

#### **Comments**

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## Applying the framework in the Finnish context?

## Integrated systems like the Finnish social and health care system?

- In the Finnish context health care (incl. public health and health promotion), social services and elderly care as one entity → how we look at governance, financing, resource generation, service delivery
- How vertical and horizontal administrative integration can/should be taken into account in the HSPA framework?
- Adaptability to the context in which health care, social services and elderly care are integrated at system and organisational level?

### Evaluation of a large-scale system reform: can we use the framework to assess dynamic processes?

 In the Finnish reform we see changes in 1) governance and 2) financing and which aim at changes in 3) service delivery

## Objectives of the health and social services reform

- Reducing inequalities in health and wellbeing
- Safeguarding equal and quality health, social and rescue services for all
- Improving the availability and accessibility of services, especially primary-level services
- · Ensuring the availability of skilled labour
- Responding to the challenges of changes in society
- · Curbing the growth of costs
- · Improving security



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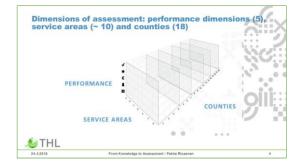
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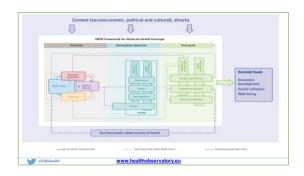
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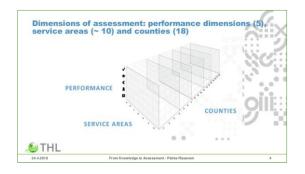
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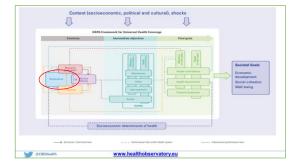
| Service areas to be<br>assessed                        | Quality and effectiveness | Access and availability | Costs of services<br>& production<br>efficiency | Customer<br>orientation |  |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|--|
| Welfare and health promotion                           |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Preventive services                                    |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Primary health care                                    |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Specialised medical care                               |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Services for children,<br>young people and<br>families |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Social services for older<br>people                    |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Mental health services                                 |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Substance abuse services                               |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Services for the disabled                              |                           |                         |   |                         |  |
| Social services for<br>working age people              |                           |                         |   |                         |  |

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# **Example: Assessing Governance**





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