

# OPEN DAYS OF SLOVENIAN CANCER SCREENING PROGRAMMES for foreign representatives of cancer screening programmes 17. – 19. 5. 2022, Ljubljana

# **EVENT EVALUATION**

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Between 17 and 19 May 2022, the Oncology Institute of Ljubljana, the National Institute of Public Health and the EUTOPIA-EAST project organised an international event in Ljubljana, where all three Slovenian cancer screening programmes ZORA, DORA and Svit Programme, as well as the Oncology Genetic Counselling and Testing Clinic, were presented. The event was intended for foreign representatives of cancer screening programmes from Montenegro, Croatia, Romania and the Netherlands, who came to see the organization and procedures of Slovenian cancer screening programmes, as Slovenia is a model country for well-organized cancer screening programmes, especially for Eastern European countries. The organizers prepared lectures, round tables with discussion and site visits. In one of the programme modules, the foreign guests presented their own experiences with screening in their own countries.

The results of the survey sent to participants are presented below.

#### PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENT

48 participants attended the Open days of Slovenian cancer screening programmes. Of these, 21 participants were from Slovenia, 8 from Croatia, 8 from Montenegro, 9 from Romania and 2 from the Netherlands. 33 participants partially or fully completed the survey, most of them from Slovenia (12) and Romania (8).

In the survey, participants were asked which screening programme they were most interested in. They could give multiple answers. Respondents were most interested in cervical cancer screening (61% of respondents) and breast cancer screening programme (61% of respondents). The colorectal cancer screening programme was also of interest to a number of participants (55% of respondents), while 27% of all who completed the survey were interested in the new screening programmes (Figure 1).

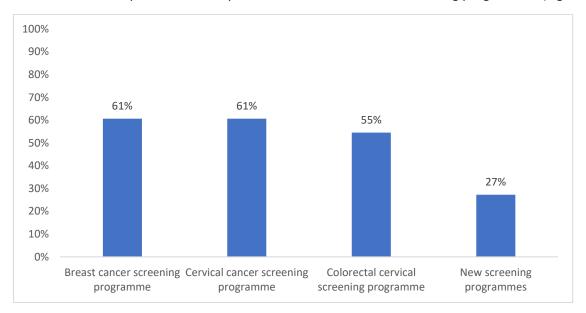


Figure 1: Interest in cancer screening programmes among participants.

## **EVENT ORGANISATION**

Participants were asked to rate the event on a scale of 1 to 5, with 1 being the lowest and 5 highest. The majority of participants scored the event with 5, while no participants gave the event a negative rating. The average rating of the event is 4.8. The data is shown in Table 1.

**Table 1: Event evaluation.** 

Event evaluation:	Number of ratings (N)	Share (%)
1 (unsatisfactory)	0	0.0
2 (acceptible)	0	0.0
3 (good)	0	0.0
4 (very good)	5	15.2
5 (exellent)	28	84.8
Total	33	100.0
Average rating: 4.8		

The technical organization of the event (4.8) and the timeframe of the lectures (4.7) were rated similarly to the event itself (4.8). The highest rating was given to the kindness and effort of the organizers (5) (Figure 2).

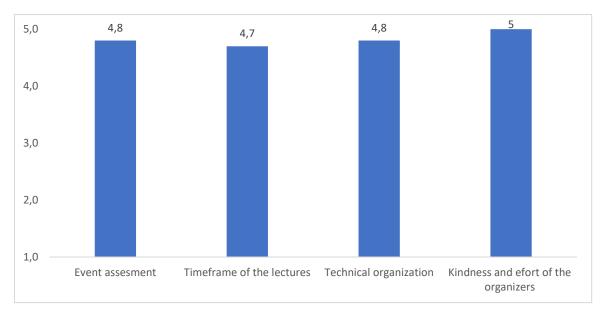


Figure 2: Showing the average rating of the organization and execution of the event on a scale from 1 (unsatisfactory) to 5 (excellent).

## **EVALUATION OF THE PROFESSIONAL CONTENT OF THE EVENT**

All respondents who answered questions about the professional content of the event rated the professional content as relevant, important for their work and presented in a way that was easy to understand (Figure 3).

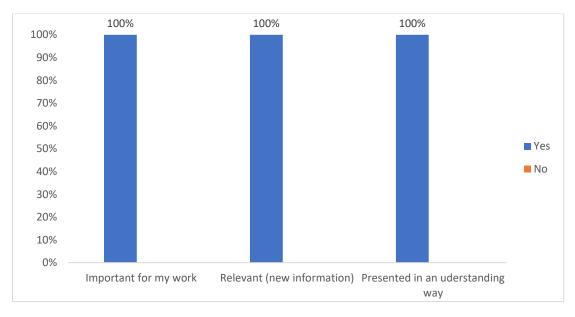


Figure 3: Assessment of professional content.