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AMENDMENTS

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Nessa Childers

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Implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with
Disabilities with special regard to the Concluding Observations of the UN
CRPD Committee
(2015/2258(INI))

Amendment 1

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Laura Agea, Marco Affronte

Draft opinion

Paragraph 1

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1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, *with difficulties and* barriers in access leading to *the* inadequate or unmet provision of *healthcare* services to people with disabilities;

Amendment

1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, *and deplores the fact that* barriers in access *to health services persist*, leading to *an* inadequate or unmet provision of services to people with disabilities;

Or. it

Amendment 2

Michèle Rivasi

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion

Paragraph 1

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1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Amendment

1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities *notably when the disability results from a drug adverse reaction*;

Or. en

Amendment 3

Andrey Kovatchev

Draft opinion

Paragraph 1

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1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Amendment

1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities; ***notes that the lack of access to quality health services has a negative effect on the ability of those with disabilities to live independently, inclusively and on an equal basis with others;***

Or. en

Amendment 4
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

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1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches ***about 13*** % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Amendment

1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which touches ***over 15%*** of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 5
Mireille D'Ornano, Jean-François Jalkh

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

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1. Highlights the ***strong correlation between disability, which touches about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in***

Amendment

1. Highlights the difficulties ***surrounding*** access, leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Or. fr

Amendment 6
Mark Demesmaeker

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

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1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which *touches* about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Amendment

1. Highlights the strong correlation between disability, which *affects* about 13 % of the EU's population, and ill-health, with difficulties and barriers in access leading to the inadequate or unmet provision of healthcare services to people with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 7
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1 a. Notes with concern that people with disabilities report significantly higher rates of inadequate provision or denial of care, and instances of forced or ill-treatment, pointing to the lack of training of healthcare professionals on the health care needs of persons with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 8
José Inácio Faria

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1a. Notes that in the 2014-2020 programming period the Structural and Investment Funds afford scope for actions to further the aims of the Convention; points to the need to make effective use of these funds in the form of means and measures to help Member States both to ensure that the healthcare to be provided to people with disabilities is suited to their condition and of high quality and to eliminate injustices as regards access to care;

Or. pt

Amendment 9
Kateřina Konečná

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1a. Calls on the Commission and Member States to make progress as quickly as possible on implementing the European Disability Strategy 2010-2020;

Or. cs

Amendment 10
Mireille D'Ornano, Jean-François Jalkh

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2

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Amendment

2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health

deleted

problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental difficulties among the female population, particularly migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from gender, sexual orientation and identity;

Or. fr

Amendment 11
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Draft opinion
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2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental difficulties among the female population, particularly migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from gender, sexual orientation and identity;

Amendment

2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental difficulties among the female population, particularly migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from **age**, gender, sexual orientation and identity;

Or. en

Amendment 12
Ádám Kósa

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2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental difficulties among the female population, particularly

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migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination *arising from gender, sexual orientation and identity*;

refugees and asylum seekers, and other instances of preventable discrimination *against people with disabilities*;

Or. en

Amendment 13
Mark Demesmaeker, Julie Girling

Draft opinion
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2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental *difficulties* among the female population, particularly migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from gender, sexual orientation and identity;

Amendment

2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional *and multiple* discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental *health problems* among the female population, particularly migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from gender, sexual orientation and identity;

Or. en

Amendment 14
Michèle Rivasi
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
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2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental difficulties among the female population, particularly migrants, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from gender, sexual orientation and *identity*;

Amendment

2. Stresses the need to consider and address intersectional discrimination issues, in light of the especially high incidence of reported serious health problems among women with disabilities, the overall higher percentages of mental difficulties among the female population, particularly migrants *and refugees*, and other instances of preventable discrimination arising from gender, sexual orientation, *identity, social*

*inequalities and exposure inequalities
leading notably to idiopathic
environmental intolerances;*

Or. en

Amendment 15
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

*2 a. Calls for the Commission and the
Member States to advocate for the
classification of memory disabling disease
as a disability;*

Or. en

Amendment 16
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Laura Agea, Marco Affronte

