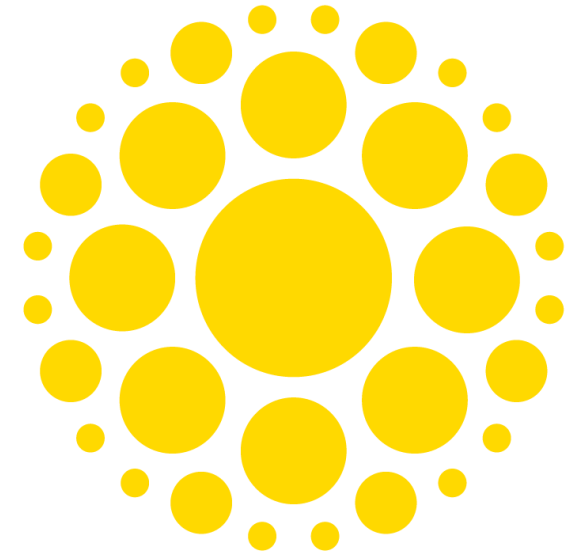


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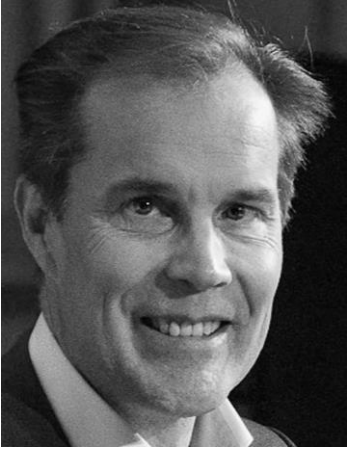
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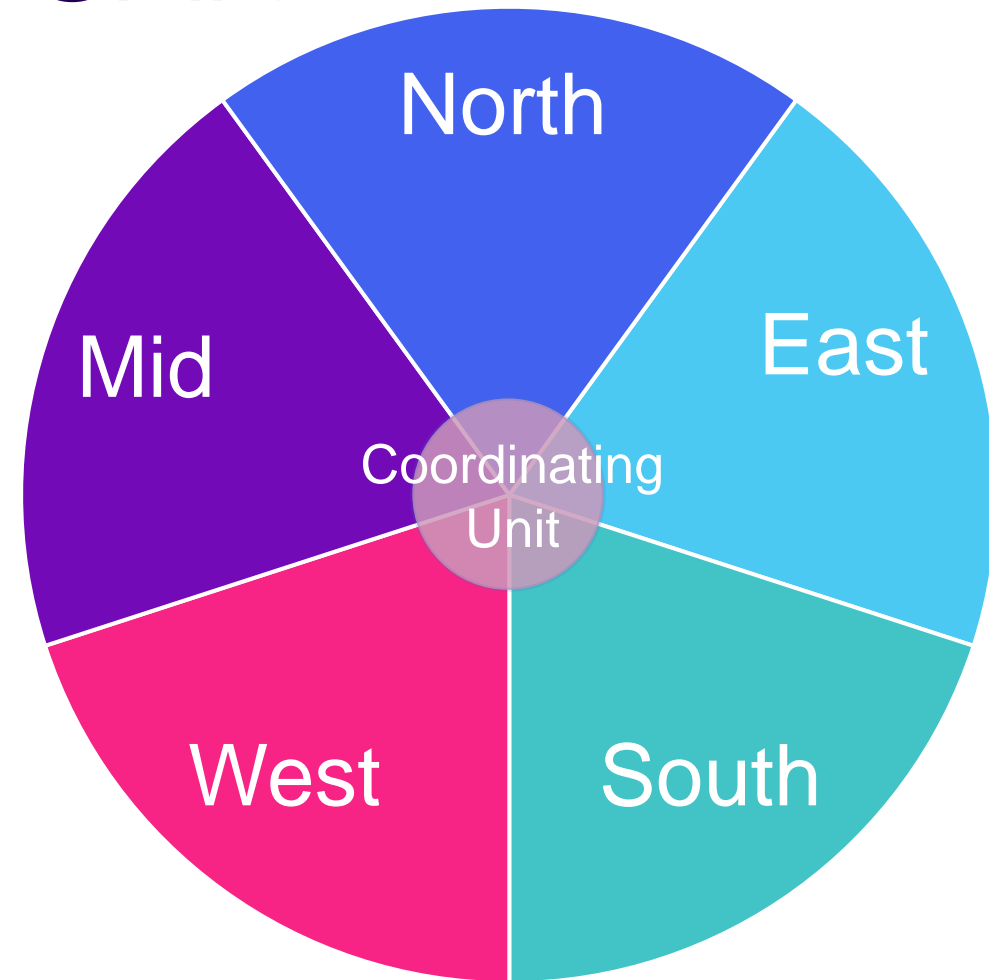
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- iCAN public-private partnership consortium
- FinnGen public-private consortium



