European governments must do more to improve access to contraception

Belgium, France and the UK score top for third year running

- General reimbursement schemes (including long-term contraception)
- Special arrangements for young and vulnerable groups
- Government supported websites

But they too must do better to improve access for all

Most improved countries: Albania, Andorra, Finland & Greece

Most declined countries: Poland & Kosovo

11 Web winners

These countries have very good or excellent government supported websites

7 Reimbursers

These countries provide special reimbursement for young people and vulnerable groups

43% of pregnancies in Europe are unintended

69% of European women use contraception

LARC offer unique advantages

Long-acting reversible contraceptives (LARC) such as subdermal contraceptive implants, injections and IUDs are less prone to failure and show higher satisfaction rates than other contraceptive methods