

VASCern

*The European Network on
Rare Multisystemic Vascular Diseases*

**MEMBERS
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WORKING GROUPS**

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HCP Member Applicants

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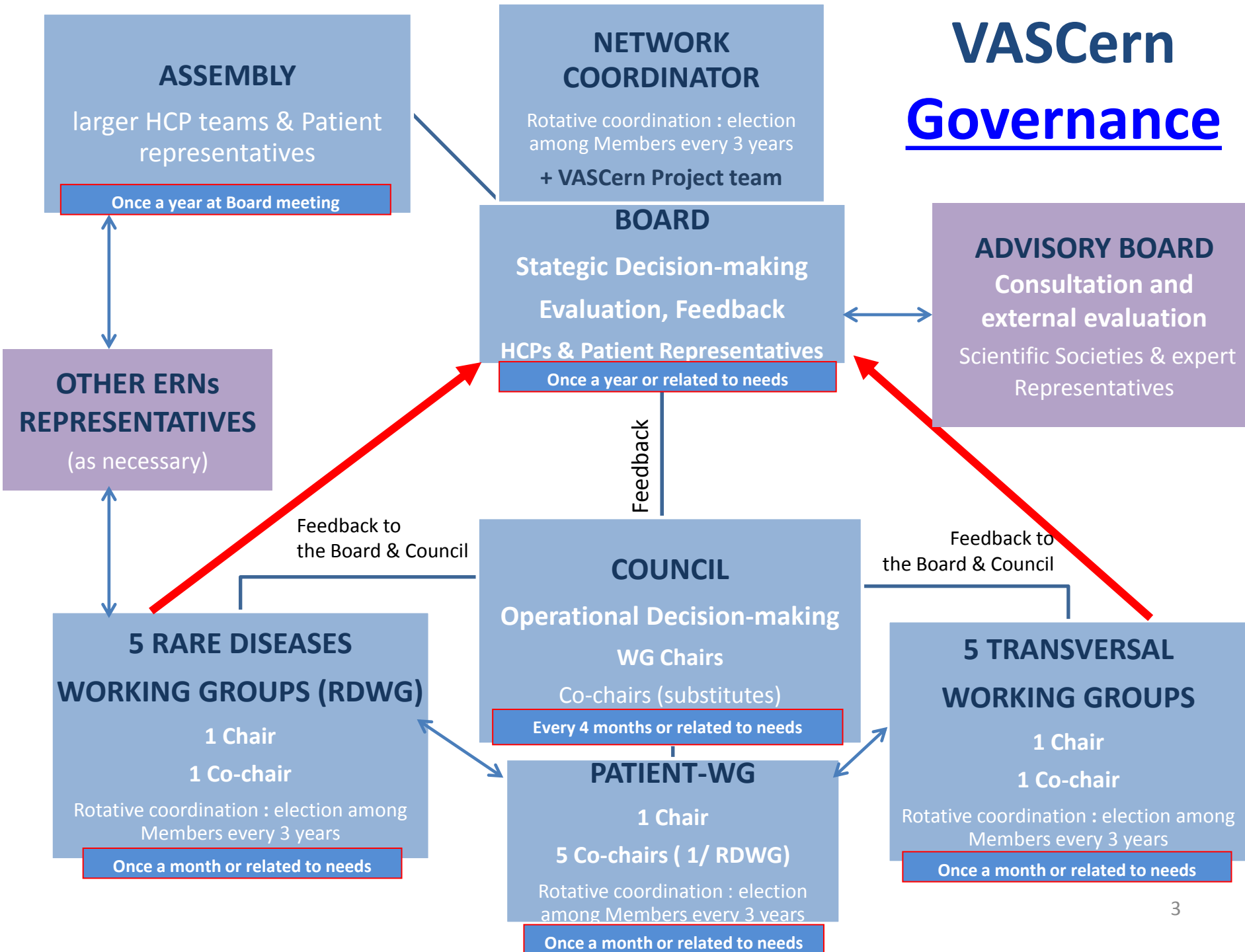
31 Healthcare Providers...

... from **11 European Union Member States**

(Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, United Kingdom, Sweden)

