

Health care –

The recovery approach (in mental health)

Setting/ What & Where?

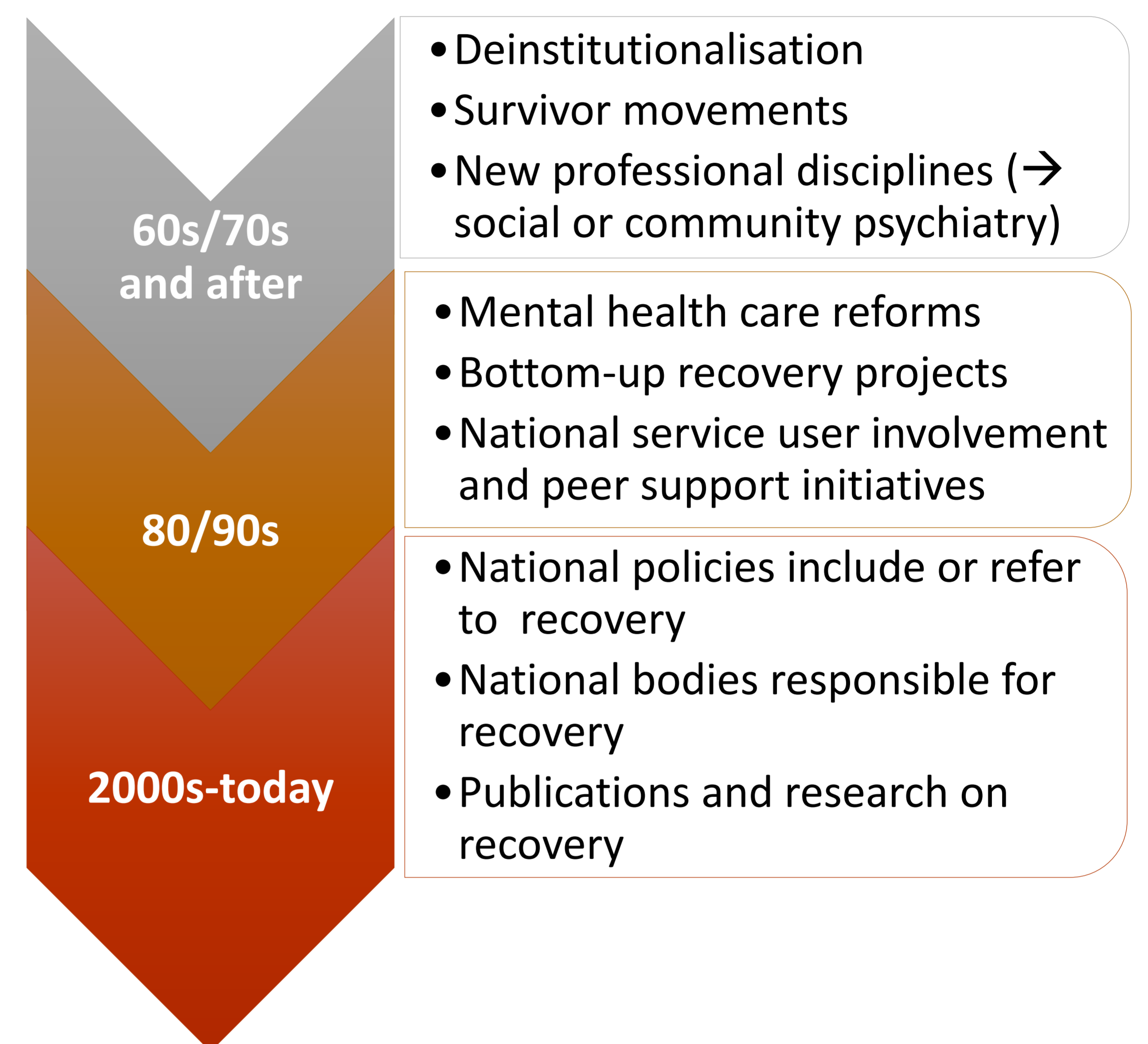
What? Shift in focus from clinical symptoms (medical model) to **person's ambitions and capacities (social model)**

