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Project Information

Project Short Name	CCE
Project Full Name	Connected Care for Elderly Persons Suffering from Dementia
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Background of the Project

The project supports the development of an open, standardised, integrated European platform to deliver connected ICT-based assistive living solutions for the elderly. By building on initiatives at the national level and, taking account of different funding mechanisms in EU member states (Social insurance-based; Germany and Hungary, private insurance-based; Netherlands and taxation-based; UK), to develop and assess business models to support the mainstream provision of assistive solutions. The focus will be on dementia sufferers, but the platform will offer the potential to be extended to other chronic conditions.

Visions and Objectives of the Project

1. Identifying user requirements for sufferers of dementia to ensure that the development of mainstream assistive technologies for elderly people is orientated towards users needs and lifestyles, and to understand barriers to use. 2. Establishing performance requirements for interoperable technology solutions for assistive living provision. 3. Developing selected ICT-based hardware solutions for dementia. 4. Developing software solutions for assisted living for dementia sufferers in the home and outside. 5. Developing a health hub to integrate assistive living solutions for both in-home and roaming use. 6. Carrying out pilot studies to demonstrate and assess the application of ICT-enabled assistive technologies in real situations. The results will be used to identify barriers and develop guidance. 7. Assessing non-technical barriers to the mainstreaming of assistive technologies for the prevention and management of chronic conditions of elderly people (ethical, political, socio-economic, legal).

Project Partners and Funding

Full name	Short name	Country Code	Type of Organization	Final granted budget in EUR
Building Research Establishment	BRE	UK	RTO	137.186
Philips	PHI	NL	Industrial	258.828
Centrihealth	CTH	UK	Industrial	137.186
Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft zur Förderung der angewandten	FHI	DE	RTO	731.387

Forschung e.V.				
Hereward College	HWD	UK	Education	137.186
Innomed Medical Inc.	INN	HU	Industrial	38.800
MedCom GmbH	MED	DE	Industrial	224.520
Hungarian Association of Home Care and Hospice	MOH	HU	Association	43.579
Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Biomedical Engineering Knowledge Centre	BME	HU	University	184.236
Peveler	PEV	UK	Care home provider	137.186
User Interface Design GmbH	UID	DE	Industrial	209.473
			Total	2.239.567