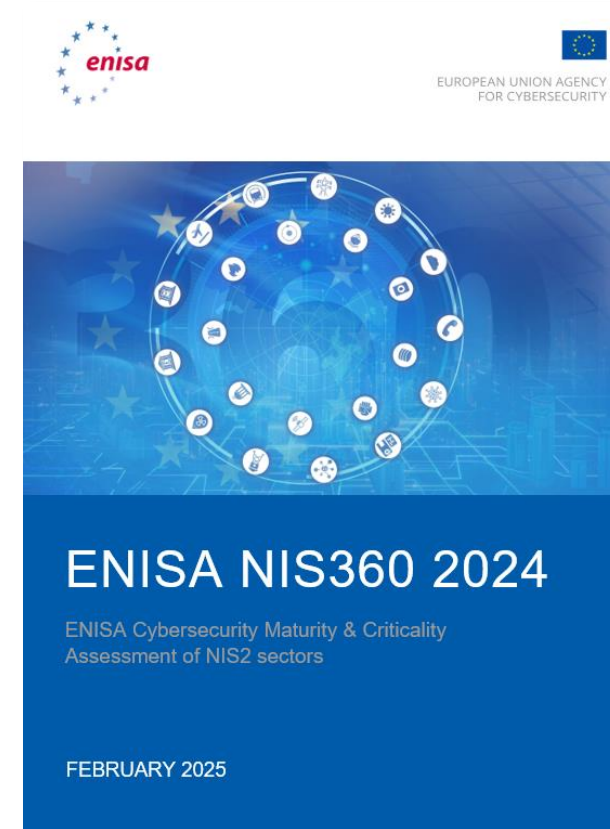
**3 viewpoints:**  
Industry/sector,  
national/sectorial authorities  
EU level data sources

## 22

**NIS2 sectors covered**  
(All Annex I sectors of high criticality)

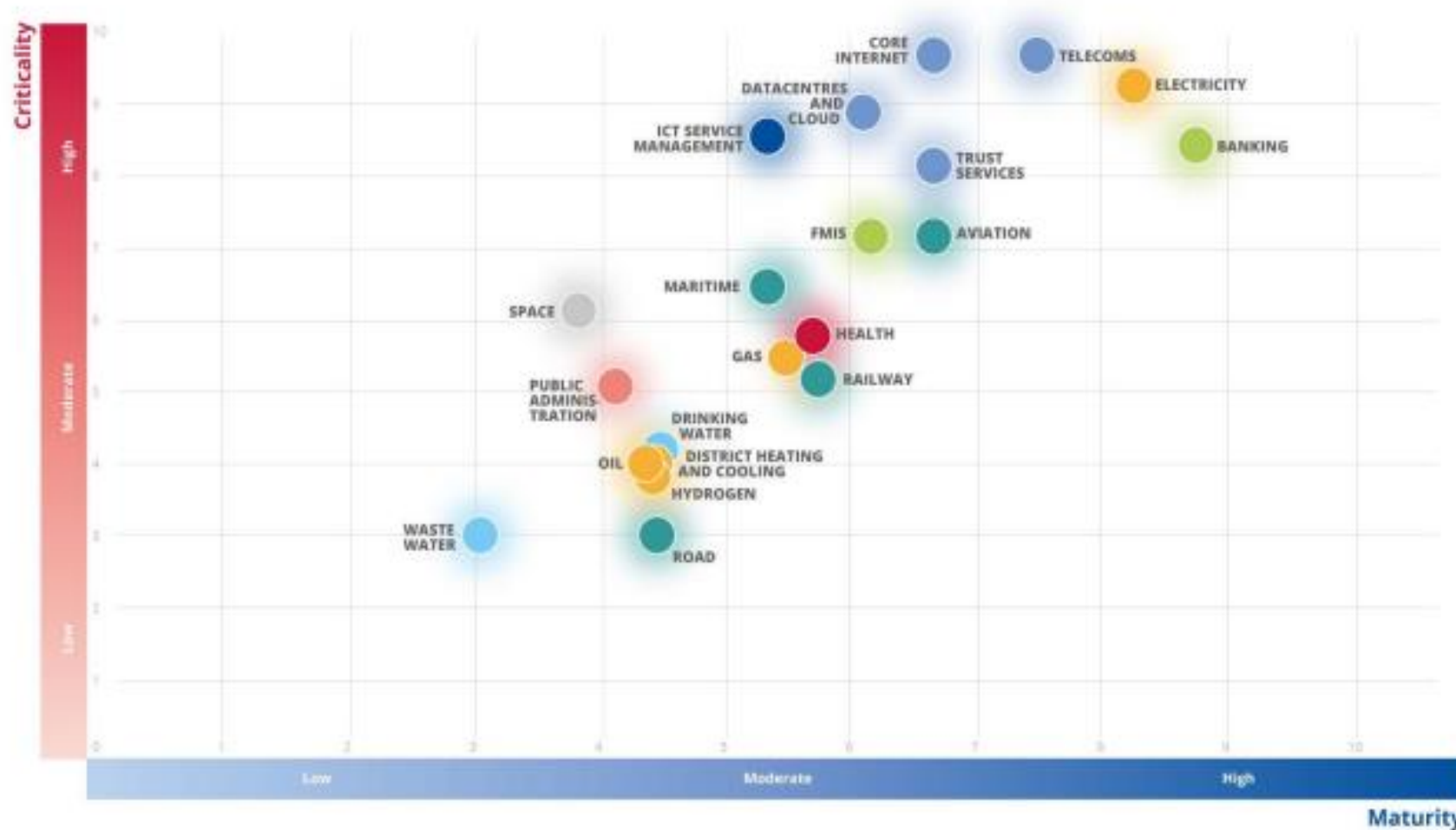
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**Respondents** to ENISA surveys – 59 authorities, 1350 entities.

