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1. INTRODUCTION

This is **Deliverable 1.2** entitled '**Web-based network for points of entry (EU POENET)**' developed under *Work Package 1: Management* of the EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS Joint Action (Grant Agreement Nr. 801493). The EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS Joint Action has received funding from the European Union, in the framework of the Third Health Programme (2014-2020).

1.1 DELIVERABLE CONTENT SPECIFICATION

The EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS Joint Action **Deliverable D1.2 "Web-based network for points of Entry (EU POENET)"** is related to the network that will be used to communicate and notify rapidly in case of cross-border risks to health at points of entry (POE). This network complements the existing official reporting networks, by facilitating knowledge and information sharing among experts, and among competent authorities and other stakeholders.

1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK UNDER WORK PACKAGE 1

A new integrated web-based network for points of entry (EU POENET) was developed in cooperation with EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS subject-matter Work Packages 5, 6, 7 (ground crossings, air and maritime transport, respectively) under the coordination of Work Package 1. The web-based network consists of: a) an expert communication platform for air, maritime and ground crossing transport health threats; b) a European database for storing and sharing data from positive Maritime Declarations of Health submitted to the NSW according to Directive 2010/65/EU; c) inspection results according to the *European Manual for Hygiene Standards and Communicable Disease Surveillance on Passenger Ships*; d) European Ship Sanitation Inspection Database Information System for issuing/recording IHR SSCs based on the WHO Handbook; e) communication network platform allowing ship-to-port/port to National/port-to-port information sharing on response to public health events; and f) training platform for POE hosting e-learning synchronous and asynchronous courses.

A working group was established to develop the structure and content of EU POENET, led by the Joint Action Coordinator, with representatives from authorities leading subject matter Work Packages (air, maritime and ground crossings) and authorities leading the dissemination and training Work Packages. Working group meetings were primarily conducted under the framework of other Joint Action events including the Kick-off meeting (June 2018 in Varna, Bulgaria) and 1st General Assembly meeting (June 2019 in Hamburg, Germany).

Under Work Packages 5, 6 and 7, specific discussion forums (expert's forum) have been developed for the network of professionals.

A digital Passenger Locator Form (EUdPLF) environment for maritime, air and ground-crossings transport was created to allow for more efficient data collection for contact tracing activities and a European level common web interface, under which national electronic PLFs for each European Union Member State (EU MS) has been developed. National PLFs are hosted under a common database. Each onboarded EU MS has access only to their national dataset. This EU Database is facilitated by EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS and is another component of the Joint Action's web-based network for points of entry (existing Deliverable D1.2 under Work Package 1). Data exchange occurs via the connection of the EUdPLF to the ePLF (EC exchange platform). On May 27th 2021, the European Commission published the Implementing Decision 2021/858 setting up all provisions for the use of this exchange platform. In addition, a Commission Implementing Decision 2021/1212 published on 12th of July 2021 allows the sharing of exposed persons' data.

The components of existing work that were used in the Joint Action activities were identified and considered in the development of Deliverable 1.2. The existing information systems and communication platforms of SHIPSAN and AIRSAN were updated. Moreover, the following subjects were explored and applied: a) high speed of the system operation; b) updating of the AIRSAN bibliography tool for the air sector and expansion to the maritime sector; and c) improvements to the functionalities of the EU SHIPSAN Information System (SIS).

1.3 DEVELOPMENT AND CONTENT OF THE WEB-BASED NETWORK FOR POINTS OF ENTRY (EU POENET)

1.3.1 WHERE TO FIND IT?

EU POENET is located under the private area of the EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS website (user credentials are required). The direct link to access EU POENET is: https://www.healthygateways.eu/POENET. It is also located on the EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS home page in the footer link "POENET", directly below the label "Web-based network for points of entry".

1.3.2 WHAT DOES THE EU POENET INCLUDE?

EU POENET consists of the following components and links:

- **Network of Professionals for Points of Entry** (private)

  The *Network of Professionals for Points of Entry* consists of the:

  i) Registration form for the Network (for new users);

  ii) Registry for POE (Communication Network (Registry)); and

  iii) Communication Platform used by those registered and approved on this Network (*Expert communication platform for air, maritime and ground crossing transport health threats*)

  - Registration form: (public) for the Network of Professionals for PoE (Registry).
  - Expert communication platform for air, maritime and ground crossing transport health threats: (private)

- **EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS Bibliography tool** (public)

  This web-based tool compiles existing European and international guidance documents addressing all types of public health threats (biological, chemical, environmental, radiological, nuclear) including COVID-19, in the air and maritime sector. Publications from peer-reviewed journals related to public health transport in the maritime sector have also been included.