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

*2a. Stresses the need to provide for a
uniform system of sanctions throughout
the EU to punish any behaviour, wherever
it might be, that involves unequal
treatment on grounds of disability;*

Or. it

Amendment 17
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2 a. Calls on Member States to adopt legal provisions and procedures which explicitly recognise, prevent and address multiple and intersectional discrimination and to take appropriate measures to provide awareness-raising and training on multiple and intersectional discrimination to both public and private actors, with a particular attention to women, children, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex people (LGBTI) and migrants with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 18
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

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3. Emphasises informed consent as a condition to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions concerning their medical treatment to the fullest possible extent;

Amendment

3. Emphasises informed consent as a condition to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions concerning their medical treatment to the fullest possible extent; ***calls for the rights of patients to be at the centre of care; in particular, coercive measures should only be resorted to on a case-by-case basis, after an evaluation by a medical professional;***

Or. en

Amendment 19
José Inácio Faria

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

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3. Emphasises informed consent as a condition to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions

Amendment

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concerning their medical treatment to the fullest possible extent;

concerning their medical treatment to the fullest possible extent; ***calls on the Member States to invest in the training of the professionals who treat and assist people with disabilities;***

Or. pt

Amendment 20
Mark Demesmaecker, Julie Girling

Draft opinion
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3. Emphasises informed consent as a ***condition*** to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions concerning their medical treatment to the fullest possible extent;

Amendment

3. Emphasises informed consent ***and accessible procedures as a pre-condition*** to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions concerning their medical treatment to the fullest possible extent;

Or. en

Amendment 21
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
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3. Emphasises informed consent as a condition to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions concerning their medical treatment to ***the fullest possible extent;***

Amendment

3. Emphasises informed consent as a condition to the right of people with disabilities to freely exercise decisions concerning their medical treatment, ***with a particular attention to persons with psychosocial and intellectual disabilities;***

Or. en

Amendment 22
Michèle Rivasi
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3 a. Calls on the Commission to introduce an amendment to the UN Convention on the rights of persons with disabilities in order to include the emerging issue of idiopathic environmental intolerances such as electrohypersensitivity and multiple chemical sensitivity;

Or. en

Amendment 23
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3 a. Recalls the Commission's privileged position to facilitate and spur the implementation of best practices across the Member States as regards equal access to mainstream healthcare services and the provision of disability-specific care and treatment;

Or. en

Amendment 24
Andrey Kovatchev

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3 a. Calls for more streamlined use of the EU Structural Funds complemented, where necessary, by national measures as one of the tools to improve the quality of life and promote accessibility of health

care, including electronic services, applications and devices, for persons with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 25
José Inácio Faria

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

4. Calls on the Commission to integrate disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, through better physical and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to integrate disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, through better physical and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability, *and, while the instruments and policies are being developed along these lines, to hold thorough consultations with people with disabilities;*

Or. pt

Amendment 26
Mireille D'Ornano, Jean-François Jalkh

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

4. Calls on the Commission to integrate disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, *through better physical and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability;*

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to integrate disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States *by encouraging reasonable accommodation, in terms of accessibility to care, as far as possible;*

Or. fr

Amendment 27

Michèle Rivasi

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion

Paragraph 4

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4. Calls on the Commission to integrate disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, through better physical and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to integrate disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, through better physical, *environmental* and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability;

Or. en

Amendment 28

Mark Demesmaeker

Draft opinion

Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

4. Calls on the Commission to *integrate* disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, through better physical and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to *mainstream* disability-oriented approaches in its health instruments and policies so as to contribute to improved health outcomes for people with disabilities in the Member States, through better physical and sensory accessibility, quality and affordability;

Or. en

Amendment 29

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Laura Agea, Marco Affronte

Draft opinion

Paragraph 4 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 a. Calls on the Commission to refrain from supporting austerity measures which are likely to produce widespread adverse effects across the EU on adequate health standards for persons with disabilities.