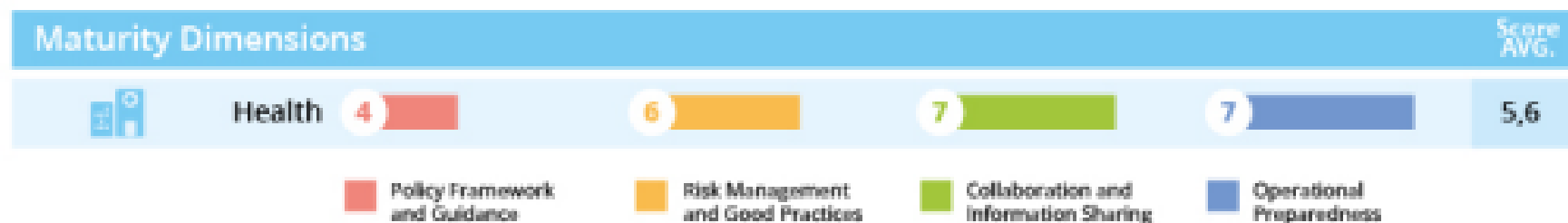


# ENISA 360 SECTOR ASSESSMENT

ENISA NIS360 Quadrant



# ENISA 360 HEALTH SECTOR ASSESSMENT



# EUROPEAN ACTION PLAN ON THE CYBERSECURITY OF HOSPITALS AND HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS

- Published on 15.1.2025



- Objective 





Brussels, 15.1.2025  
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- Enhance cybersecurity resilience in hospitals and healthcare providers across the EU

COMMUNICATION FROM THE COMMISSION TO THE EUROPEAN  
PARLIAMENT, THE COUNCIL, THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL  
COMMITTEE AND THE COMMITTEE OF THE REGIONS

- Strategic Pillars

European action plan on the cybersecurity of hospitals and healthcare providers

Prevent		Risk management, training, preparedness
Detect		Early warning system, detection tools
Respond		Incident response teams, EU reserve
Deter		Legal tools & cyber diplomacy

# IMPLEMENTATION & SUPPORT FRAMEWORK (2025–2026)

- **European Cybersecurity Support Centre**

- Hosted by ENISA.
- Delivers guidance, tools, and cybersecurity services.



