

# France Chimie Collective Action

to enhance Responsible Care recognition by stakeholders

ICCA Responsible Care® Leadership Group Meeting

**6 December 2022**

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# France Chimie Collective action in 2022-2023

## Final Objective :

- Allowing Responsible Care to be better recognized by stakeholders (employees, supply chain, insurance, financial partners...)
- Avoiding to need other CSR labels (Ecovadis...)

## How ?

- Helping companies to implement RC principles and fulfil the self-assessment (in particular SMEs)
- Enabling a more solid RC assessment and implementation of RC principles

## Process :

- September /December 2022 : pilot phase
- 2 waves in 2023 starting in January and in May/June
- Aim to perpetuate the process

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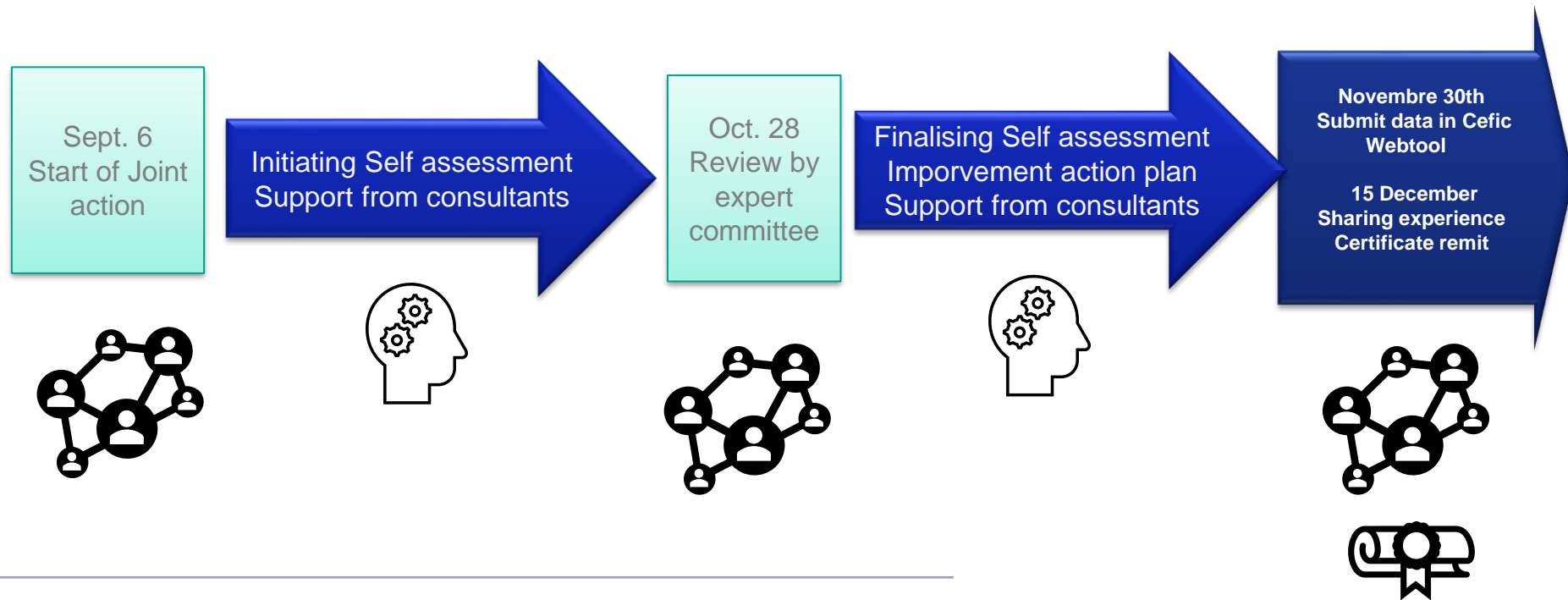
## Principles :

- 2 steps process :
  - Support from a consultant to help companies to complete the Cefic RC self-assessment and to implement Responsible Care in their companies : 2 collective workshops (tools, best practice...) + at least 2 days of individual support on site by the consultant
  - Review of the improvement action plan by a third-party committee
- Financial support for SMEs
- Pilot phase 2022 involving 6 SME companies - Collective action to continue in 2023
- France Chimie developed a **specific logo** “Confirmed diagnosis”, valid for 3 years, in compliance with the “ICCA guidance for the use of RC logo”, and in partnership with Cefic
- The logo can be used by the company in their communications
- Remit of a **certificate “confirmed diagnosis”** for the companies that followed the review by the third-party



# France Chimie report on Responsible Care

## Joint action on Responsible care - Agenda of 2022 pilot phase



# France Chimie report on Responsible Care

**15<sup>th</sup> December : Ceremony for remit of certificates**

## Objectives :

- Show casing companies involved in the collective action
- Communicating on Social Networks on 6 companies and on actions of France Chimie
- Attracting new companies in the process for 2023

# Certificate « confirmed diagnosis »



Responsible Care®

## Attestation de Diagnostic Confirmé

Nous soussignés Magali Smets, Directrice Générale de France Chimie et Philippe Prudhon, Directeur des Affaires Techniques de France Chimie, attestons que l'entreprise XXX est engagée dans une démarche Responsabilité Sociétale des Entreprises (RSE) dans le cadre du programme Responsible Care® confirmée par un tiers extérieur.

La démarche inclut un auto-diagnostic Responsible Care® réalisé par l'entreprise, accompagné par un évaluateur qualifié, ainsi que l'établissement d'un plan d'actions pour une amélioration continue des performances RSE, validé par un comité tiers.

France Chimie soutient l'auto-diagnostic Responsible Care® confirmé, afin de :

- **Se comparer** avec les autres entreprises et montrer la progression en termes de RSE
- **Se préparer** à mettre en place un label RSE, une norme ISO...
- **Anticiper** les obligations de communication des indicateurs extra-financiers qui s'appliqueront aux PME d'ici 2027 (sur données 2026).

Responsible Care® est le programme RSE sectoriel de la chimie.  
Cette attestation est valable 3 ans.

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Magali SMETS

Philippe PRUDHON

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- **Next steps**

- Objective of 12 SMEs involved in 2023, process also open to non-SMEs companies
- 2 teams of companies : one starting in January, the second starting in May/June
- Ceremony for the official remit of certificates and communication in December 2023 (after the submission of the self-assessment in the Cefic webtool)

- **France Chimie supports the confirmed Responsible Care® self-diagnosis, in order to :**

- Compare themselves with other companies and show progress in terms of CSR
- Prepare to implement a CSR label, an ISO standard, etc.
- Anticipate the obligations to communicate extra-financial indicators that will apply to SMEs by 2026.

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