- **EU Common Ship Sanitation Database** (private) – consisting of the following components:

  1) European database for storing and sharing data from positive Maritime Declarations of Health submitted to the NSW according to Directive 2010/65/EU;
  2) Inspection results according to the European Manual for hygiene standards and communicable disease surveillance on passenger ships;
  3) European Ship Sanitation Inspection Database Information System for issuing/recording IHR SSCs based on WHO Handbook; and
  4) Communication Network

- **Web-based catalogues of best practices** (private)

  Web-based catalogues of best practices for points of entry have been developed and address all types of health threats, public health emergency contingency planning, risk communication and advice for public health event management at points of entry. These catalogues were intended for use by Member States' health authorities with implementation at operational level through agencies and stakeholders in the transport sector.

  The web-based catalogues developed include the following:

  - *Best practices on core capacities implementation at ports for event detection, surveillance, management and contingency planning*

- *Best practices on core capacities implementation at airports for event detection, surveillance, management and contingency planning*
- *Best practices on core capacities implementation at ground crossings for event detection, surveillance, management and contingency planning.*

- **Web-based training resources catalogue for Points of Entry** (public)
  Searchable catalogue compiling training resources from international, European and national courses that are specific to points of entry and address public health threats in the maritime, air and ground-crossings sector.
- **E-learning platform (training platform for PoE hosting e-learning synchronous and asynchronous courses)** (private)
- **EUdPLF** (private)

1.3.3 WHO ARE THE USERS OF EU POENET?

- All EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS Joint Action consortium members
- The network of professionals developed under Work Packages 5, 6 and 7
- The competent authorities at points of entry
- The competent authorities at authorised ports according to International Health Regulations (2005)
- Inspectors registered in the EU SHIPSAN Information System (EUSIS)

1.3.4 HOW TO REGISTER TO THE EU POENET?

Members of the EU HEALTHY GATEWAYS consortium, advisory board and network of professionals already have access and do not need to register.

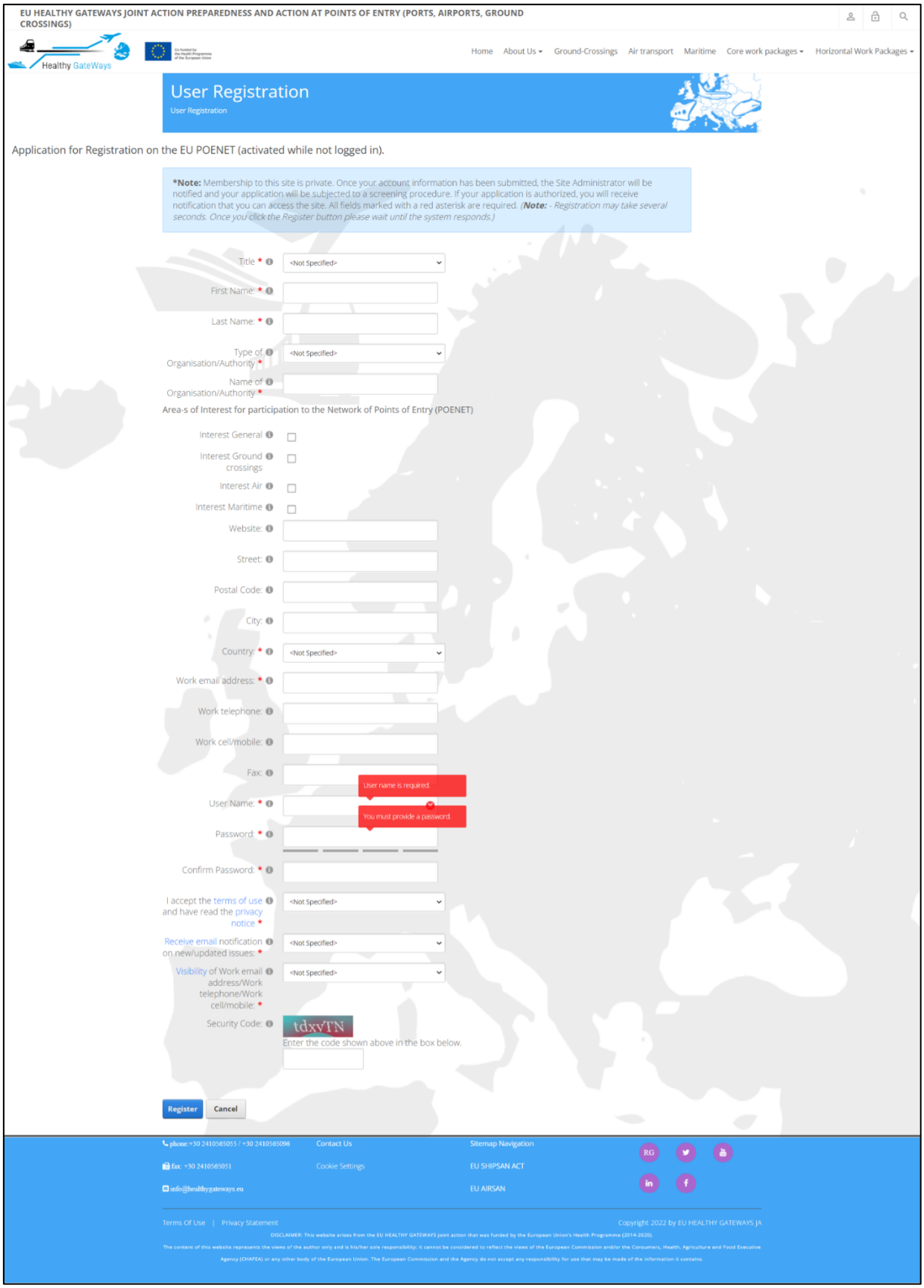
New users should follow the below instructions:

The registration form is public and activated, which can be found on the following link: **https://www.healthygateways.eu/User-Registration**

The above registration form should be used for online application on the Registry and access to the Communication Platform (only for new users). Once a potential, new user applies via the registration form (e.g. personnel working at a point of entry) the registration will be reviewed and once approved will be granted access to the Network of Professionals for Points of Entry.

2. STRUCTURE AND SCREENSHOTS

- **Network of Professionals for Points of Entry**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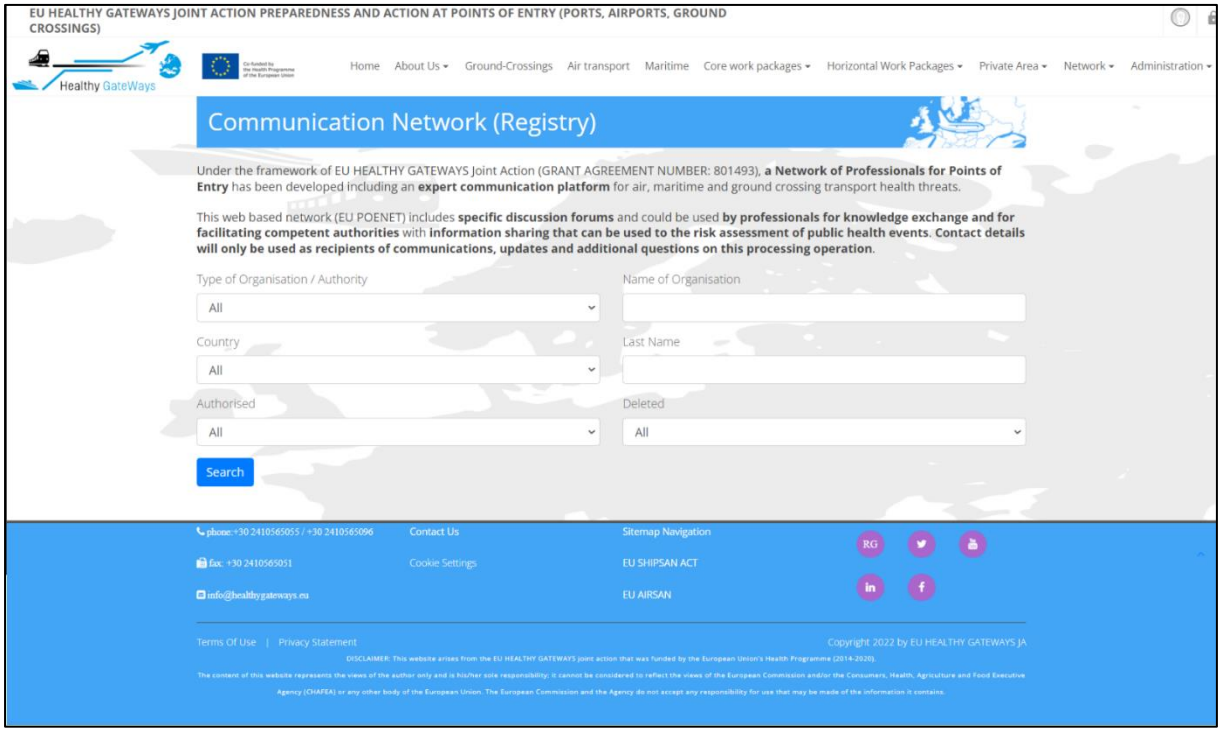