- **Workforce Development**

- Promote upskilling through the EU Cyber Skills Academy & Cybersecurity Skills Framework (ECSF).
- Address the shortage of qualified cybersecurity professionals in healthcare.

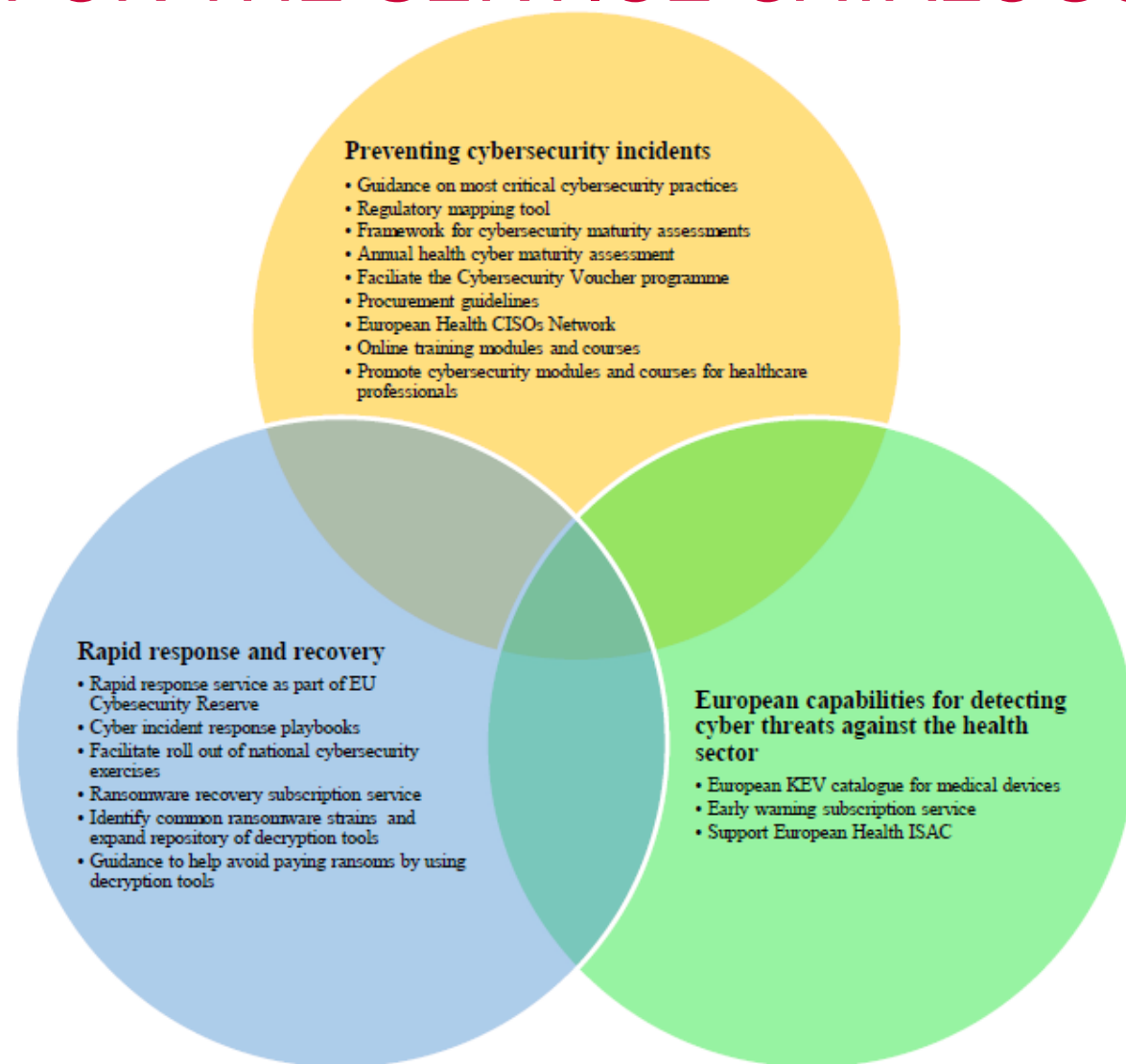




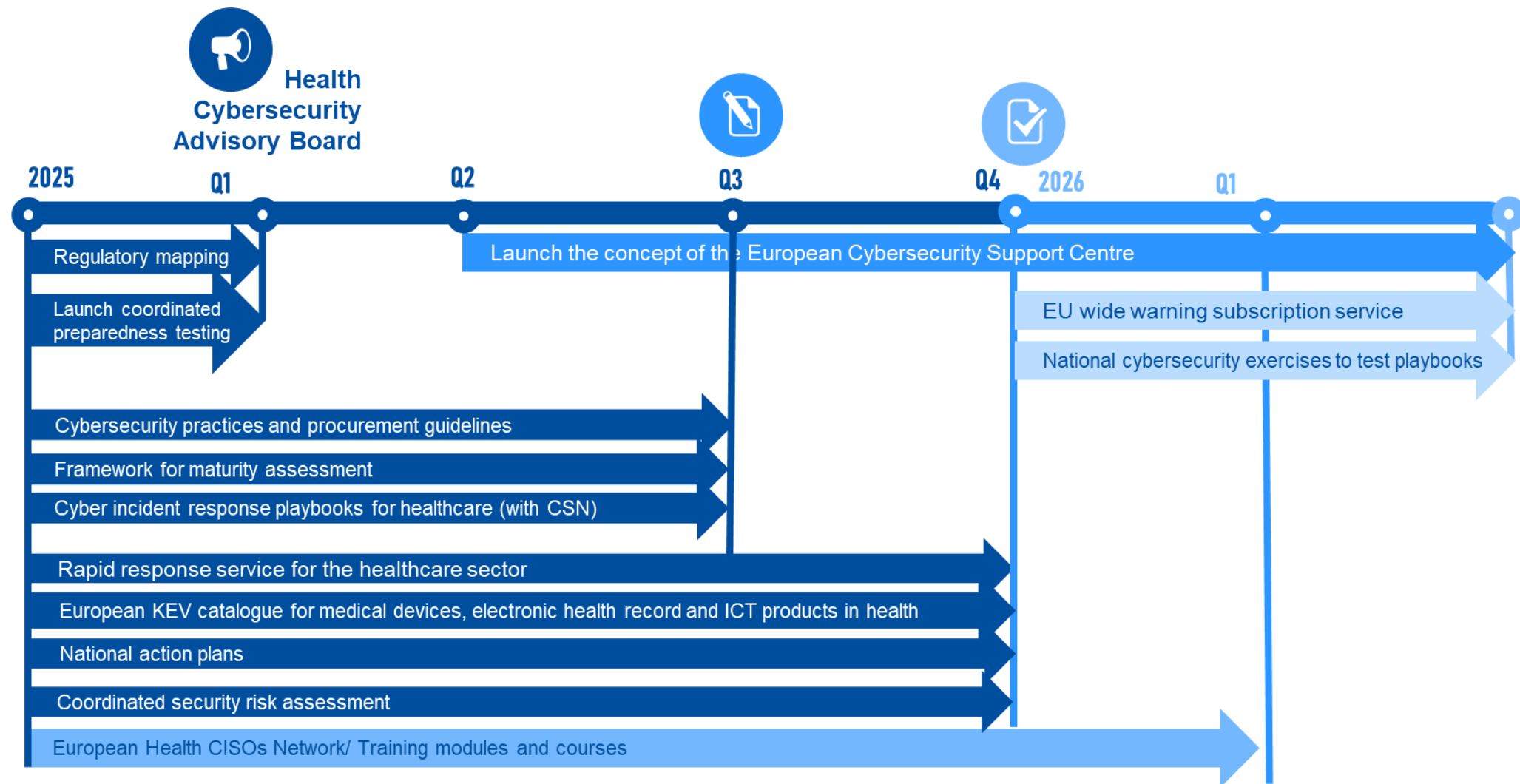
# ENISA AND HEALTH ACTION PLAN

- **Repackage and expand current service offer and architecture to strengthen the action and move the needle**
- **Create and enhance harmonized approaches when possible**
- **Reusing established methodology, tools and procurement strategy**
- **Actions done to support and empower Member States and health entities**
- **Service offer built in consultation with relevant stakeholder**

