

A hospital without borders between Lower Austria and South Bohemia

Giving healthcare to patients of a vivid European region

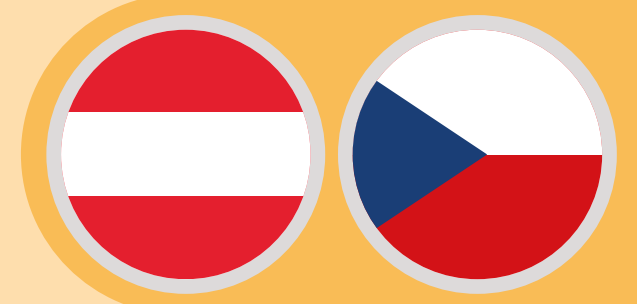


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Cross-border projects break down barriers and create more equal opportunities regarding access to health facilities. This is how we create real added value for the people through the Interreg programmes. Health without borders is no longer a hollow phrase, but a reality

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Ludwig Schleritzko
Minister of Finance and State Hospitals
of the State Government of Lower Austria



Objectives:

- Improve healthcare services for citizens living at the Austrian-Czech border
- Ensure equal access to a quality hospital for citizens close to their home
- Put the true spirit of European cooperation into practice

Impact on local community:

- Creating a medically integrated transnational region
- The opening of the cross-border hospital "Healthacross Health Centre" in October 2021 improved the quality of life of citizens
- The hospital embodies the striving for an ever-closer European Union as it is built on the border between Gmünd and České Velenice, a city formerly divided by the iron curtain

The Healthacross Health Centre is set to serve 6000 cross-border patients



Both Austrian and Czech doctors can treat Austrian and Czech patients

All staff speak both Czech and German



Funding:

- € 369,448.53 from cohesion policy (ERDF), through support of the Austrian-Czech Interreg programme

Find out more:

<https://www.healthacross.at/en/>