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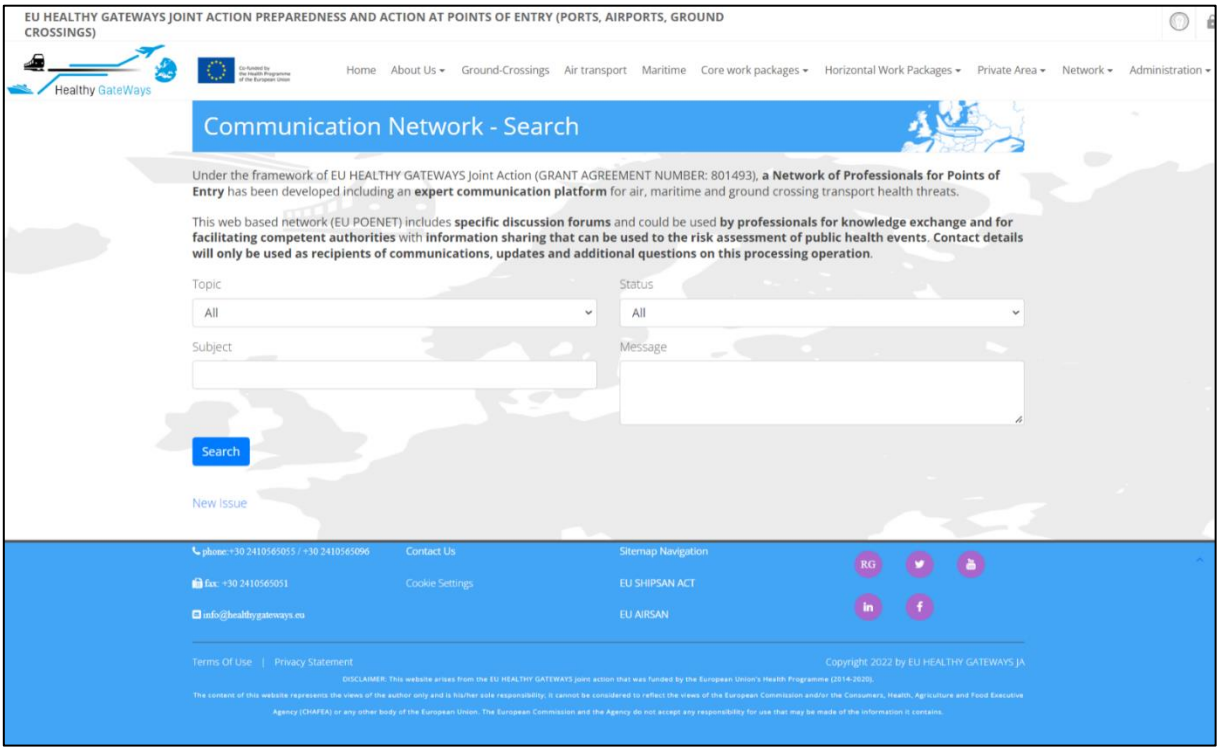
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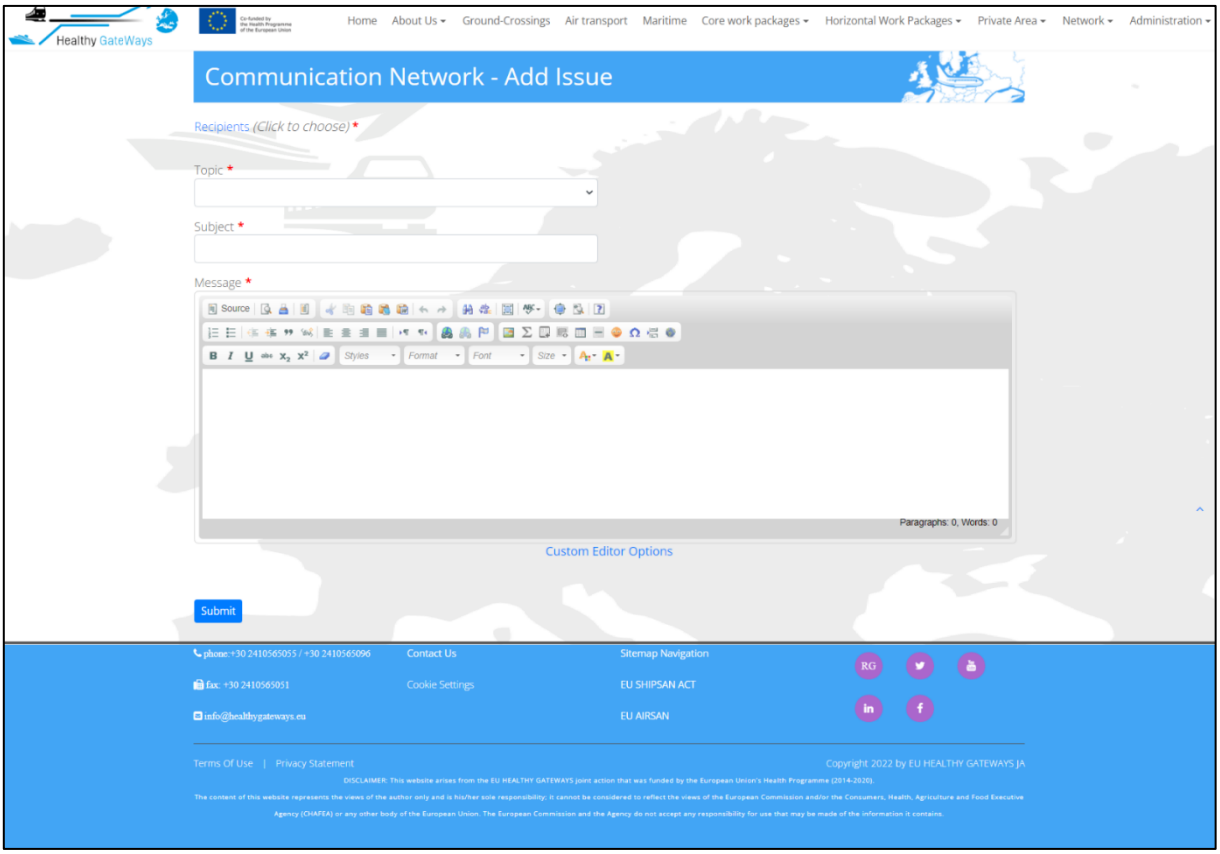
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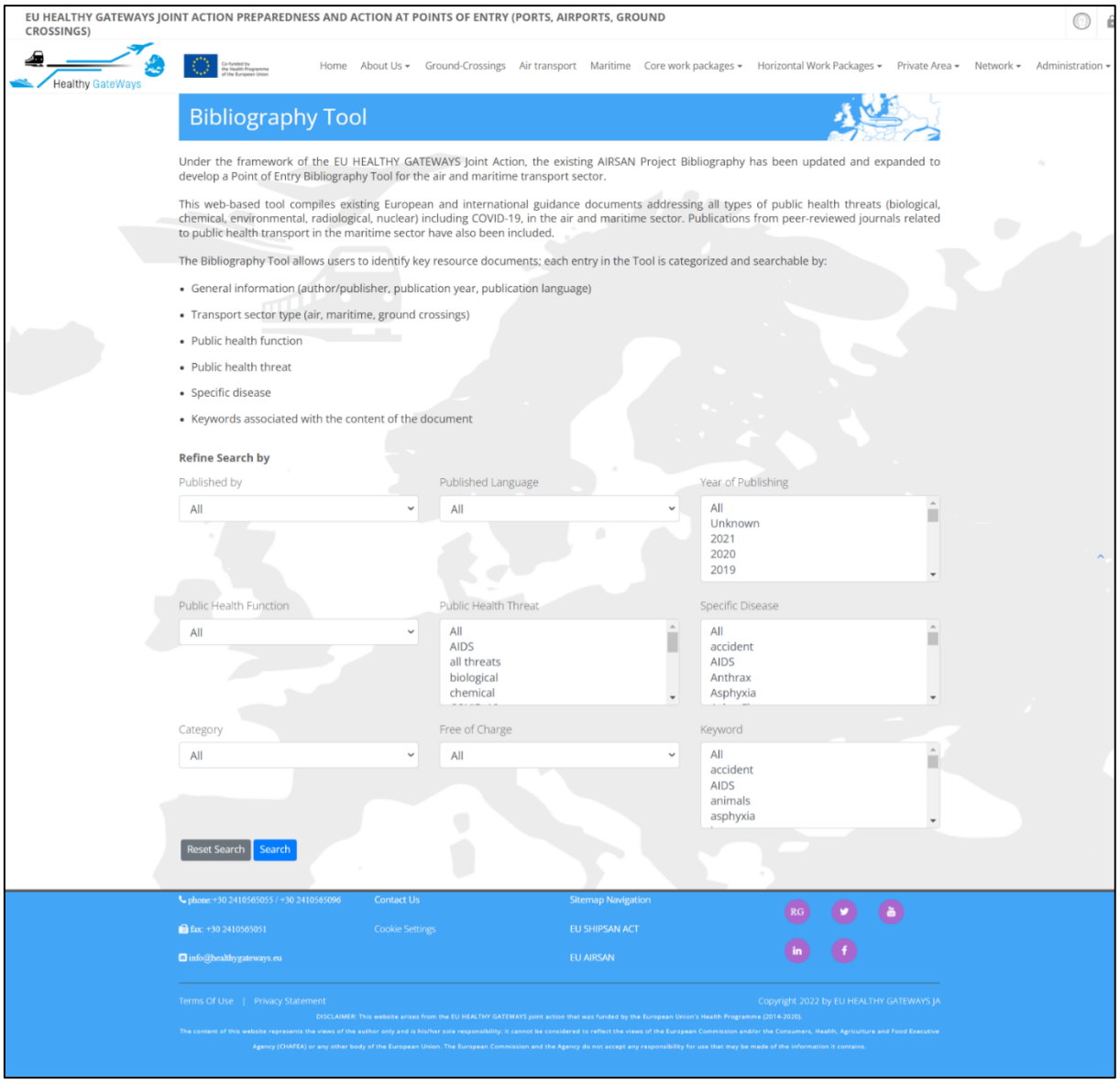