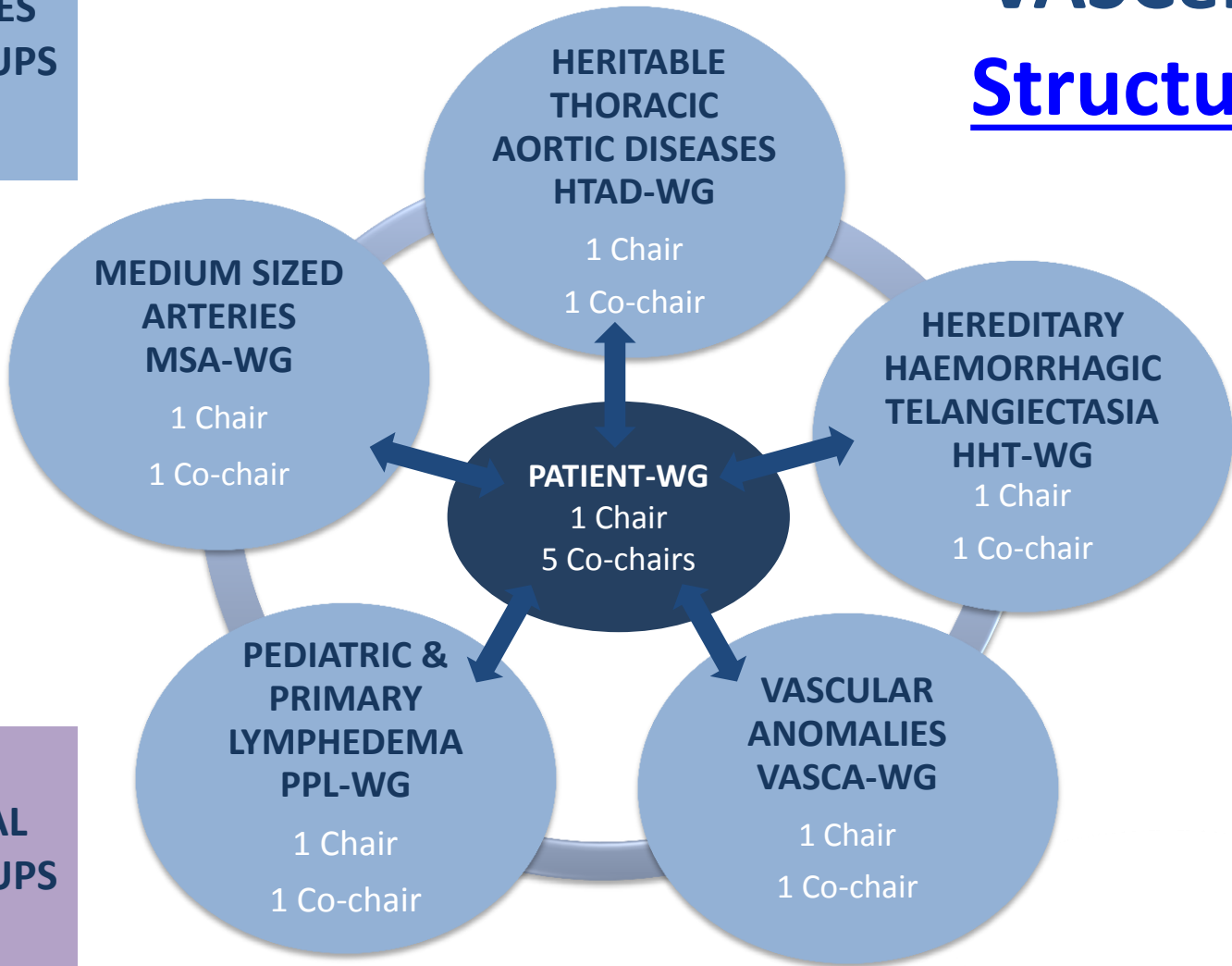
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VASCern Governance



VASCern Structure

**5 RARE DISEASES
WORKING GROUPS
(RDWG)**



**5 TRANSVERSAL
WORKING GROUPS**

Communication

1 Chair
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eHealth

1 Chair
1 Co-chair

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1 Chair
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**Patient
Registry**

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1 Co-chair

**Training &
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Patient-WG

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Hereditary Haemorrhagic Telangiectasia HHT-WG

Rare Diseases

HHT - Hereditary Haemorrhagic Telangiectasia

8 HCP Members

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Heritable Thoracic Aortic Diseases

HTAD-WG

Rare Diseases

Marfan Syndrome type 1 and 2, Loeys Dietz Syndromes 1-6, Aneurysm Osteoarthritis Syndrome, Arterial tortuosity syndrome, Multisystemic Smooth Muscle Cell Dysplasia syndrome, Familial thoracic Aortic Aneurysms Dissections (FTAA(D)) with mutations in FBN1, TGFB2, TGFB3, SMAD2, SMAD3, TGFBR1, TGFBR2, ACTA2, MYH11, MYLK, PRKG1, FOXE3, MAT2A, MFAP5, Familial Aortic Aneurysms Dissections (FAAD), familial forms of bicuspid aortic valve with aortopathy, FBLN4 related cutis laxa, filaminopathies

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Medium Sized Arteries

MSA-WG

Rare Diseases

Vascular Ehlers Danlos Syndrome

To be expanded to: Takayasu disease, Thromboarteritiis obliterans (also called Buerger arteritis), arterial fibromuscular dysplasia

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Pediatric and Primary Lymphedema

PPL-WG

Rare Diseases

Lymphedema; Congenital Lymphedema: Milroy syndrome; Late onset lymphedema: Meige syndrome, Lymphedema distichiasis syndrome, Emberger syndrome; Lymphedema with systemic involvement: Hennekam syndrome, PIEZO1 related lymphatic dysplasia, Generalised lymphatic dysplasia, Multi-systemic lymphedema with systemic involvement; Syndromes associated with lymphedema: Noonan/CFC syndrome (RASopathies), Turner syndrome, 22q13 microdeletion, Microcephaly with or without Chorioretinopathy, Lymphedema and Mental Retardation

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Vascular Anomalies

VASCA-WG

Rare Diseases

venous malformation, cutaneo-mucosal venous malformation, Blue Rubber Bleb Nevus syndrome, lymphatic malformation, capillary malformation, arteriovenous malformation, diffuse capillary malformation with hypertrophy, capillary malformation-arteriovenous malformation, capillary-venous malformation, Parkes-Weber syndrome, Sturge-Weber syndrome, glomuvenous malformation, capillaro-lymphatic-venous malformation, Maffucci syndrome, CLOVES syndrome, Proteus syndrome, Macrocephaly-capillary malformation, Cutis Marmorata Telangiectatica Congenital, PTEN hamartoma tumor syndrome, cerebral cavernous malformation with or without hyperkeratotic cutaneous capillary-venous malformations, verrucous venous malformation, hereditary haemorrhagic telangiectasias, generalized lymphatic anomaly, Gorham-Stout syndrome, infantile hemangioma, rapidly involuting congenital hemangioma, non-involuting congenital hemangioma, etc.

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