



EU funding for OHS interventions

The Planning and Priorities Co-ordination Division (PPCD) within the Ministry of European Affairs and Implementation of the Electoral Manifesto (MEAIM), has recently announced the launch of a call for project proposals under Operational Programme II – Cohesion Policy 2014 – 2020.

This call will close on **Friday 15th April 2016, at noon** and will contribute to the priority axis and investment priorities listed below:

Priority Axis 2 - 'Towards a more inclusive society'

- *Investment priority (IP) 9i - Active inclusion, including with a view to promoting equal opportunities and active participation, and improving employability and*
- *Investment priority (IP) 9iv - Enhancing access to affordable, sustainable and high quality services, including health care and social services of general interest.*

Interventions under this axis are open to Ministries, Government Departments, Central Government Authorities and the Public Sector Companies, Local Councils, NGOs, Social Partners and Voluntary Organisations.

Actions to target occupational health and safety improvements may be eligible, within the established criteria accompanying this call.

While the management of the application process remains the remit of the PPCD, interested applicants may wish to contact OHS for advice, particularly on a more OHS technical and legal nature.

Further details about this call may be obtained from PPCD's website: <http://eufunds.gov.mt/opencalls> (PPCD section).

For information on specific OHS issues, interested parties may contact the Occupational Health and Safety Authority during office hours (7.30 am – 12.30 pm, 1.00 pm - 4.45 pm) as follows:

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While wishing all parties success in securing EU funding for their interventions, OHS welcomes all initiatives taken by Social Partners and other duty holders in the interest of OHS.

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