

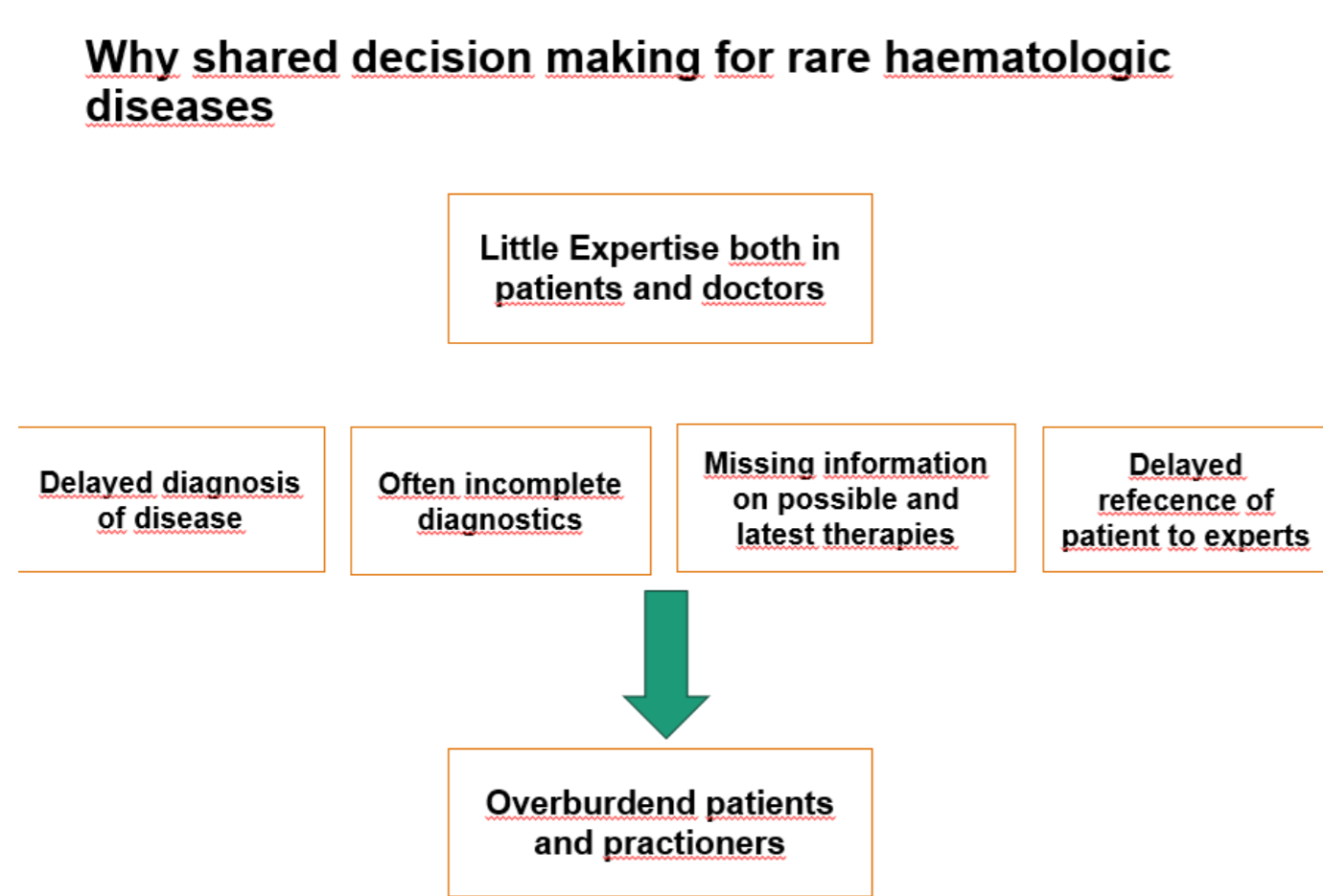
Share2Care Project for PMF patients  
(an example for a cooperation between the German Study Group MPN (an organization of German mpn experts) and the mpn-netzwerk e.V.)

### INTRODUCTION & AIMS

This project was initiated by the university of Aachen. It is collecting information for PMF high risk patients to enable them to make an informed decision whether to have a stem cell transplantation or to go ahead with medical treatment.

