

# The Austrian Public Health Institute and its role in the I-CCC

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# Agenda

1. The Austrian Public Health Institute (GÖG)
2. The Austrian Dementia Strategy
3. GÖG and the I-CCC

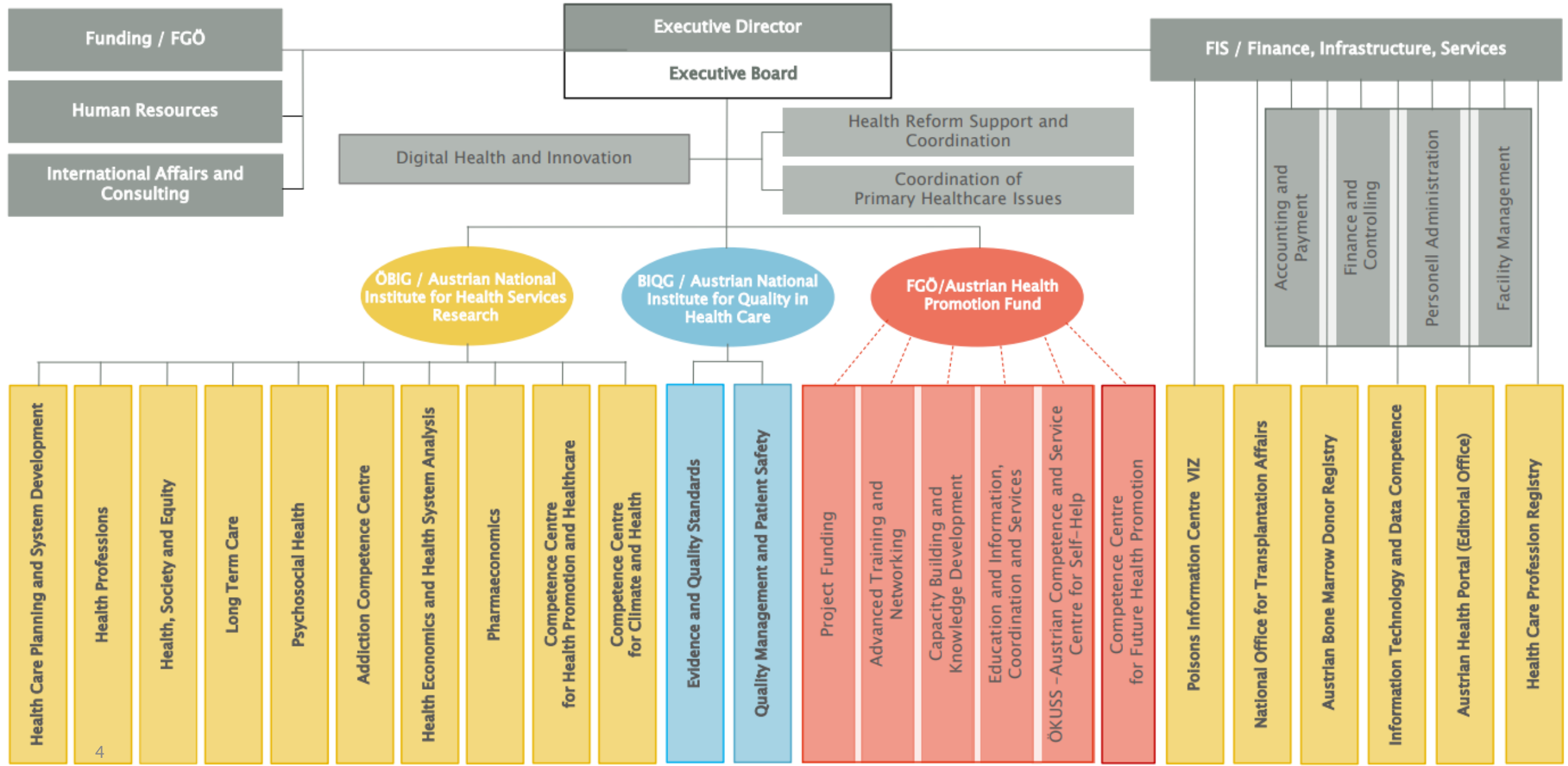


# The Austrian Public Health Institute

- Responsible for researching and planning public healthcare in Austria
- National competence and funding centre for the promotion of health
- Owned by the Republic of Austria
- Three business units
  - ÖBIG: analyse data, provide comprehensive information, facilitate reform and innovation processes
  - BIQG: develop standards, maintain registries, evaluate quality of healthcare interventions
  - FGÖ: granting financial assistance and offering guidance for health promotion
- Subsidiaries
  - GÖ FP: non-commercial projects
  - GÖ B: commercial projects