Why? Change in **public sector culture** and service provision

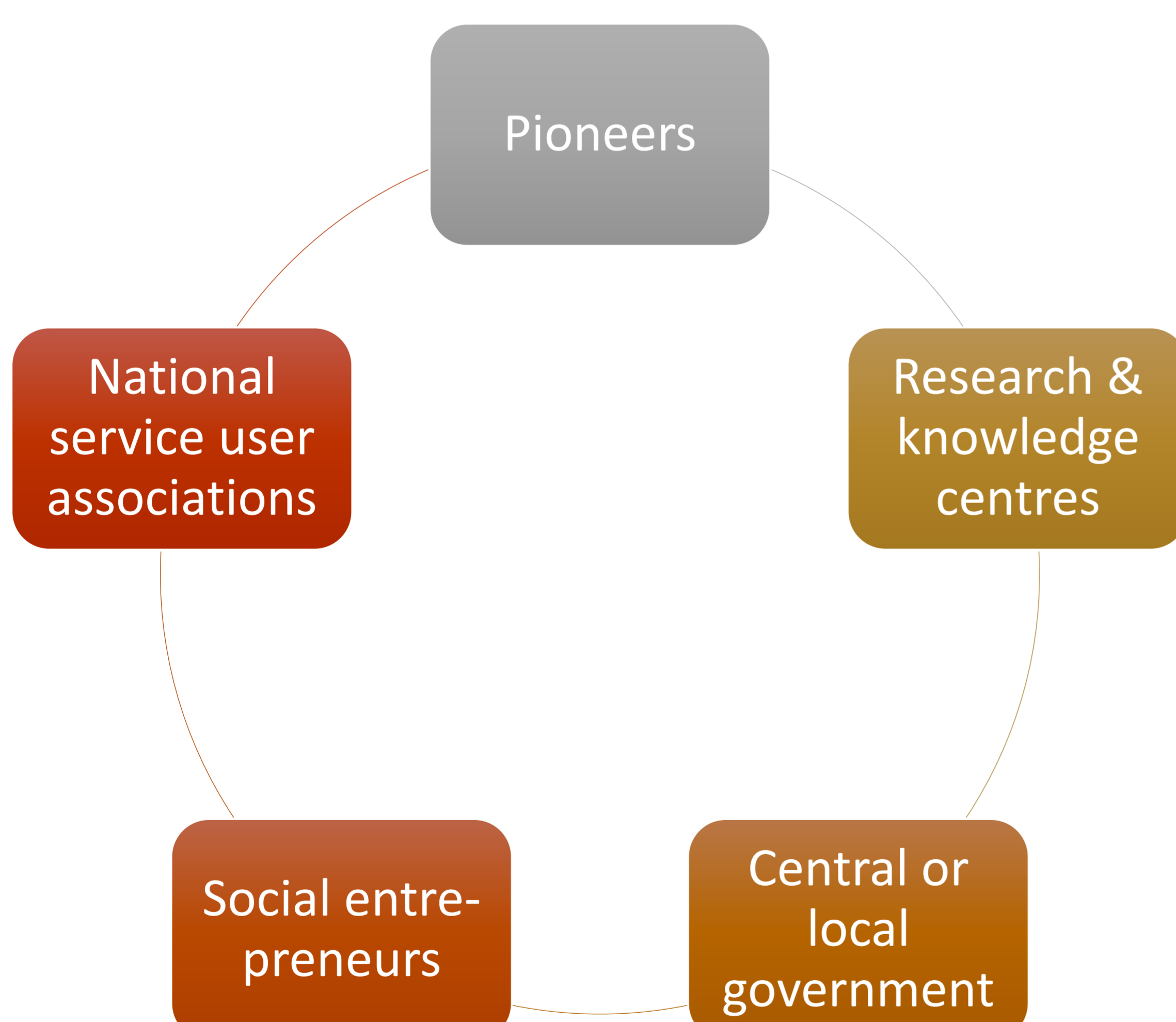
Where? Denmark (DK), France (FR), United Kingdom (UK) & Czech Republic (CZ)

When? Developments varied substantially between countries, influenced by deinstitutionalisation, which started in CZ 20 years later than in UK

Process /How did SI stream evolve?



Actors/ Who was involved?



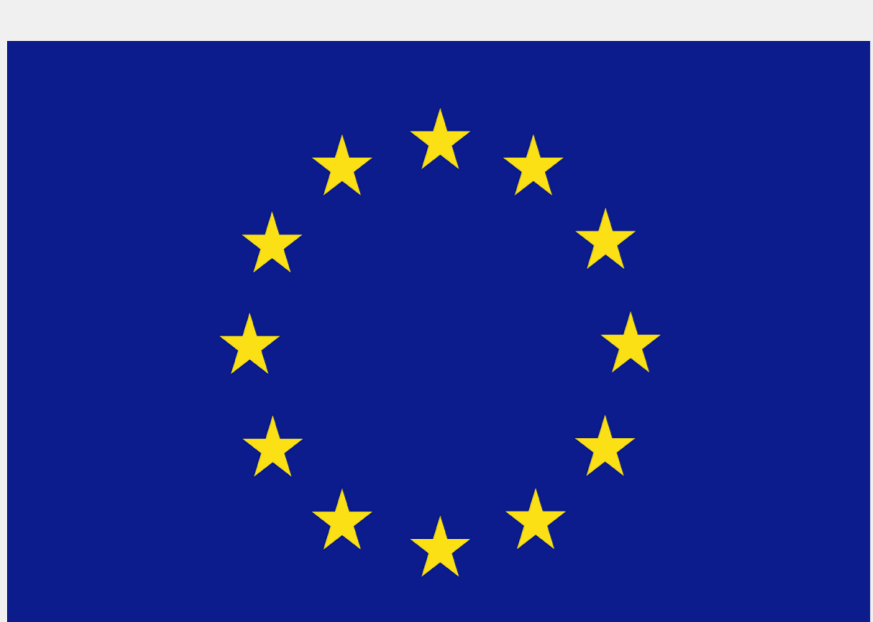
Organisation & field traits/ What's needed?

Organizational traits

- **Highly dedicated** social entrepreneurs, staff, volunteers
- **Capacity building** role, leading by example

Context conditions

- Recognition that things **need to be done differently (financial pressures)** → mental health care reforms
- Knowledge **how things can be done differently**
 - (1) Infrastructure for knowledge exchange & research
 - (2) Openness to international developments & influences



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