

The delegation from the Capital Region of Denmark and Danish health care

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- Qasam Nazir Ahmad - Chairman of the Prevention and Cohesion Committee
 - Karsten Skawbo-Jensen - Vice Chairman of the Prevention and Cohesion Committee
 - Jacob Rosenberg - Member of the Prevention and Cohesion Committee
 - Freja Södergran - Member of the Prevention and Cohesion Committee
 - Annette Randløv - Member of the Prevention and Cohesion Committee
 - Flemming Pless - Member of the Prevention and Cohesion Committee
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- Jean Hald Jensen - Head of Unit in the Unit for Nearby Health Care in the Centre for Health
 - Sofie Egmos - The secretary of the committee, consultant in the Secretary in the Centre for Health

The Prevention and Cohesion Committee

- Cross-border cooperation: coherent health service in the local community
- Prevention actions in the region
- Health equality
- GPs and specialist practitioners



Health Care in Denmark



- Population: 5.8 mio. inhabitants
- Health care is a **public task**
- Costs are primarily financed through **taxes**
- Hospital care and visits to family doctors and specialists are **free of charge**
- Patients have **free choice**
- **Shared responsibility**



The Capitol Region of Denmark

- 5 regions in Denmark
- 1.8 mio. inhabitants in the Capital region
- Population density five times higher than country average
- 29 municipalities
- Approx. 40,000 employees in the region
- Total budget approx. 4.8 bio. Euros (36 bio. DKK)

The Capital Region's role in health care

- 6 hospitals (at 9 locations)
 - 5,000 beds
 - 29,000 employees
- 1 Hospital for psychiatry (at 16 locations)
 - 1,600 beds
 - 5,400 employees
- 1.000 GP's, 600 private specialists
 - 17,8 mio. contacts



General practitioners (GPs)

- GP's own their clinics and work under a collective agreement
- Proximity as crucial as specialization for patientes
- The GPs are the point of entry into the health care system for non emergencies



Documentation for the right to treatment



Navn (Sidehoved/fod)

Titel/beskrivelse (Sidehoved/fod)

- Financing of GPs is mainly activitybased – the region pays per service
- No payments between patient and GP



The role of the municipalities

- 29 municipalities in the Capitol Region.
- Responsible for rehabilitation, home care, care for elderly and disabled, social welfare etc.