

# OECl symposium

**Do quality programmes make our patients feel better and healthier?**

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# OEI main objective

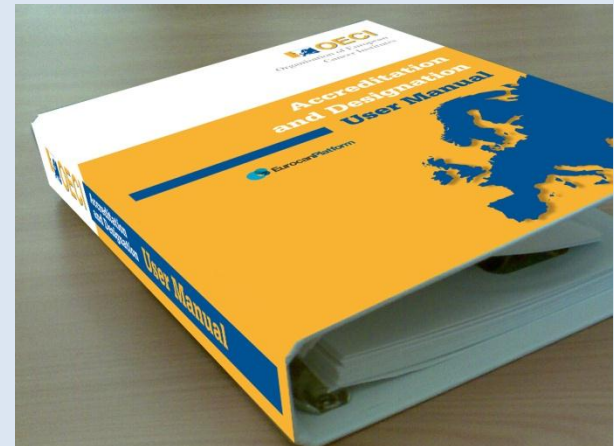
To contribute to the reduction of mortality and morbidity from cancer throughout Europe by improving quality of care to cancer patients by increasing the quality of the available infrastructures

# OECI Accreditation program :The basics

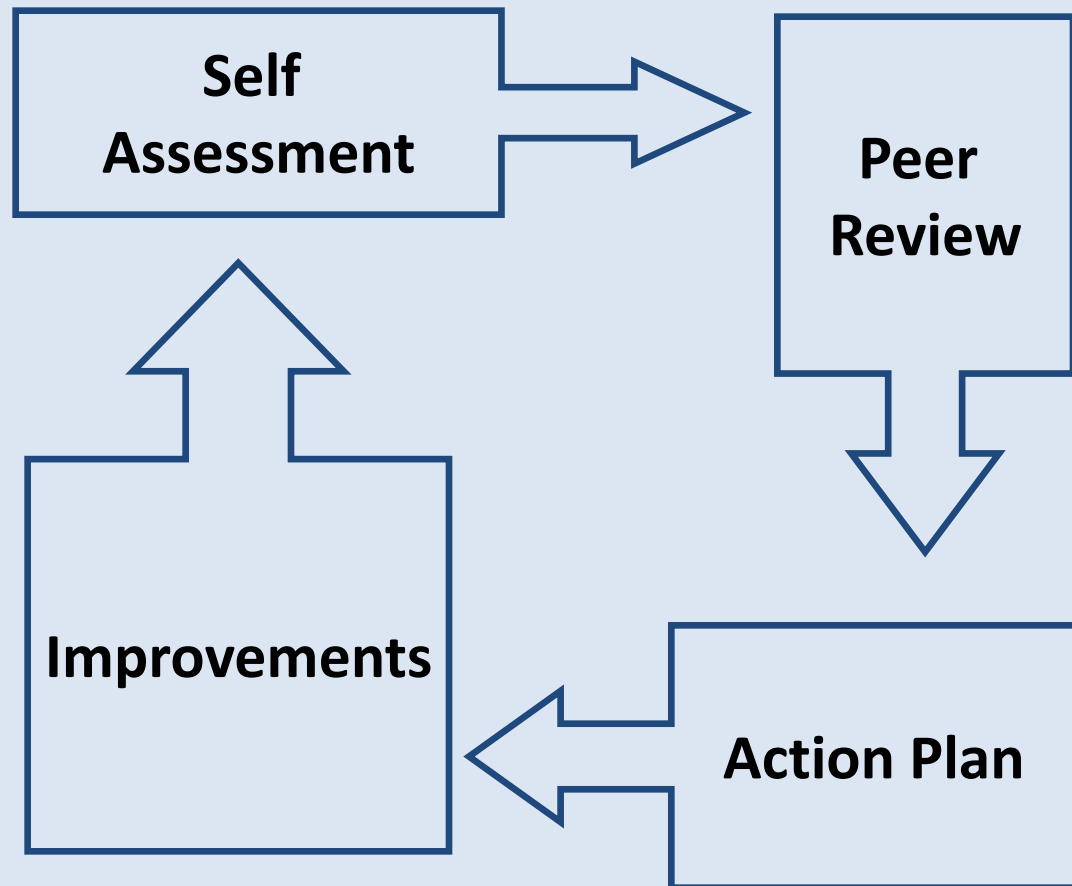
To promote quality and safety in European cancer institutions,  
referring to a common set of standards,  
using a tool based on self evaluation and peer  
reviews methodology,  
especially designed for cancer centers

# OECD Accreditation Process

- Screening and structuring your own organization
- Objective and independent external peer review



# OECD Accreditation: The implementation



# The OECl self assessment tool

## ■ Qualitative Questionnaire – 64 standards

1. General standards on strategic plan and general management (26)
2. Screening, primary prevention and health education (5)
3. Care (10)
4. Research, innovation and development (14)
5. Teaching and continuing education (3)
6. Patient involvement (6)

## ■ Quantitative Questionnaire

# Institut Jules Bordet:

## 5 good reasons to go through it

1. Setting a permanent quality management dynamic
2. Getting an actualized picture of the institution
3. Identifying needs and areas for improvement and prioritize them
4. Developing a European vision & visibility
5. Strengthening the team spirit by involving the teams and individuals in an integrated quality improvement project



# Questions

- How to measure the impact? What type of indicators? In cancer care? In cancer research?
- How to define relevant quality standards?
- What are the domains not yet covered by existing quality programmes?

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- How to integrate different existing quality programmes?
- How to build a quality improvement system aiming to reduce inequalities of outcome throughout Europe?
- Is the designation as a cancer centre of excellence an end in itself or the good way to improve patients' outcome?

**Thank you for your attention**