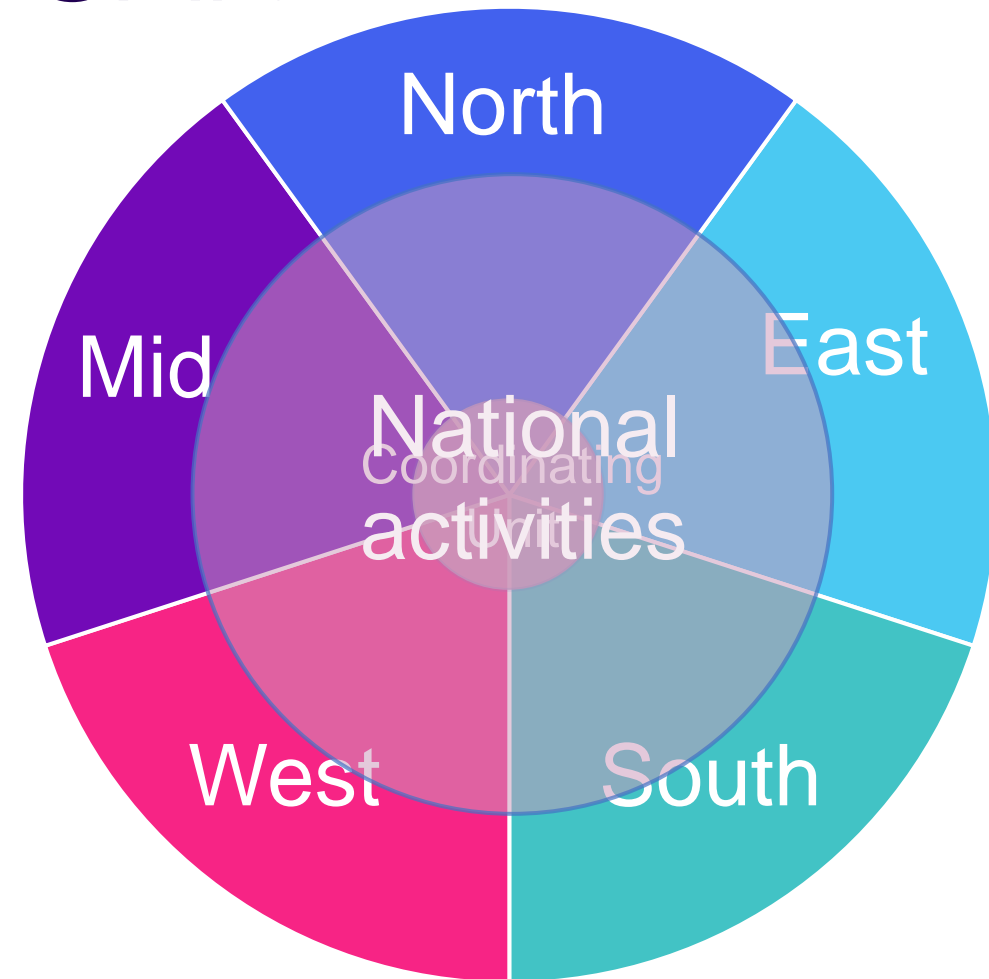
Finnish Cancer Center FICAN

- Mission to enable tomorrow's cancer care in Finland
- Established 2018-19
- A network of five regional centers with a coordinating unit
- Stakeholders include regional health care providers (18) and medical universities (5)



