

# Inn4Health

## Innovation for Health Platform

### FACTS

#### Programme

Interreg Baltic Sea Region

#### Call

Project platform 2<sup>nd</sup> call

#### Priority

Capacity for innovation

#### Objective

1.1. Research and innovation infrastructures

#### Deadline

31<sup>st</sup> January 2019

#### Budget

1.000.000 €

#### Duration

26 months

#### Projects committed

- BFCC
- BONEBANK
- BIC
- ProVaHealth

#### Project partners committed

- Life Science Nord (Lead Partner)
- ScanBalt
- University Medical Center Schleswig-Holstein
- Christian Albrechts Universität zu Kiel
- The Baltic Institute of Finland (PA Coordinator Innovation)
- Kaunas University of Technology
- Tartu Biotechnology Park
- Northern Dimension Partnership in Public Health and Social Well-being (PA Coordinator Health)

### SPECIFIC NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED BY Inn4Health

The urgency to bring new products to the market, to use new technology and to establish new processes is increasing rather than decreasing.

Innovations must provide solutions to unsolved medical issues and an aging society. The biggest challenges faced by all healthcare players are the ever increasing demands that must be met before entering the market. All the projects involved are working on very different areas (e.g. orthopaedics, ophthalmology) and partial solutions (e.g. data base, molecular analyses) in order to pave the way for innovations in the health sector.

It is the common need of all partners to increase the speed and efficiency of the innovation process and to establish sustainable links between experts to secure knowledge exchange. By defining innovation barriers and success factors from all projects through an intensive exchange of knowledge, Inn4Health will ensure transmissibility to other projects and further stakeholders. Furthermore, the goal is to identify common strategic fields for future innovation measures and cooperation.

Inn4Health offers a unique opportunity to merge competences and knowledge within the innovation value chain that will lead to an increased innovation speed and quality in the region. Through Inn4Health the results of the involved projects will be provided to other projects and healthcare players. The synthesis will feed into a roadmap with best approaches to overcome innovation barriers to support an aligned strategy in the Baltic Sea Region.

