

### **Project CITIZEN CARE.**

#### **European Territorial Cooperation Programme "Greece-Italy 2007 - 2013"**

#### **Scientific and technical meeting on 8th September at the Hospital of Filiates in Epirus, Greece**

On September 8th, at the Filiates hospital, there was another technical and scientific meeting attended by representatives of the Polyclinic of Bari, the Director General Dr. Vitangelo Dattoli, Prof. Loreto Gesualdo Director of the Unit of Nephrology, Prof. Antonio Moschetta Unit of Internal Medicine, Dr. Giacomo De Vito Energy Manager, project RUP, Dr. Claudio Forte Director of Technical Management; Hospital of Filiates Derdemezis Mr. Spiros, Managing Director, Dr. Kokoras Konstantinos, Head of Technical Department, Dr. Kontou Petroula, Director of Nursing, Dr. Christine Oikomidou, Administrative Director, the KTYP SA Building Infrastructure in Athens (Lead Partner), the Project Officer of MC Filiates of Ing. Davri Areti, the technical manager of KTYP SA Ing. Agathos; the Joint Technical Secretariat of the European Territorial Cooperation Programme "Greece-Italy" 2007-2013 the Coordinator Dr. Alessandro Salvatore Napoli.

During the meeting it took note of the state of progress of the project and the actions to be done for its closure. The occasion allowed a fruitful exchange of experiences and views up to the decision to draw up a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to formalize the common impressions and desire to cooperate, in short have been defined themes, technical, organizational and governance, sustainability of healthcare system, infrastructural and scientific, to allow collaboration on specific technical and scientific activities for:

- encourage cooperation by sharing of culture and experience on health facilities and equipment that use new technologies (broadband, cloud computing, etc.), to study and to implement new paradigms of cooperation between specialists;
- speed up the process of innovation and modernization aimed at the cooperation and collaboration and to identify different specializations for each partner so as not to duplicate efforts, resulting in Centers which are complementary and easily accessible by all partners involved;
- support the creation of Centers that using telemedicine-based services: teleradiology, telecardiology, telenephrology;
- address the problem connected and very interesting, the use of surgical robots remotely with Centers of excellence;
- promote the creation of a Center with medical personnel, administrative and technical staff of more countries, and to share its services by the use of new technologies in the processes of diagnosis and therapy, optimizing structures and concentrating excellence;
- create structures with "energy efficiency", by actions of programming, planning, design and implementation of systems to enable that, the same services, consume less energy and resources, while maintaining service levels constant.