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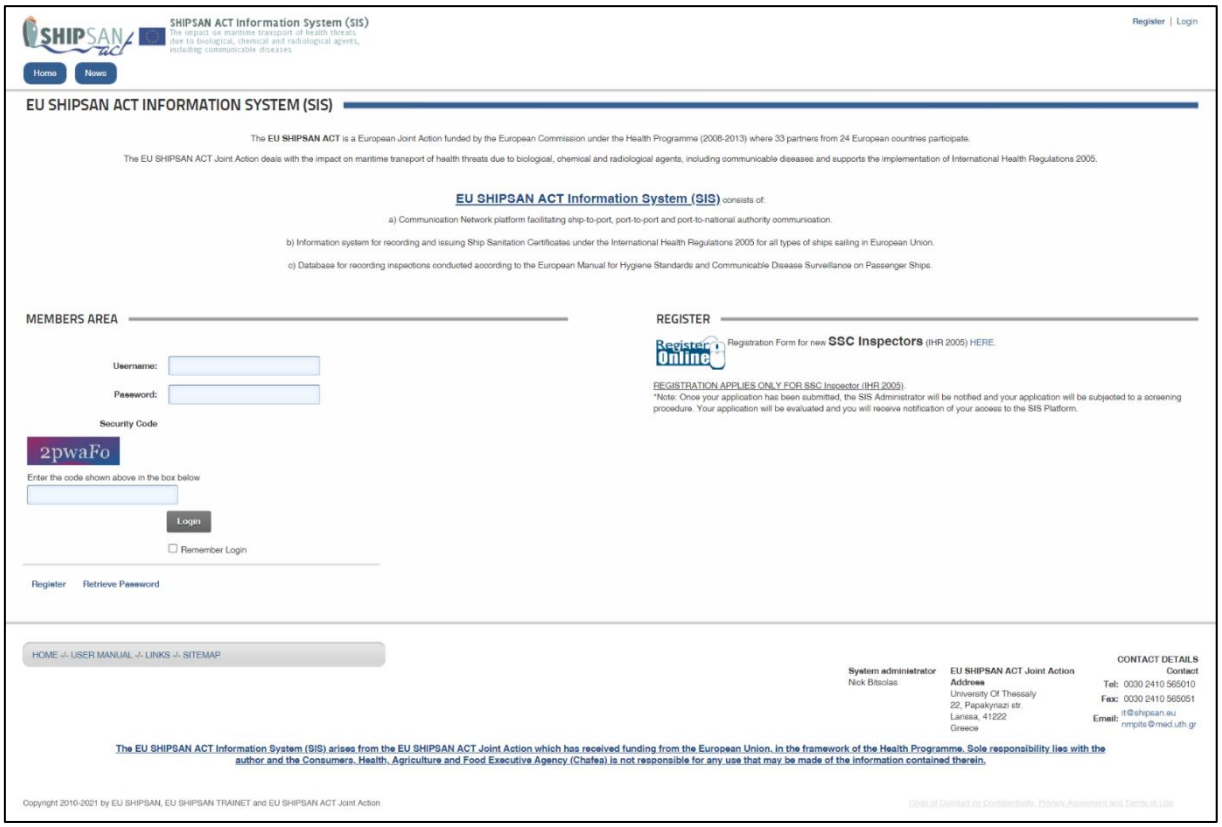
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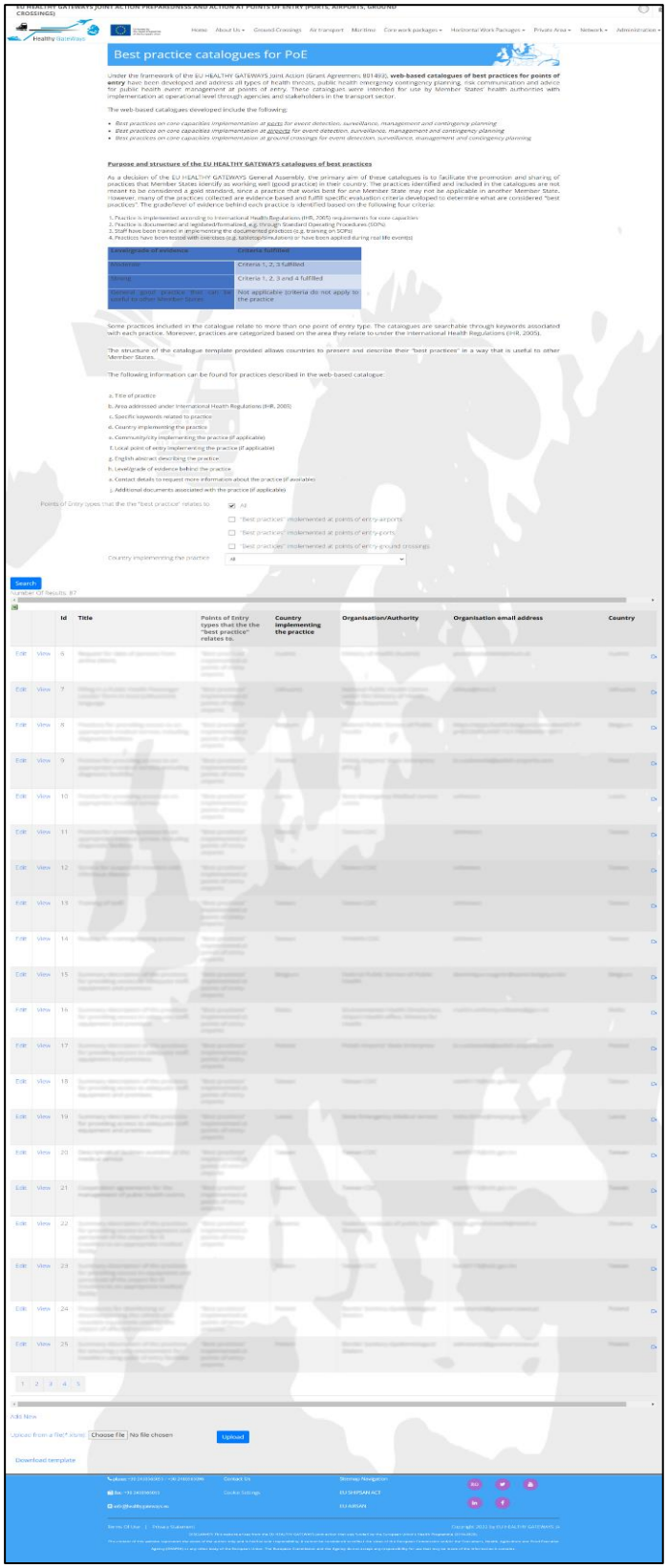

