EU Policy Recommendations

- Adopt ‘Safety Culture’ and ‘Zero Vision’ principles in implementing EU policies and guidelines for the agriculture sector.
- Establish the European Center for Agricultural Safety and Health with regional and state affiliate organizations focusing on the safety, health, wellness and sustainability of people involved in agriculture.
- Allocate funding for agricultural safety, health, wellness and one-health research in Horizon 2020 / Horizon Europe.
- Develop and implement a health, safety and wellness education program for self-employed farmers, family members, workers and students in agricultural schools.
- Improve Eurostat and national agricultural injury and illness statistics.

The cost for agricultural injuries has been calculated to be 200 - 300 million Euro per year, both in Norway and Sweden. How is the situation in EU as a total?