

Side Event at 69th Session of the
Commission on Narcotic Drugs (CND) 2026



Undesirable civil societies - unmet
needs: how restrictive regulations and
funding cuts threaten access to health
in CEECA

Side event will provide participants with recent analytical data and country cases on the impact restrictive regulatory environments and shrinking resources have on the ability of community-led and harm reduction organizations to continue delivering health and social care services.



Friday, 13 March,
11.30 | M6

Hybrid format
via ZOOM

Based on the newest EHRA report “Shrinking civic space and marginalised communities in Eastern Europe and Central Asia” – outcome of an extensive regional data collection effort, conducted in 10 EECA countries in 2025. Report examines the civic space and legal environment context affecting drug policy and community-led HIV and TB responses in EECA.

