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Project title: Combating Antimicrobial Resistance: Finland-Brazil Partnership for Education and Awareness Antimicrobial resistance (AMR) is a global threat and requires a joint approach by all levels of the entire society, in order to prevent further propagation and development of new resistance mechanisms. Coordinator Implementation of national policies and action plans are crucial, and they should reflect directly in human resources and research developments, and acquisition of new technologies. CARE-FIBRA is a joint European Helsingin Yliopisto and Latin American educational initiative on AMR. The project aims to bring knowledge through actions on the awareness of appropriate use and disposal of antimicrobials, within a multi-disciplinary approach in Brazil (BR) Päivi Tammela, paivi.tammela@helsinki.fi and Finland (FI). The project activities include mobility of staff and students, sharing of resources and infrastructure and the creation of a synergy with the society to consolidate the knowledge. Our audience will be students of different educational levels, professionals in Life Sciences and the public. To achieve these objectives, the project will supplement the curriculum of undergraduate and postgraduate courses with biosafety contents related to the prescription, use and disposal of medicines and overall situation on AMR. By promoting seminars to healthcare professionals, this project will reinforce knowledge in AMR and enhance their preparedness. Furthermore, through the mobility of students and staff, this project will strengthen **Partners** collaboration between higher education institutes (HEIs) and foster new ideas for future networking. Ultimately, these efforts will promote knowledge sharing and preparedness among healthcare professionals,



and enhance collaboration and innovation within the involved HEI community. Through planned actions and

monitoring programs, this project will directly improve the public health and well-being of the community.