# Organizational Chart of GÖG

Austrian National Public Health Institut



Health Care Planning and System Development

Health Professions

Health, Society and Equity

Long Term Care

Psychosocial Health

Addiction Competence Centre

Health Economics and Health System Analysis

Pharmaeconomics

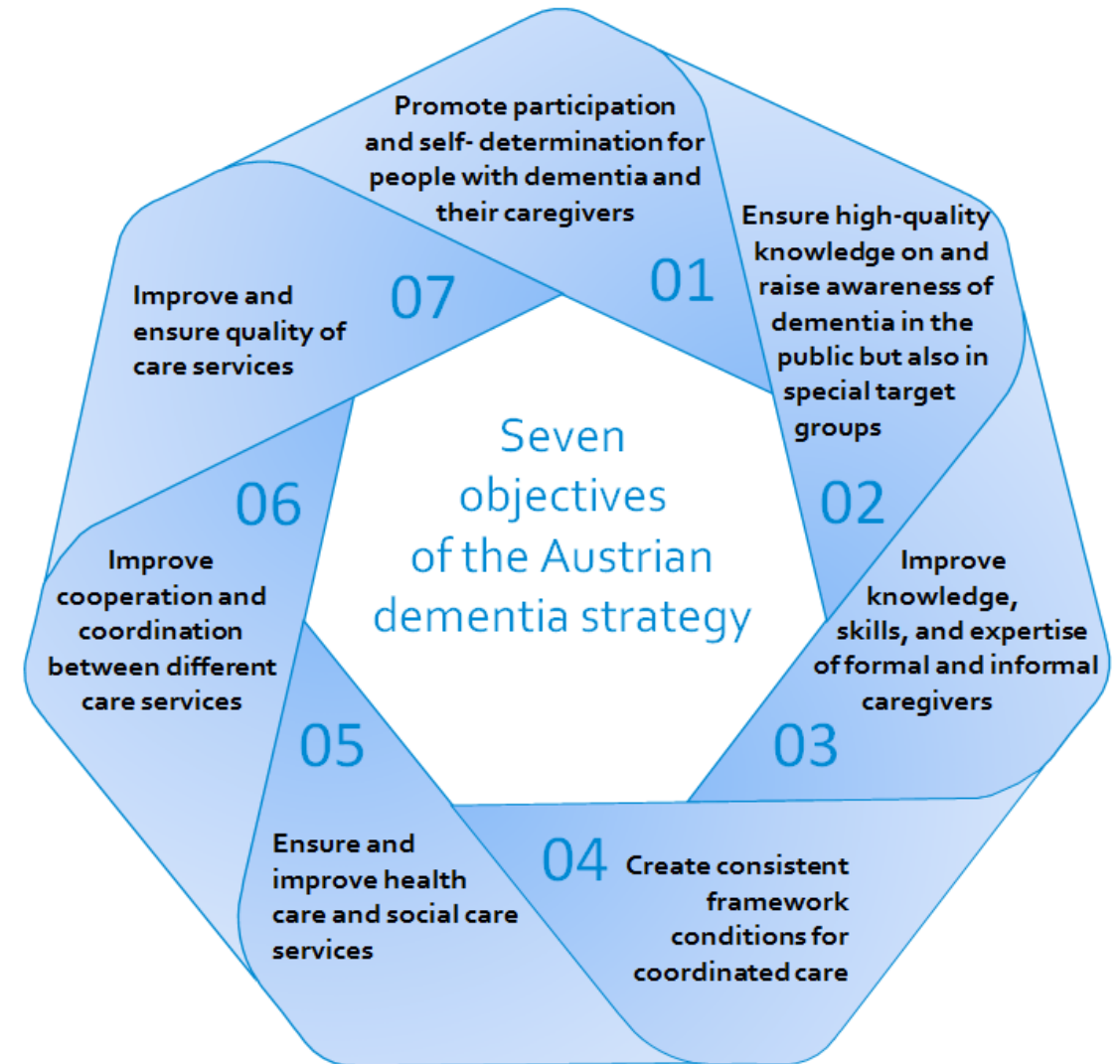
Competence Centre  
for Health Promotion and Healthcare

Competence Centre  
for Climate and Health

- National Care Reform
- National Dementia Strategy
- Nursing staff demand forecasts and monitoring
- Information Platform on Care related issues
- I-CCC
- Community Nursing
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# The Austrian Dementia Strategy

- Developed in 2015 with all relevant stakeholders
- Main goal → Creating a common orientational framework for a goal-oriented co-operation between all stakeholders and decision makers (state, federal states, community, social insurance, care organizations)
- Coordination group (4x/year) for exchange of experiences
- Advocating and lobbying





# Examples of implementation I

- Guidelines
  - for hospitals
  - for public transport organisations
  - for nursing homes
  - for good practice for media reporting
- Initiatives
  - Dementiafriendly pharmacies
  - Dementiafriendly libraries
  - Trainings for police officers
- Umbrella organisation of self-help groups



# Examples of implementation II

- Legal measures
  - financial support
  - support for informal caregivers (home visits, psychological support)
- Web-based measures
  - [www.pflege.gv.at](http://www.pflege.gv.at)
  - [www.demenzstrategie.at](http://www.demenzstrategie.at)
- Medical guideline for integrated care
- Overview: Services for family carers of people with dementia



# The I-CCC

2021

- Needs-Assessment in Vienna & Hartberg
- Stakeholdermeetings in Vienna & Hartberg
- Exploring possibilities for financial sustainability

2022

- Supporting the advocacy plan
- Evaluation of preventive home visits in Hartberg (1)



# Evaluation of preventive home visits in Hartberg

- Evaluation after 6 months → adjustments
- Evaluation after 18 months → recommendations for permanent provision
- Scheduled start in Nov 2021 → actual start in January 2022
- 4 visits by now
- Methods → group interviews, document analysis