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Ministry of Health, Romania



Dr. Andrei BACIU was appointed Secretary of State within the Ministry of Health of Romania in December 2019. He is responsible for the general oversight of the Pharmaceutical Directorate of the Ministry of Health. He is also in charge of the coordination of COVID response in Romania. He is responsible for the eHealth area and the eHealth strategy in Romania and from January 2020 he is the RO representative in the eHealth Network of the EU Member States. From June 2020 he was nominated in the Steering Board of EMA. The Secretary of State is also the focal point for the relations with WHO in the country. He was the head of the Romanian Delegation to WHA 73 in May 2020 and to the WHO RC 70 and, since his appointment, the official attended several virtual high-level meetings ad EU level including the Informal Meeting of Health Ministers and the EPSCO Council Meetings on behalf of the Romanian Minister of Health.

He is a member of the National Liberal Party and starting with June 2016 he is Secretary General of the National Health Committee of the National Liberal Party.

Dr. Baciu is a member of the American Public Health Association since 2016 and a member of the American Society for the Study of Liver Pathology since 2016. Since 2017 he is specialised in cardiovascular surgery. He underwent training in Hospital management and in Management and Leadership in Health and Social Care.