Or. en

Amendment 30
José Inácio Faria

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to develop support facilities to help children and teenagers with disabilities to realise their full potential; draws attention in particular to the need to encourage their upbringing within the family and the community, rather than institutionalising them;

Or. pt

Amendment 31
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 a. Reiterates that reproductive rights are among the fundamental freedoms guaranteed under the 1993 Vienna Declaration and Programme Action and the UN CRPD, including: the right to equality and non-discrimination, the right to marry and found a family; the right to comprehensive reproductive health care including family planning and maternal

health services, education, and information; the right to give informed consent to all medical procedures including sterilization and abortion; and the right to be free from sexual abuse and exploitation.

Or. en

Amendment 32
Andrey Kovatchev

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 a. Notes that the lack of disaggregated data and statistics at sub-national level and by sub-groups in the population is a barrier to formulating adequate policies to reduce inequalities in access; calls on the Commission to support Member States by harmonising the definition of and collection of waiting time indicators and by setting and enforcing standards for accessibility of health facilities for people with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 33
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Laura Agea, Marco Affronte

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 b. Calls on the Member States to refrain from cuts on disability-related benefits, community-based services and health services that deteriorate the health and wellbeing of persons with disabilities and of family caregivers;

Or. en

Amendment 34
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 b. Calls on the Member States to adopt measures to ensure that all health care and services provided to women with disabilities, including all reproductive health and mental health care and services, are accessible and based on the free and informed consent of the individual concerned;

Or. en

Amendment 35
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 c (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 c. Urges the Member States to adopt guidelines to ensure that all education, information, healthcare and services relating to sexual and reproductive health, are made available to women and girls with disabilities in accessible and age-appropriate formats, including sign languages, Braille, tactile communication, large print, and other alternative modes, means and formats of communication;

Or. en

Amendment 36
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion

Paragraph 4 d (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4 d. Further calls on the Member States to ensure that involuntary treatment and confinement are not permitted by law in accordance with the latest international standards;

Or. en

Amendment 37

Mireille D'Ornano, Jean-François Jalkh

Draft opinion

Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

Amendment

5. Urges the Commission and the Member States to evaluate the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and its implementation from the perspective of the needs of people with disabilities ***and their right to know, and effectively avail of, the provisions and instruments contained therein, awareness of which is low even among the general population;***

5. Urges the Commission and the Member States to evaluate the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and its implementation from the perspective of the needs of people with disabilities, ***in particular via the various national contact points;***

Or. fr

Amendment 38

Andrey Kovatchev

Draft opinion

Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

Amendment

5. Urges the Commission and the Member States to evaluate the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and its implementation from the perspective of the needs of people with disabilities and their right to know, and effectively avail of, the provisions and instruments contained

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therein, awareness of which is low even among the general population;

and instruments contained therein, awareness of which is low even among the general population;

Or. en

Amendment 39

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Laura Agea, Marco Affronte

Draft opinion

Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Urges the Commission and the Member States to evaluate the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and its implementation from the perspective of the needs of people with disabilities and their right to know, and effectively avail of, the provisions and instruments ***contained therein***, awareness of which is low even among the general population;

Amendment

5. Urges the Commission and the Member States to evaluate the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and its ***effective*** implementation from the perspective ***also*** of the needs of people with disabilities and their right to know, and effectively avail of, the provisions and instruments ***provided for by said Directive***, awareness of which is low even among the general population;

Or. it

Amendment 40

Mark Demesmaeker, Julie Girling

Draft opinion

Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Urges the Commission ***and the Member States to evaluate*** the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and its implementation from the perspective of the needs of people with disabilities and their right to know, and effectively avail of, the provisions and instruments contained therein, awareness of which is low even among the general population;

Amendment

5. Urges the Commission ***to include a disability-specific component in its evaluation of*** the Cross-Border Healthcare Directive and ***urges the Member States to further*** its implementation from the perspective of the needs of people with disabilities and their right to know, and effectively avail of, the provisions and instruments contained therein, awareness of which is low even among the general population;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Mark Demesmaeker, Julie Girling

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

5 a. Urges the Commission to develop EU-wide guidance for National Contact Points on how to provide accessible information about care in other Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 42
Kateřina Konečná

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

5a. Welcomes the European Disability Card pilot project, encourages all Member States to join the European Disability Card initiative and calls on the Commission, in case of need, to allocate the necessary financial resources to develop the European Disability Card as an EU-wide project;