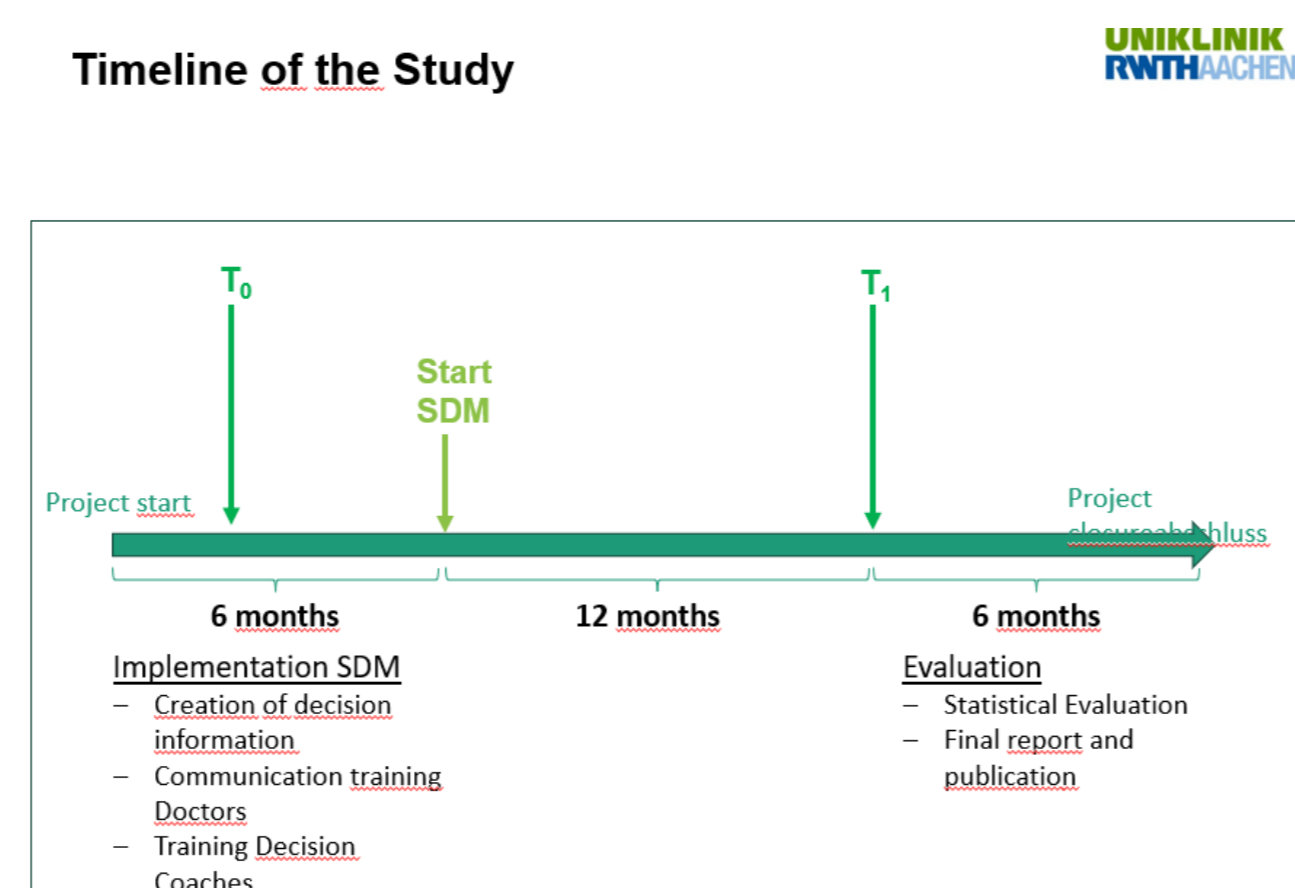
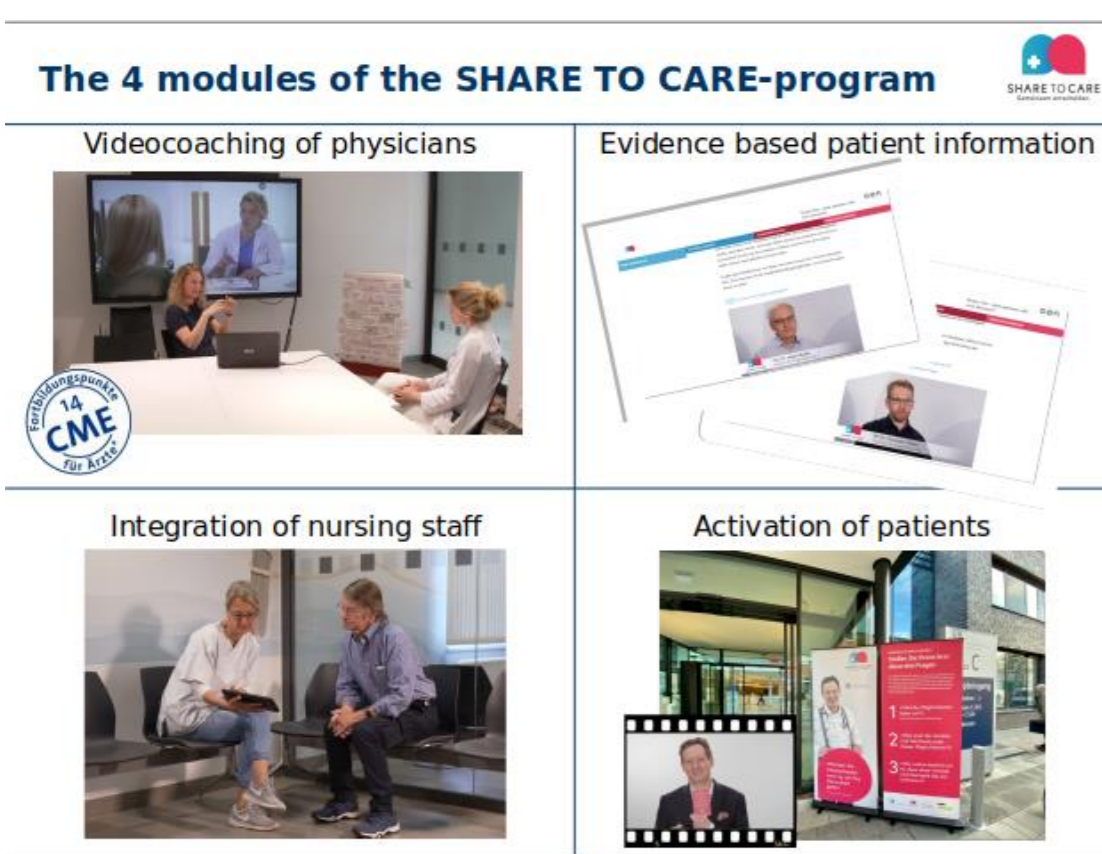
Target is the training of physicians for a better support of patients in giving them an elaborated guideline, which they can use for crosschecking it against their individual situation and support their decision process.

