

EuReCa training on Health Democracy

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2:30 – 6 pm

Salle annexe BDD 2

Patient and Public Involvement (PPI) in cancer research, practice and institutions

In France, the notion of Patient and Public Involvement, or PPI, is intrinsically linked with the concept of "Health Democracy". It is presented as the cornerstone of the development of a fairer, more representative, and respectful healthcare system.

Based on examples from the field of oncology, this lecture will explore the great diversity of ways in which patients and citizens have either claimed the right to or been invited to participate to medical research, practice or institutions. Where, when, and how do they intervene? How can researchers deal with more frequent injunctions to involve patients and citizens in their research projects and what can they learn from it?.

1. Historical outline of the involvement of patients in medical research:

- HIV,
- Mental health,
- Breast cancer

2. Who are these partners in participatory research?

- The Montreal model and the French model,
- Patient and Public Involvement and Health Democracy,
- Individual patients and patients' associations,
- Professionals or volunteers

3. Where, when and how can patients or the public be involved in research?

4. Case studies

- In social sciences and the humanities
- In biomedical research

5. The conditions of a good partnership: what skills need to be developed on the part of patients and researchers.

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