

Using health concerns to build more sustainable transport policy

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EU policy frameworks on transport

HEAL has provided health input into the following:

- **Eurovignette Directive III**
- **EU Tire Standards** (Regulation on tire approval requirements for the general safety of motor vehicles)
- Delay in revision of **National Emissions Ceilings (NEC) Directive**
- Upcoming revision of **Noise Directive**
- **Thematic Strategy on Air Pollution and Directive on Ambient Air Quality and Cleaner Air for Europe** :
 - Member States' applications for derogations should consider health first
 - CEHAPE commitments in EU legislation



Know Your Air for Health project

www.knowyourairforhealth.eu



- In partnership with the **European Federation of Allergy and Airway Diseases Patients Association (EFA)**
- Provides **EU air pollution forecasting** to those with breathing problems (eg pollen, UV, extreme weather etc.)
- Shows how **EU policy on air quality can affect the health community**



Developing tools for doctors

Outdoor air pollution & respiratory health

- Targets adult patients and children
- Partners - European Lung Foundation & European Respiratory Society
- Links transport, health and environment



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Thank you

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