In the long run it shall be realized to develop such guidelines for different diseases in order to support the choice of various therapy options.



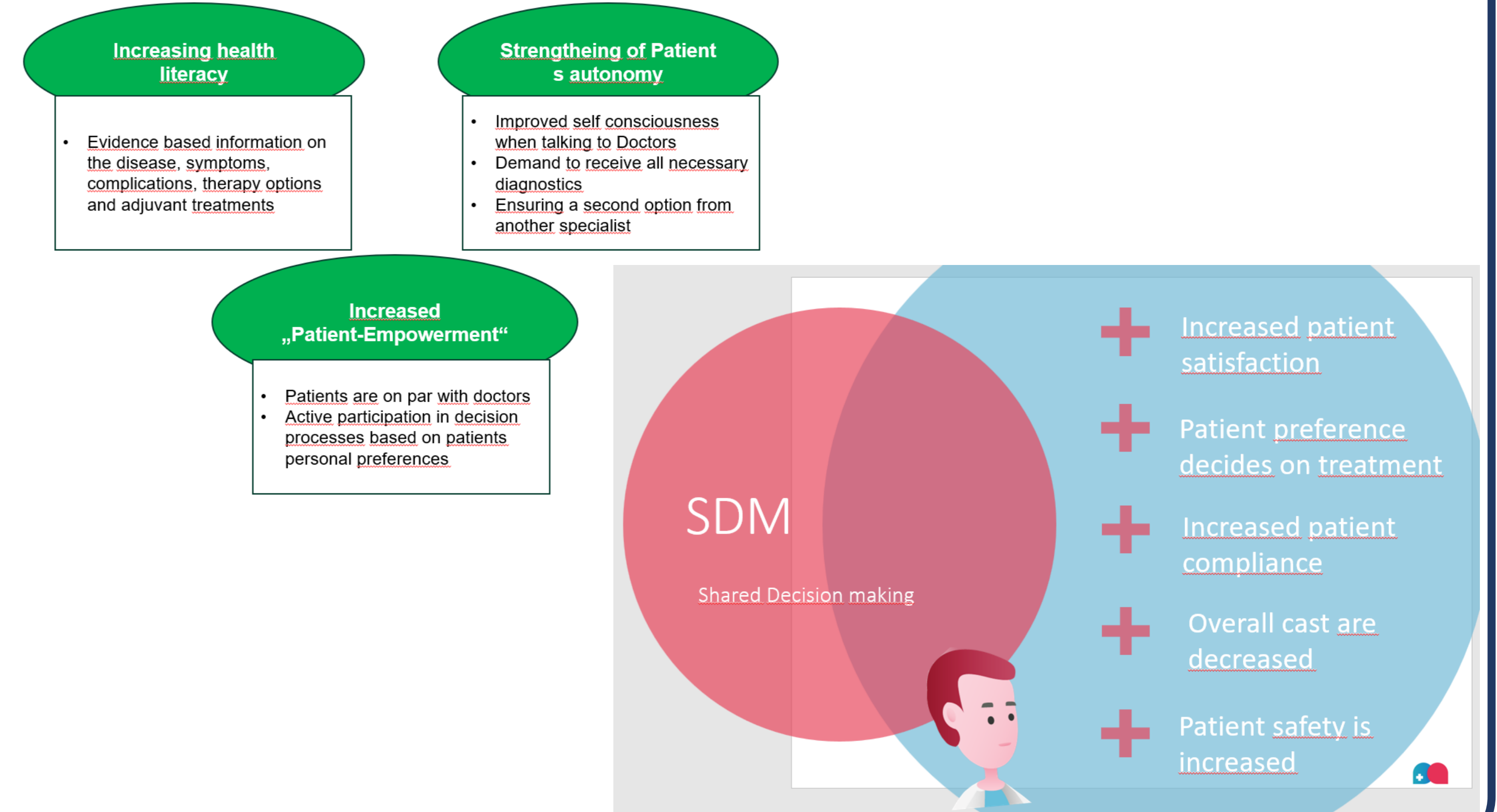
### METHODOLOGY

In a first phase short interviews were conducted with intermediate/high risk PMF patients to introduce the study. In a second phase all relevant information was collected, anonymized and documented. Based on this, information and trainings material shall be compiled and made available.



### RESULTS

Why should we use SDM?



### CONCLUSIONS

Collecting questions and information needs of a larger cohort of patients will allow to develop a detailed catalogue of criteria for all patients, who have to decide about a stem cell transplantation.

This can also be a basis for collecting criteria and information for other medical decisions, e.g. which therapy option for the individual patient is the most convenient (e.g. medication A or B). Besides that it can give advice about additional non-medical aspects as e.g. nutrition, sports, Yoga, etc.).

The outcome of the study could be amended by questions/information needs from other regions and could then be used by doctors and patients in other regions as well.

### REFERENCES

RWTH Aachen

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## REGARDING STYLE

- Size of the poster template: **A1: 59 x 84 cm**
- You can use this poster template or you can have your own design. Be creative as you like!
- Use at least 36 point font for your text and at least 48 point font for the title. Your font style should be legible also.
- We recommend to use images, tables, photos or graphs. Minimum recommended size is 300 dpi.
- Remember that viewers will typically expect information to flow from left to right and from top to bottom. Use arrows, pointing hands, numbers, or letters to help clarify the sequence or flow of the poster.
- Use headings and subheadings to label your information.

## REGARDING CONTENT

- You can present an activity, project, initiative from 2023/2024 developed by your MPN patient organization.

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- **Legible.** The text should be easy to read. A common error in poster presentations is use of fonts that are too small to be read from 1-2 meters away, a typical distance for reading a poster.
- **Well organized.** Spatial organization makes the difference between reaching 95% rather than just 5% of your audience: the poster should flow in a logical format – this means that the reader will not have to search out information and can spend more time learning about the initiative.
- **Succinct.** Studies show that you have only 11 seconds to grab and retain your audience's attention so make the punch line prominent and brief. Most of your audience is going to absorb only the punch line. Those who are really interested in the topic will seek you out anyway and chat with you!