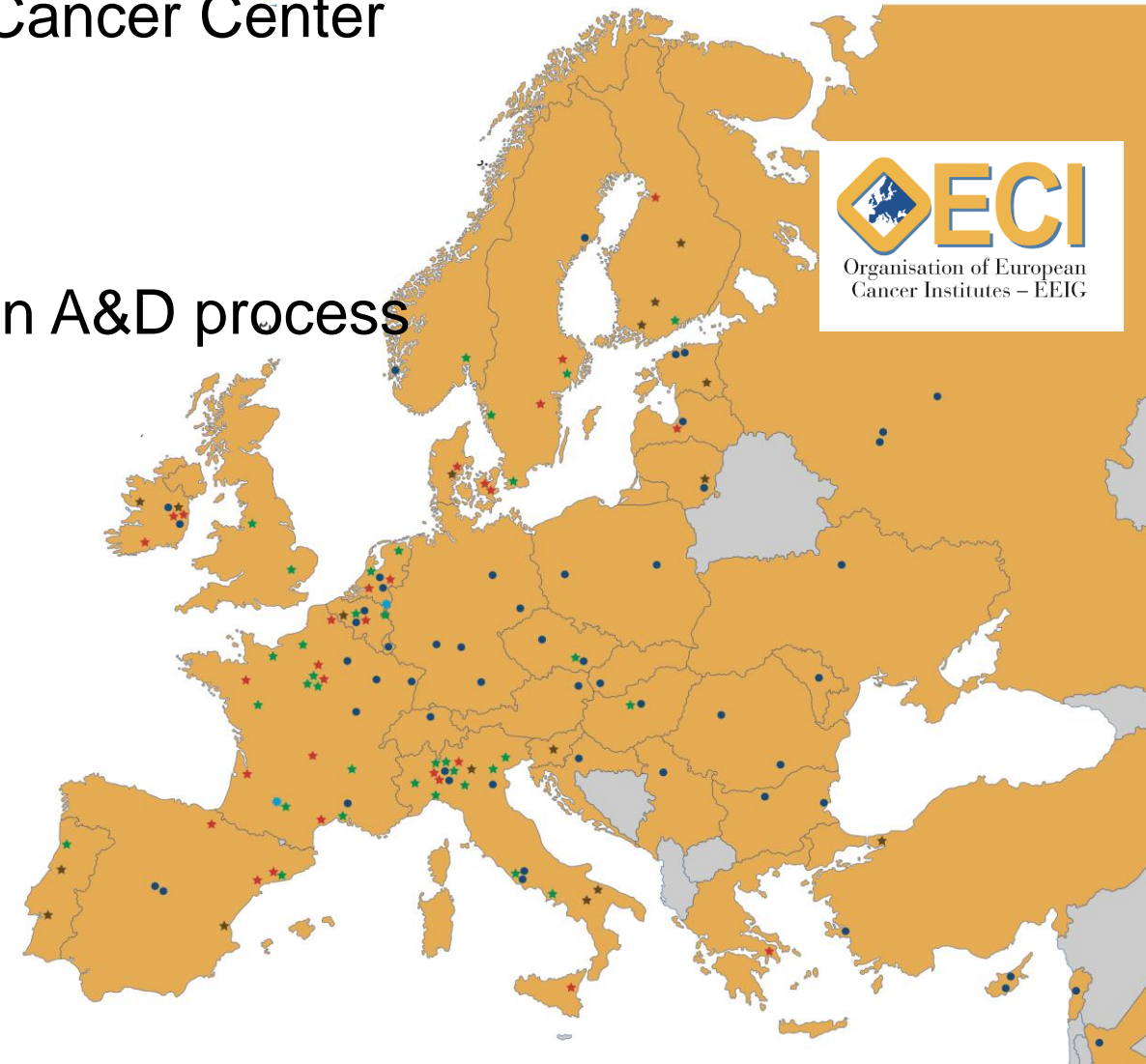
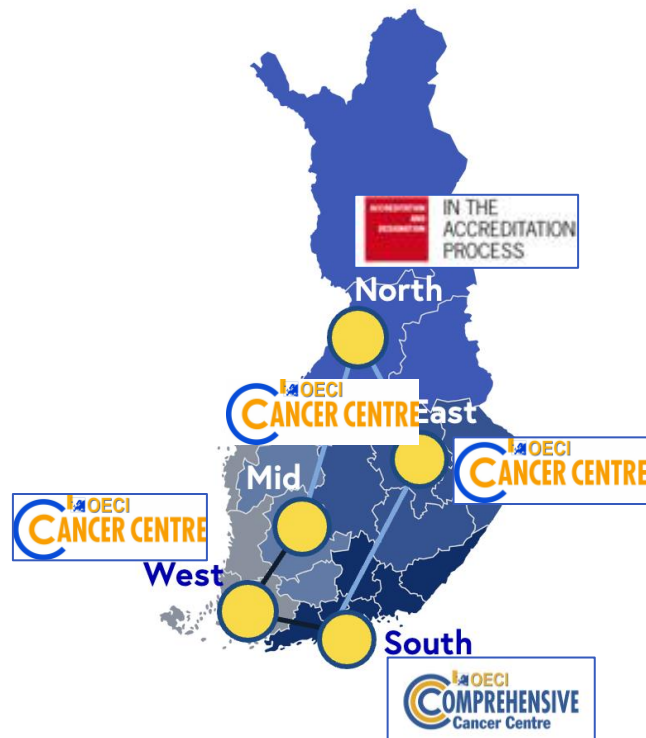
Finnish Cancer Center FICAN