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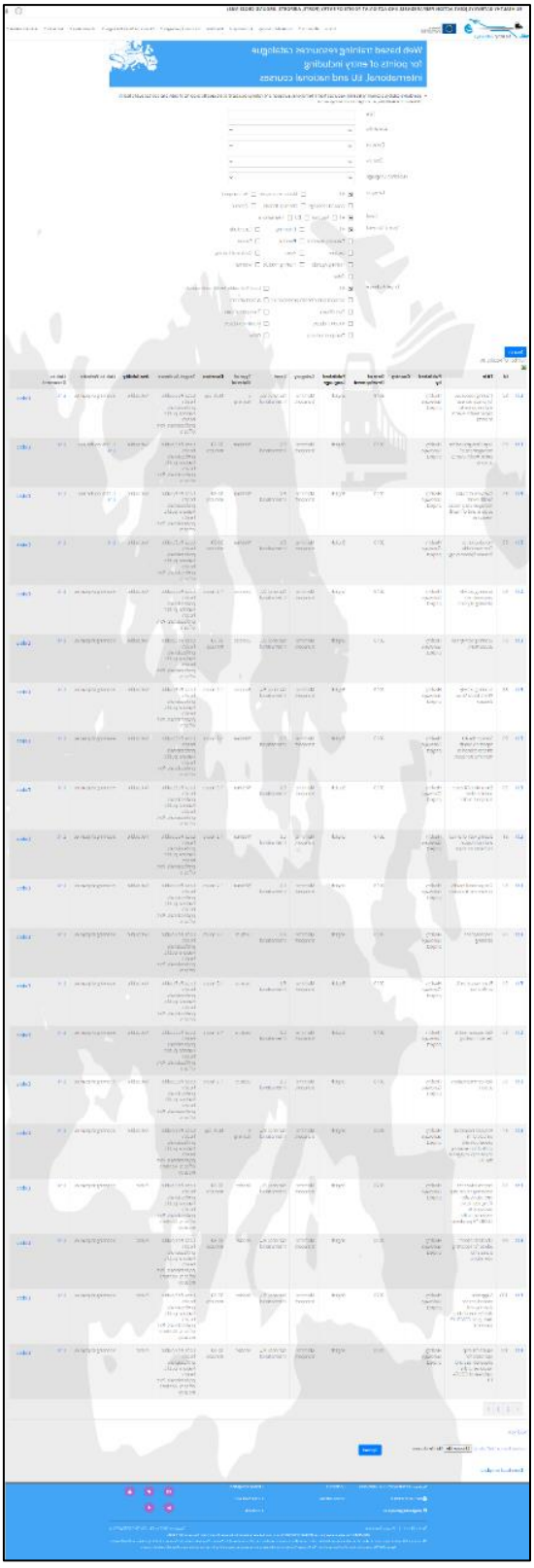