# CONCEPTS FOR THE SERVICE CATALOGUE



# HIGH LEVEL TIMELINE





# ENISA SECTORIAL SERVICES

## Policy Implementation Support

- NIS investment study
- NIS360 Assessment
- Sectorial Guidance
- Procurement Guidelines
- Sector maturity assessment framework
- Coordinated risk evaluation
- Regulatory requirements mapping (NIS WS)



## Situational Awareness and Incident Response Support

- Incident Reporting and Analysis (via CIRAS)
- Consolidated and bi-monthly threat landscape
- National Sectorial Threat Landscape\*
- Attack surface and risk monitoring/assessment\*
- Support National Incident Response\*

## Stakeholder and Community Support

- Support NIS CG WSs
- Secretariat of CNW and CyCLONe
- Support EU ISACs

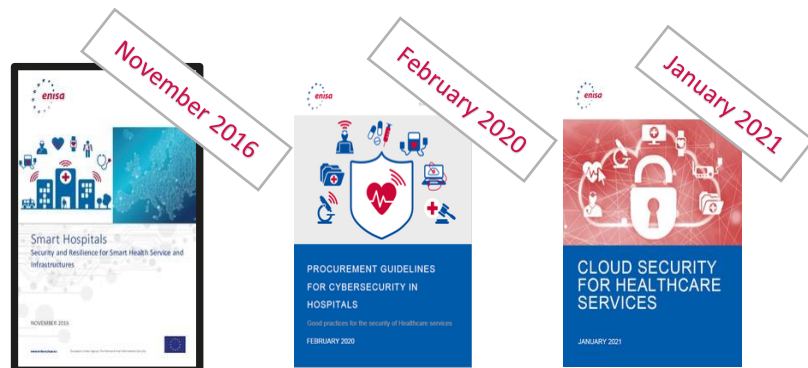


## Capacity Building and Preparedness

- Cyber Europe (focusing in specific sectors)
- Sectorial and National Exercise\*
- Tailored Self-Service Training\*
- Table Top Exercise\*
- Sectorial Cyber Range\*

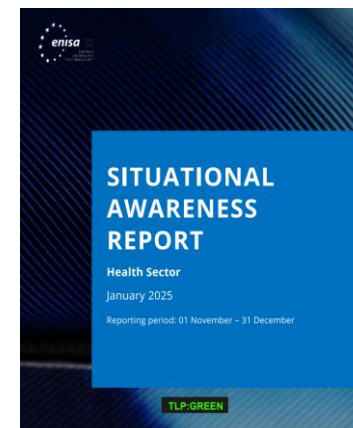
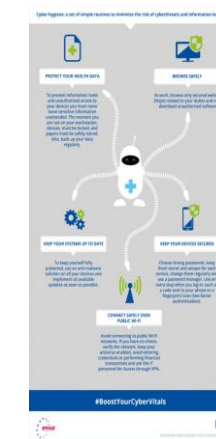


# PAST ACTIVITIES RELATED TO HEALTH



## Cyber Health Week 2022

Welcome to the official page of the Cybersecurity Healthcare Week 2022!







# EU HAP - LATEST NEWS

- **Contribution agreement for 6M € for three years to be confirmed**
- **ENISA participates in workshops and series of Horizontal Working Party CI meetings together with the Commission**
- **Discussion on funding in early May**
- **Some tasks already launched**
- **Support Centre's service catalogue to be discussed with MS**



STAY TUNED

## 10<sup>TH</sup> ENISA eHealth Cyber security Conference

Where		Bucharest
When		16 September 2025
Registrations	<a href="#">Events</a>   <a href="#">ENISA</a>	



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## DISCUSSION AND QUESTIONS

 Safeguarding  
cybersecurity in the  
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