- Mandated by legal decree to
 - Plan and align national activities in **prevention, diagnostics, treatment, and rehabilitation**
 - Ensure strong research base
- Coordinates and aligns regional and national activities



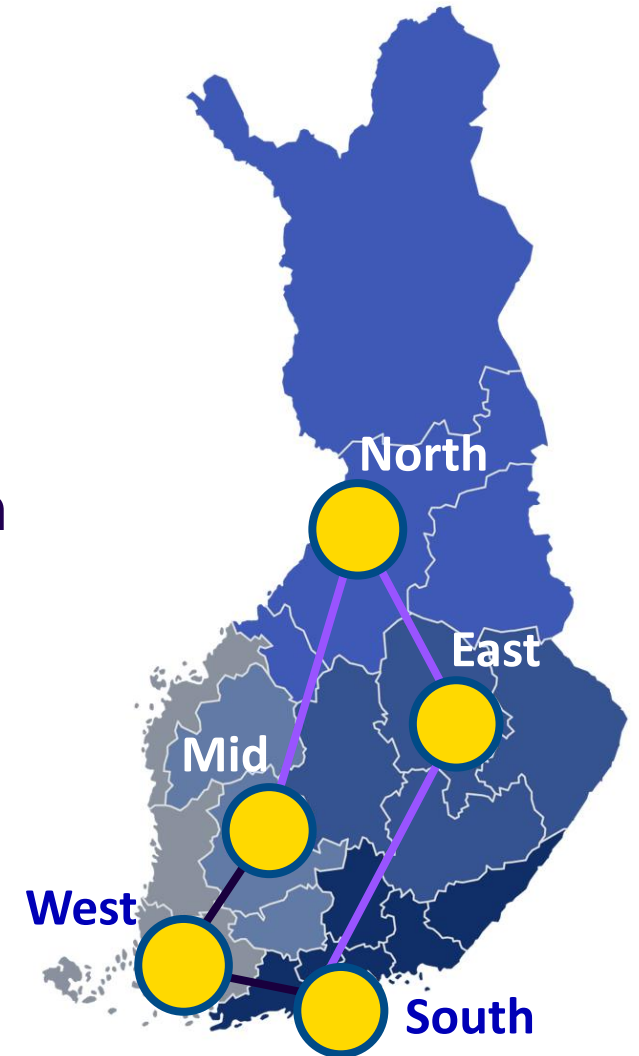
OECI CCCs and CCs as core of FICAN

- FICAN South: HUS Comprehensive Cancer Center
- FICAN West: TYKS Cancer Center
- FICAN Mid: TAYS Cancer Center
- FICAN East: KYS Cancer Center
- FICAN North: OYS Cancer Center - in A&D process



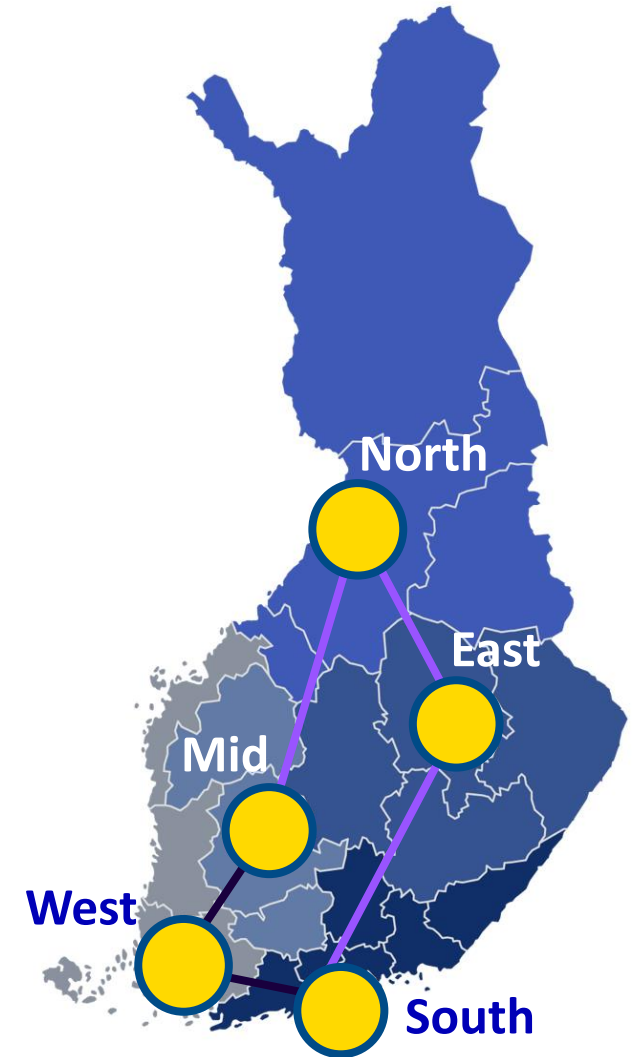
Added value

- National planning and guidance of screening programs
- Coordinating guidelines (e.g. CRC, Prostate cancer)
- Implementing European Beating Cancer Plan and Mission Cancer
 - ERN-EURACAN, PRIME-ROSE, PCM4EU, EOSC4 Cancer, ECHoS, UNCAN.eu
- Facilitating national precision cancer medicine research & research training projects
 - CancerIO, Finnprove, iCAN
 - iCANDOC Precision Cancer Medicine doctoral training pilot (38 M€ 2024-27)



Looking ahead

- Finnish Cancer Strategy by May 2025
- National Cancer Mission Hub Finland as part of European network
- Finnish Health RDI Program – FICAN one of national competence centers
- Quality registry for cancer
- Precision Cancer Medicine Program
- Contributing to OECl network development



Thank you!

