

# Rutten's Health Policy Questionnaire

Items are listed on a five-point Likert scale (Answer categories: Definitely Not True, Mostly Not True, Somewhat Uncertain, Mostly True, Definitely True)

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## **A. Political opportunities**

1. The political climate has worsened/improved.
2. The support from other sectors (economy, science, justice) has worsened/improved.
3. The co-operation between political levels involved (federal, state, municipalities) has worsened/improved.
4. The co-operation between public and private organizations has worsened/improved.
5. The lobby for the action has worsened/improved.

## **B. Resources**

1. There is enough personnel.
2. My organization has the necessary capacities.
3. There are sufficient financial resources.

## **C. Obligations**

1. Personally I feel obliged to do something in this field.
2. The action is part of my professional duties.
3. Scientific results demand the action
4. We are obliged to the population to act in this area.

## **D. Public opportunities**

1. The involvement of the population has worsened/improved.
2. The population supports the action.
3. The media's interest has worsened/improved.

## **E. Goals**

1. The goals are officially spelled out.
2. The goals are concrete enough.
3. The action centers on improving the health of the population.

## **F. Organizational opportunities**

1. My own involvement has worsened/improved.
2. The co-operation within my organization has worsened/improved.

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