

# Novartis approach to digital advocacy

**Brussels, December 2021** 



## We touch the lives of 800 millions people

Our purpose is to re-imagine medicine

Our strategy is to build a leading, focused medicines company powered by advanced therapy platforms and data science



155 countries

where Novartis products are sold



reached in total in 2020



16<sub>m</sub> patients

reached through access programs

## Meet the stakeholders!



- Initiate all legislative proposals
- Guardian of the EU Treaties, enforcing Member States adherence to EU rules

27 Commissioners; >30.000 staff



- Co-legislator
- Directly elected
- Representing EU population

705 members; 8.500 staff

#### **EU COUNCIL**



- Ministers representing Member States
- Rotating Presidency

27 members; 3.500 staff













## **Our ambition!**



Step up our social media presence in the EU policy sphere to further build our visibility and reputation among key EU stakeholders

### **Our pathway**

Build a **robust strategy** connecting both our traditional outreach with digital presence





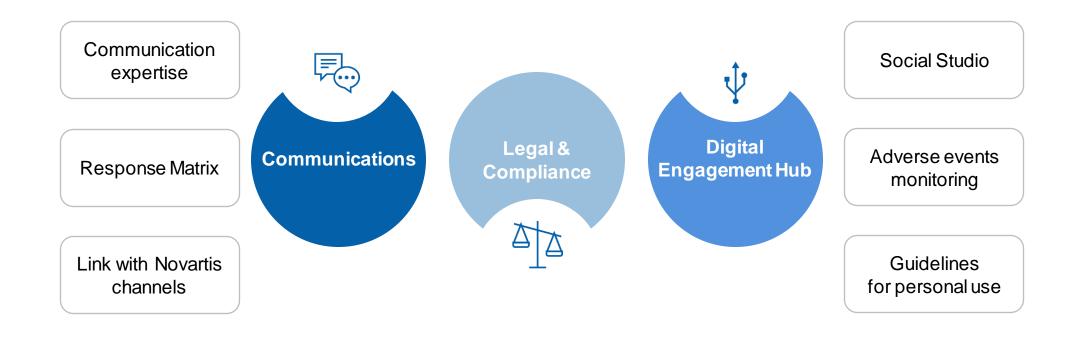




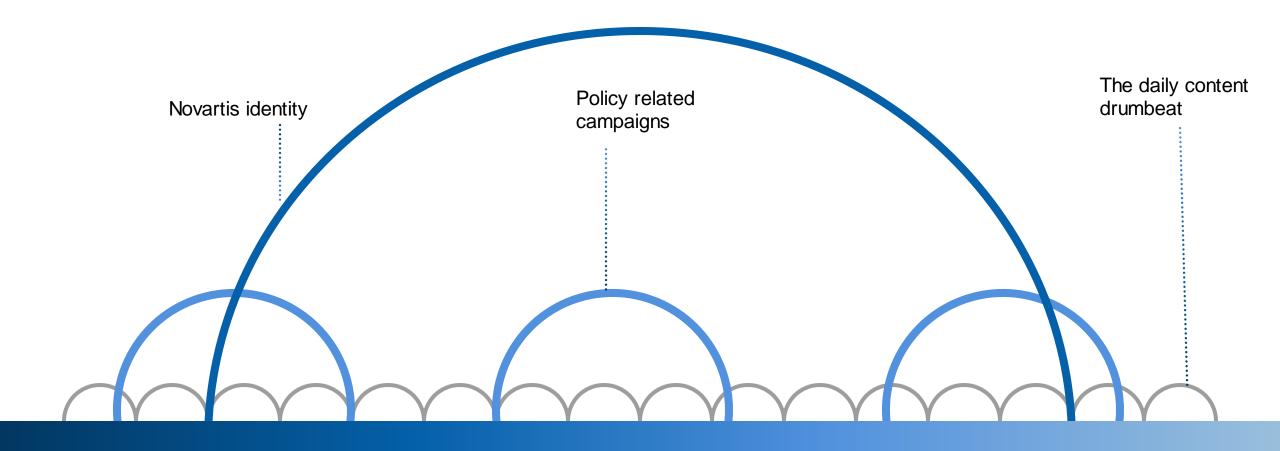


## **Building blocks and internal alignment**





## Content creation on digital identity and policy priorities



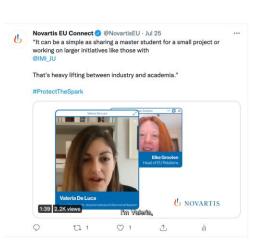
## **Results to date**

#### **Twitter**

- 1.5M impressions among health policy audience in Brussels across our policy campaigns
- 650k+ video views among health policy audience in Brussels across five mini-campaigns
- 50+ Engagements from MEPs (Retweets, likes)
- MEPs and their assistants are followers
- Multiple likes from EC, ECDC, WHO, stakeholder groups







## LinkedIn

- Campaign content shared widely by team members on Linkedln
- Estimate 30-50,000 views among a high quality audience
- Repeated views by European institutions according to LinkedIn analytics



