

	Number of HTA units surveyed N (%) Total = 16 respondents (100%)
Number of members in the unit (single possible response):	
< 5	7 (44%)
Between 5 and 10	3 (19%)
Between 11 and 15	5 (31%)
>15	1 (6%)
Professional categories of members of the HTA unit (more than one answer possible):	
Pharmacists	16 (100%)
Surgeons	13 (81%)
Doctors	14 (88%)
Health economists	8 (50%)
Engineers	6 (38%)
Nurses	4 (25%)
Epidemiologists	3 (19%)
Other categories	7 (44%)
Existence of full-time members in the HTA unit	
Yes	1 (6%)
No	15 (94%)
Duration of the unit's existence (single possible response):	
< 1 year	2 (13%)
< 5 years	4 (25%)
Between 6 and 10 years	4 (25%)
> 10 years	6 (38%)

Table 2: Characteristics of HB-HTA processes for the 16 surveyed hospitals with a HTA unit

HB-HTA: Hospital-based health technology assessment

MD: medical device