

**Partner Search Form**  
**Horizon 2020**  
**Health, demographic change and wellbeing**



Date

Deadline

**CONTACT**

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<b>Country</b>	France		

**Organisation type**

<b>Research organisation type</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research Organisation	<b>Is your company a Small and Medium Sized Enterprise (SME*)?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
	<input type="checkbox"/> University		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Company		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other		
		<b>Number of employees:</b>	

Your enterprise is an SME if:  
 - it is engaged in **economic activity**  
 - it has **less than 250 employees**  
 - it has either an **annual turnover not exceeding €50M, or an balance sheet total not exceeding €43M**  
 - it is **autonomous**  
 For the definition of SMEs, look at: [http://ec.europa.eu/growth/smes/business-friendly-environment/sme-definition\\_en](http://ec.europa.eu/growth/smes/business-friendly-environment/sme-definition_en)

**Short introduction of key areas of institute’s research:**

The University Hospital of Montpellier is the 7th largest hospital in France. The Montpellier University Hospital has set up a clinical pathway for people suspected of being infected with SARV-CoV-2 because of signs compatible with pneumonia (screening criteria in France during the study period). This includes an emergency department, an infectious disease department dedicated to the surveillance of infected people requiring hospital treatment, and an intensive care unit for the most severe cases. The diagnosis of infection with SARV-CoV-2 was confirmed in approximately 20% of people initially referred in this special care system. A total of 650 patients were included in the cohort (NCT04347850).

The main objective of this cohort is the collection of clinical data and biological samples from care for non-interventional research on the patients with a possible or confirmed SARS-CoV-2 infection, from diagnosis to long-term follow-up.

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**Former participation in an FP European project?**

YES     NO

**Project title / Acronym:**

**Activities performed:**

**Expertise / Commitment offered**

**Description of your expertise:**

My expertise is mainly on host-virus interplays in blood and mucosal compartments during infections and in laboratory methods used for the diagnosis and monitoring of infections.

**Keywords specifying your expertise:**

Virology; Immune-response to infectious diseases, diagnosis in vulnerable and hard to reach populations; biobanking.

**Commitment offered:**

Research     Demonstration     Training  
 Technology     Dissemination     Other:

**Interested in participation in project types:**

Research & Innovation Action     Innovation Action     SME Instrument

**Work Programme research areas: indicate your interest**

B cell response, T cell response, Cytometry, Multiplex assays, Dried Blood Spot

**Call topic(s):**

[SC1-PHE-CORONAVIRUS-2020-2D - Pan-European COVID-19 cohorts]

[SC1-PHE-CORONAVIRUS-2020-2E - Networking of existing EU and international cohorts of relevance to COVID-19]

**Do you have other partners for this topic (which partners/country)?**

No

**Profile of partner sought**

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<b>Role</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> technology development	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> research	<input type="checkbox"/> training
	<input type="checkbox"/> dissemination	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> demonstration	<input type="checkbox"/> other _____
<b>Country /region</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>Expertise required</b>	Automation, production of in vitro diagnosis assays,		

**I agree with the publication of this document and my contact data:**  YES  NO