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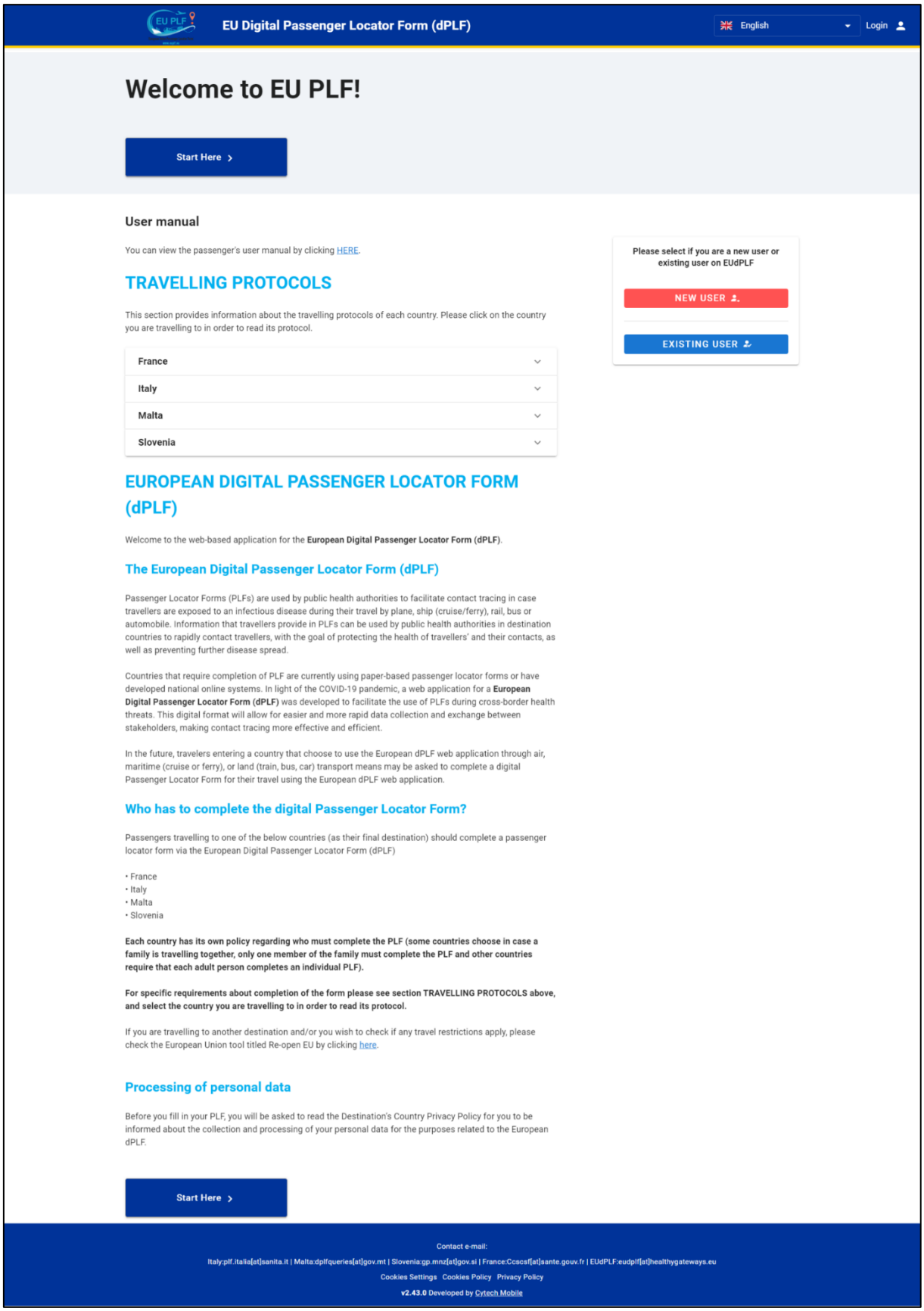
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Welcome to EU PLF!
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The European Digital Passenger Locator Form (dPLF)
Passenger Locator Forms (PLFs) are used by public health authorities to facilitate contact tracing in case travellers are exposed to an infectious disease during their travel by plane, ship (cruise/ferry), rail, bus or automobile. Information that travellers provide in PLFs can be used by public health authorities in destination countries to rapidly contact travellers, with the goal of protecting the health of travellers' and their contacts, as well as preventing further disease spread.
Countries that require completion of PLF are currently using paper-based passenger locator forms or have developed national online systems. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, a web application for a European Digital Passenger Locator Form (dPLF) was developed to facilitate the use of PLFs during cross-border health threats. This digital format will allow for easier and more rapid data collection and exchange between stakeholders, making contact tracing more effective and efficient.
In the future, travelers entering a country that choose to use the European dPLF web application through air, maritime (cruise or ferry), or land (train, bus, car) transport means may be asked to complete a digital Passenger Locator Form for their travel using the European dPLF web application.
Who has to complete the digital Passenger Locator Form?
Passengers travelling to one of the below countries (as their final destination) should complete a passenger locator form via the European Digital Passenger Locator Form (dPLF)
• France
• Italy
• Malta
• Slovenia
Each country has its own policy regarding who must complete the PLF (some countries choose in case a family is travelling together, only one member of the family must complete the PLF and other countries require that each adult person completes an individual PLF).
For specific requirements about completion of the form please see section TRAVELLING PROTOCOLS above, and select the country you are travelling to in order to read its protocol.
If you are travelling to another destination and/or you wish to check if any travel restrictions apply, please check the European Union tool titled Re-open EU by clicking here.
Processing of personal data
Before you fill in your PLF, you will be asked to read the Destination's Country Privacy Policy for you to be informed about the collection and processing of your personal data for the purposes related to the European dPLF.
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