

In order to continue our collaborations and experience sharing, we do need your help, as we want to have the most relevant topics for the next ICT workshop in April/May 2014.

*Please choose **4** of the suggested topics below, which you find most interesting/problematic/challenging.*

Collaboration is key and your feedback is important to ensure the topics reflect the priority areas of European Prison Agencies.

Please send your suggestions to rodicapopa@europis.org

Plenary session workshop 'ICT in Prisons' **Suggestions for future cooperation in the ICT sector**

- create a **platform** for:
 - the exchange of ideas
 - for defining what functionalities are needed
 - for jointly approaching suppliers
 - for comparing prices offered by suppliers
 - for informing each other about on-going and upcoming tenders and for sharing tender documents
- joint development of **common data standards and technical standards**
- use of **biometrics & RFID tagging**
- **new technologies** in prisons for:
 - detecting drugs in prisons
 - Intelligent Camera and CCTV systems
 - Communication technology (DECT, Walky-talky, Localization, etc...)
- use of **e-mail by prisoners**
- evaluation of **user interfaces** & ergonomic aspects
- use of **mobile devices** in prison
- ways to achieve **cost reductions**
- annual ICT workshop with participation of more countries, especially also the large countries such as France and Germany; total number of people should stay at around 50 persons in order to keep the working group size at a practical level
- create small working groups; each of them responsible for the preparation of one item for the annual workshop
- involving a supplier presentation should ideally be combined with a prison visit where the technology has been applied and can be seen in operation and feedback can be obtained from the users of the technology