

# DARWIN EU® - Population demographics and disease frequency across the DARWIN EU® network

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Study

Ongoing

## Administrative details

### EU PAS number

EUPAS1000000962

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### Study ID

1000000962

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### DARWIN EU® study

No

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### Study countries

 Belgium

 Croatia

 Estonia

 France

-  Germany
  -  Greece
  -  Hungary
  -  Netherlands
  -  Norway
  -  Portugal
  -  Spain
  -  Sweden
  -  United Kingdom
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### **Study description**

The DARWIN EU® network consists of heterogeneous real-world data sources with varying population characteristics, which may affect study feasibility, analytical approaches, and the interpretation and generalisability of results. Understanding clinical heterogeneity is important when conducting studies in the network.

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### **Study status**

Ongoing

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Primary lead investigator

## Study timelines

### **Date when funding contract was signed**

Actual: 12/12/2025

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### **Study start date**

Actual: 13/02/2026

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### **Date of final study report**

Planned: 11/09/2026

## Study protocol

[DARWIN\\_EU\\_Protocol\\_P4-C3-006\\_P4-C2-019\\_P4-C2-020\\_V3.0.pdf](#) (2.47 MB)

## Regulatory

### **Was the study required by a regulatory body?**

Yes

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### **Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?**

Not applicable

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

### Study type list

**Study topic:**

Disease /health condition

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**Study topic, other:**

Demographics, disease frequency

**Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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**Scope of the study:**

Disease epidemiology

**Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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## Study Design

**Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

## Data management

### ENCePP Seal

The use of the ENCePP Seal has been discontinued since February 2025. The ENCePP Seal fields are retained in the display mode for transparency but are no longer maintained.

## Data sources

## **Data source(s)**

IQVIA Disease Analyzer Germany

IQVIA Longitudinal Patient Data - Belgium

Integrated Primary Care Information (IPCI)

Clinical Practice Research Datalink (CPRD) GOLD

Norwegian Linked Health registry at University of Oslo

BIFAP - Base de Datos para la Investigación Farmacoepidemiológica en el  
Ámbito Público (Pharmacoepidemiological Research Database for Public Health  
Systems)

Health Data Research Platform of the Balearic Islands (PRISIB)

The Information System for Research in Primary Care (SIDIAP)

The Valencia Health System Integrated Database

Health Impact - Swedish Population Evidence Enabling Data-linkage

IATROS

Papageorgiou General Hospital Database

Semmelweis University Clinical Data

Egas Moniz Database

Croatia National Public Health Information System (Nacionalni javnozdravstveni  
informacijski sustav)

InGef Research Database

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## **Data source(s), other**

EMDB-ULSGE

ULSM-RT

EMDB-ULSEDV

# Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

## **CDM mapping**

Yes

## CDM Mappings

### CDM name

OMOP

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### CDM website

<https://www.ohdsi.org/Data-standardization/>

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### CDM version

<https://ohdsi.github.io/CommonDataModel/index.html>

## Data quality specifications

### Check conformance

Unknown

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### Check completeness

Unknown

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### Check stability

Unknown

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### Check logical consistency

Unknown

## Data characterisation

## **Data characterisation conducted**

Unknown