Or. cs

Amendment 43
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

5 a. Invites the Commission to develop EU-wide guidance for the National

Contact Points on the provision of accessible information to all patients, bearing in mind the particular role of patient organisations;

Or. en

Amendment 44
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

5 b. Encourages the Commission to assist the Member States and members of the European Reference Networks to extend the network's resources and expertise to forms of disability which, though not necessarily rare, also require highly specialised healthcare provided by multidisciplinary healthcare teams and a concentration of knowledge and resources through this framework;

Or. en

Amendment 45
Kateřina Konečná

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

5a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to ensure that persons with disabilities can easily use the 112 emergency number anywhere in Europe;

Or. cs

Amendment 46
Mireille D'Ornano, Jean-François Jalkh

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Draft opinion
Paragraph 6

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6. Expects the Commission to ensure that electronic and mobile health services, applications and devices are fully accessible to patients with disabilities and their respective carers, and to further exploit the potential of telemedicine to improve access and care in this context.

Amendment

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Or. fr

Amendment 47
Ádám Kósa

Draft opinion
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6. **Expects** the Commission to ensure that electronic and mobile health services, applications and devices are fully accessible to patients with disabilities and their respective carers, and to further exploit the potential of telemedicine to improve access and care in this context.

Amendment

6. **Calls on** the Commission to ensure that electronic and mobile health services, applications and devices are fully accessible to patients with disabilities and their respective carers, and to further exploit the potential of telemedicine to improve access and care in this context;

Or. en

Amendment 48
José Inácio Faria

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6

Draft opinion

6. Expects the Commission to ensure that electronic and mobile health services, applications and devices are fully accessible to patients with disabilities and their respective carers, and to further

Amendment

6. Expects the Commission **and the Member States** to ensure that electronic and mobile health services, applications and devices, **including the 112 emergency number and the advanced mobile location**

exploit the potential of telemedicine to improve access and care in this context.

(AML) system, are fully accessible to patients with disabilities and their respective carers, and to further exploit the potential of telemedicine to improve access and care in this context.

Or. pt

Amendment 49
Andrey Kovatchev

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6 a. Calls for disabled people's organisations to be fully involved in the development and review of disability policies;

Or. en

Amendment 50
José Inácio Faria

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6a. Maintains that products and services must be made more accessible to people with disabilities; points out that economic and cost-benefit barriers are preventing accessibility from being developed and implemented; believes that greater involvement of people with disabilities when health-related products and services are being developed will make for safety and accessibility;

Or. pt

Amendment 51

Kateřina Konečná

**Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)**

Draft opinion

Amendment

6a. Underlines that persons with physical disabilities also face problems on the digitised mobility market policies, and calls for facilitating access for all persons with all types of disabilities in accessible languages, formats and technologies appropriate to different kinds of disabilities, including sign languages, Braille, augmentative and alternative communication systems and other accessible means, modes and formats of communication of their choice, including easy-to-read language, subtitling and personal text messages, in particular for health information, while making use of more than one sensory channel;

Or. cs

**Amendment 52
Nessa Childers**

**Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)**

Draft opinion

Amendment

6 a. Encourages the Commission to make sustained efforts to boost health prevention and promotion in order to address the serious disparities in health and access which affect the most vulnerable persons with disabilities;

Or. en

**Amendment 53
Nicola Caputo**

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6a. Calls on the Commission to bring the European Disability Strategy into line with the CRPD with a clear timeframe, benchmarks and indicators;

Or. it

Amendment 54
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Laura Agea, Marco Affronte

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6 a. Urges the Commission and the Member States to properly acknowledge the key role of family caregivers and to ensure that they also have appropriate access to health services in view of the impact that caring for persons with disabilities has on their own physical and mental health and well-being;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Nessa Childers

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6 b. Stresses that eliminating discrimination of persons with disabilities in all areas of life, including in access to healthcare, is dependent on the adoption and implementation of the Horizontal Equal Treatment Directive;

Or. en

Amendment 56
Nicola Caputo

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 c (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6c. Calls on the Commission to include in the European Disability Strategy a specific section on protection of dependent people with disabilities who have no family to support them; said section shall consider firstly the social and health needs of people with disabilities and then all other aspects of their lives.

Or. it